

TRIBAL LAND (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2020
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ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

REGULATION

1. Citation
2. Insertion of regulation 1A in Cap. 32:02 (Sub. Leg.)
3. Amendment of regulation 2 of the Regulations

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on the Minister of Land Management, Water and Sanitation Services by section 37 of the Tribal Land Act, the following Regulations are hereby made —

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Tribal Land (Amendment) Regulations, 2020. Citation

2. The Tribal Land Regulations (herein after referred to as “the Regulations”) are amended by inserting immediately after regulation 1, the following new regulation — Insertion of regulation 1A in Cap. 32:02 (Sub. Leg.)

“Selection Committee 1A. (1) There is hereby established a Land Board Selection Committee comprising the following persons appointed by the Minister —

- (a) the Permanent Secretary in the Ministry responsible for land management, who shall be the chairperson;
- (b) two public officers; and
- (c) two members of the public.

(2) The Land Board Selection Committee shall recommend to the Minister, suitable candidates for appointment as land board members.”

3. Regulation 2 of the Regulations is amended —

(a) by substituting for subregulation (2), the following new subregulation — “(2) In order for a person to qualify for appointment as a member of a land board, the applicant shall —

- (a) be a citizen of Botswana, holding a valid identity card issued under the National Registration Act;
- (b) have attained the age of 26 years and not be over the age of 70 years;
- (c) reside within the tribal area in respect of which he seeks appointment;
- (d) hold a minimum academic qualification of a secondary school junior certificate;
- (e) not have been declared insolvent or adjudged or otherwise declared bankrupt under any law in force in Botswana or elsewhere;
- (f) not have been sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine for any offence, whether in Botswana or elsewhere; or
- (g) not hold any public office, or act in any public office.”;

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- (b) in subregulation (3) by substituting for the words “Land Board Selection Committee”, the words “Land Board Selection Sub-Committee”;
- (c) in subregulation (3A) by –
 - (i) substituting for the words “Land Board Selection Committee”, the words “Land Board Selection Sub-Committee”,
 - (ii) substituting for the word “Minister”, the words “Land Board Selection Committee”, and
 - (iii) deleting the word “15” appearing therein;
- (d) in subregulation (3B) by substituting for the words “Land Board Selection Committee”, the words “Land Board Selection Sub-Committee”; and
- (e) by substituting for subregulation (11), the following new subregulation –

“(11) There is hereby established by the Land Board Selection Committee, for each land board listed in the First Schedule to the Act, a Land Board Selection Sub-Committee for the corresponding tribal area, which shall comprise of the following members appointed by the Land Board Selection Committee –

 - (a) a member of the Tribal Administration;
 - (b) two public officers; and
 - (c) two members of the public resident in the tribal area concerned.”.

MADE this 22nd day of June, 2020.

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and Sanitation Services.*