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**ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES AND
REGULATIONS Etc.,**

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislature received the assent of the Governor on the 19th October, 2018 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 25th October, 2018 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information :-

ACT No. 28 of 2018

**AN ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE ANDHRA PRADESH
COMPULSORY REGISTRATION OF MARRIAGES ACT, 2002**

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Sixty-ninth year of the Republic of India as follows,-

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| 1. | (1) This Act may be called the Andhra Pradesh Compulsory Registration of Marriages (Amendment) Act, 2018. | Short title and Commencement. |
| | (2) It shall be deemed to have come into force with effect on and from the 8 th June, 2018. | |
| 2. | In the Andhra Pradesh Compulsory Registration of Marriages Act, 2002, (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act) in section 6, in sub-section (1), for the words 'Local Authority', the words, "Government or Local Authority" shall be substituted. | Amendment of Section 6.
Act No. 15 of 2002. |
| 3. | In the Principal Act, in section 7, in sub-section (1) after the words, "shall be registered" the words, "online or otherwise, as the case may be" shall be inserted. | Amendment of Section 7. |

- Amendment of Section 12. 4. In the Principal Act, in section 12, in sub-section (1) after the words, "Marriage Certificate" the words, "or digitally signed Marriage Certificate, as the case may be", shall be inserted.
- Amendment of Section 21. 5. In the Principal Act, in section 21, in sub-section (2) after clause (d), the following clause shall be added, namely,-
"(e) the automated marriage registration process."
- Repeal of Ordinance No.2 of 2018. 6. The Andhra Pradesh Compulsory Registration of Marriages (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 is hereby repealed.

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Legal and Legislative Affairs and Justice,
Law Department.*