

RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. (234)

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30.10.2001 A.D.

In accordance with the provisions of Para. (A) of Article (42) of the Constitution,

The Revolutionary Command Council have decided the following:

Firstly There shall be punishment with death sentence for whoever:

- 1- Commits the crime of Sodomy with male or female or violates the honor of a male or female with out his consent or her consent and under the threat of arm or by force in a way that the life of the wictim (male or female) is threatened.
- 2- Commits adultery with one of his inviolables and his age on committing the crime is completing eighteen years old.
- 3- It is proven that she is practising prostitution.
- 4- It is proven that he commits the crime of brokerage whether he is a men or awoman and shall be punished with the same punishment whoever takes part in this crime;
- 5- Uses or manages public place and any other place allowing the public to enter in it using individuals dealing with prostitution in order to use them in craving for his place;
- 6- Owns, or manages a house, or rooms or hotels allowing others to deal with prostitution therein or facilitating or assisting same.

Secondly : The property used for brokage whether it is movable or real Estate owned to any one of the persons mentioned in paras (4), (5), and (6) of item Firstly of this Resolution, shall be confiscated.

Thirdly : The investigation in the crimes covered by this Resolution shall be carry out according to the provisions of procedures of criminals courts Law No. (23) of 1971 and the special court in the Ministry of Interior shall be entrusted with considering the Law suits concerned with these crimes.

Fourthly : The Resolutions of the Revolutionary Command Council No. (155) on 21.10.1993 and (118) on 27.8.1994 shall be cancelled.

Fifthly : This Resolution shall be implemented from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

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Chairman of the

Revolutionary Command Council

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