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An Act to reduce the number of strokes that may be inflicted upon an offender who may be ordered to be whipped or flogged. 1899-4.
L.N. 168/
1967.

[28th November, 1899] Commence-
ment.

1. This Act may be cited as the Corporal Punishment Act.¹ Short title.

2. (1) Whenever any person may be ordered to be whipped or flogged by any court or person authorised by the law of this Island to order such whipping or flogging, the number of strokes to be inflicted shall not exceed twelve, if the age of the offender does not exceed sixteen years, or twenty-four, if the age of the offender exceeds sixteen years. Limitation of the number of strokes.
L.N. 168/
1967.

(2) Such whipping or flogging may be inflicted on one occasion only.

¹This Act was formerly entitled the Regulation of Whipping Act, 1899.