

PROCLAMATIONS.

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BY

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HIGH COMMISSIONER.

No. 14 of 1917.—PROMULGATED 8th JUNE, 1917.

WHEREAS it is desirable to amend the provisions of the Bechuanaland Protectorate Marriage Proclamation 1917 (No. 1 of 1917) in so far as it applies to marriages intended to be solemnized in the Bechuanaland Protectorate between British subjects where one of the contracting parties is resident in the United Kingdom;

Now, therefore, under and by virtue of the powers in me vested, I do hereby declare, proclaim and make known as follows:—

1. Section *nine* of the Bechuanaland Protectorate Marriages Proclamation 1917 shall be and is hereby repealed and the following section is substituted therefor:—

9. Where a marriage is intended to be solemnized in the Bechuanaland Protectorate between a British subject residing therein and a British subject resident in the United Kingdom a certificate for marriage issued by a Superintendent Registrar in England and a certificate for marriage issued by a Registrar and a certificate of proclamation of banns in Scotland, and a certificate for marriage issued by a Registrar in Ireland, shall in respect of the party resident in the United Kingdom have the same effect in the Bechuanaland Protectorate as the publication of banns in the manner provided for under the law relating to marriages in the Protectorate.

2. This Proclamation may be cited as the Bechuanaland Protectorate Marriages Amendment Proclamation 1917 and shall have force and effect from the date of its publication in the *Gazette*.