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Howrah Offences Act, 1857

Section 23 - Penalty for the offences in public streets, etc. Whoever, in any public street, road, thoroughfare or place of public

i) Whoever drives or rides any animal or drives any vehicle in a manner so rash or negligent as to indicate a want of due regard for the safety of others: (ii) Whoever negligently lets loose any horse, or suffers to be at large any ferocious dog without a muzzle, or sets on or urges any dog or other animal to attack, worry or put in fear any person, horse or other animal: (iii) Whoever, being in charge of a cart, carriage or horse, leaves it at such a distance as not to have the same under due control: (iv) Whoever fastens any animal so as to cause obstruction or danger to passengers: (v) Whoever cruelly beats, abuses or tortures any animal: (iv) Whoever sets fire to or burns any straw or other matter, or lights any bonfire, or wantonly discharges any firearm or air-gun, or lets off or throws any firework, or sends up any fire-balloon.