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Government Notice

OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER

No. 103 1999

PROMULGATION OF ACT OF PARLIAMENT

The following Act which has been passed by the Parliament and signed by the President in terms of the Namibian Constitution is hereby published in terms of Article 56 of that Constitution.

No. 5 of 1999: Prisons Amendment Act, 1999.

EXPLANATORY NOTE:

_____ Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing provisions.

[] Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing provisions.

ACT

To amend the Prisons Act, 1998, to correct certain references therein and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

(Signed by the President on 8 June 1999)

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of Namibia, as follows:-

Amendment of section 28 of Act 17 of 1998

1. The following subsection is hereby substituted for subsection (5) of section 28 of the Prisons Act, 1998:

"(5) Any search of a person under this section shall be made in accordance with this Act and any rules, standing orders or administrative directives made or issued by the Commissioner under section **[4(2)] 4(3)**."

Amendment of section 83 of Act 17 of 1998

2. The following subsection is hereby substituted for subsection (2) of section 83 of the Prisons Act, 1998:

"(2) As far as is practicable, all Ministries and Agencies set out in Schedules 2 and 3 of the Public Service Act, 1995 (Act No. 13 of 1995) shall purchase their required articles and supplies from amongst such as the Prison Service may produce or manufacture, at such prices as the **[Tender Board of Namibia]** Treasury as defined in section 1 of the State Finance Act, 1991 (Act No. 31 of 1991) may from time to time determine."

Short title and commencement

3. This Act shall be called the Prisons Amendment Act, 1999, and shall come into operation on a date to be determined by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette*.