

TANGANYIKA



No. 15 OF 1963

I ASSENT,

*Julius K. Nyerere*  
President

...7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1963

**An Act to amend the Penal Code**

[8<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1963]

ENACTED by the Parliament of Tanganyika.

1. This Act may be cited as the Penal Code (Amendment) Act, 1963, and shall be read as one with the Penal Code.

Short title and construction  
Cap. 16

2. The Penal Code is hereby amended by repealing section 128 thereof and replacing it with the following new section:—

Section 128 of Cap. 16 repealed and replaced

“Hindering burial of dead body

**128.—**(1) Any person who unlawfully hinders the burial of the dead body of any person, or who, without lawful authority in that behalf or otherwise than in accordance with rules made by the Minister (which rules the Minister is hereby authorized to make) disinters, dissects or causes damage to the dead body of any person, or who, being under a duty to cause the dead body of any person to be buried, wilfully and without lawful authority in that behalf neglects to perform such duty, shall be guilty of a misdemeanour.

(2) In subsection (1), ‘Minister’ means the Minister for the time being responsible for matters relating to health.”

Passed in the National Assembly on the sixteenth day of February, 1963.

*P. M. M. M. M.*  
Clerk of the National Assembly