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AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS MADE UNDER THE POLICE ACT: POLICE ACT, 1990

Under section 42(1)(y) of the Police Act, 1990 (Act No. 19 of 1990), I have amended the Regulations as set out in the Schedule.

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Windhoek, 23 November 2022

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these Regulations, “the Regulations” means the Regulations published under Government Notice No. 167 of 16 September 1994, as amended by Government Notices No. 143 of 15 June 1996, No. 246 of 1 October 1998, No. 166 of 1 August 2001, No. 55 of 2 April 2002, No. 252 of 22 November 2010, No. 56 of 12 May 2011, No. 298 of 12 November 2013 and No. 238 of 27 November 2014.

Substitution of Schedule C to Regulations

2. The regulations are amended by the substitution for Schedule C to the Regulations of the following Schedule:

“SCHEDULE C**(Regulation 8 (1))****RANKS IN THE FORCE**

Member, excluding auxiliary member:

- (a) General Officers:
 - (i) Lieutenant-General;
 - (ii) Major-General; and
 - (iii) Commissioner.
- (b) Senior Commissioned Officers:
 - (i) Deputy Commissioner; and
 - (ii) Chief Inspector.
- (c) Junior Commissioned Officers:
 - (i) Senior Inspector; and
 - (ii) Inspector.
- (d) Non-Commissioned Officers:
 - (i) Warrant Officer (1);
 - (ii) Warrant Officer (2);
 - (iii) Sergeant (1);
 - (iv) Sergeant (2);
 - (v) Constable; and
 - (vi) Cadet Constable.”

Substitution of Schedule D to Regulations

3. The regulations are amended by the substitution for Schedule D to the Regulations of the following Schedule:

“SCHEDULE D**(Regulation 28 (1))****BADGES, BUTTONS AND INSIGNIA OF RANK****1. Badges**

- (a) A twelve-pointed sun, in the centre of which appears the coat-of-arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle. The words “Namibian Police” appear as circumscription on the rim of the circle, above the coat-of-arms.
- (b) A shoulder-flash depicting the National Flag of the Republic of Namibia. The words “Namibian” and “Police” appear above and below the flag, respectively, on the flash.

2. Buttons

Dome-shaped, embossed with the badge as described in paragraph 1 (a).

3. Insignia of rank

- (a) Lieutenant-General crossed sword and baton followed by three five-pointed stars, in the centre of which appears the coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle, followed by a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath;
- (b) Major-General crossed sword and baton followed by two five-pointed stars, in the centre of which appears the coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle, followed by a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath;
- (c) Commissioner crossed sword and baton followed by one five-pointed star, in the centre of which appears a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle, followed by a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath;
- (d) Deputy Commissioner two five-pointed stars, in the centre of which appears a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle followed by a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath;
- (e) Chief Inspector one five-pointed star, in the centre of which appears a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle followed by a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath;
- (f) Senior Inspector a gold-plaited coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia with the pronounced colours of the national flag;
- (g) Inspector three five-pointed stars, in the centre of which is the coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle;
- (h) Warrant Officer (1) a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a laurel wreath resting on a red base;

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| (i) | Warrant Officer (2) | a five-pointed star in the centre of which appears the coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia within a circle, within a laurel wreath; |
| (j) | Sergeant (1) | a laurel wreath of which a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia appears in the centre and a three-bar chevron below the laurel wreath; |
| (k) | Sergeant (2) | one five-pointed star of which a coat of arms of the Republic of Namibia appears in the centre within a circle and a three-bar chevron below the star; |
| (l) | Constable | no insignia is allocated to this rank; and |
| (m) | Cadet Constable | no insignia is allocated to this rank.” |
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