

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE No. 2 of 1935.

The following Order of His Majesty in Council entitled the Bechuanaland Protectorate Order in Council, 1934, and dated the 20th December, 1934, is hereby published for general information.

By Command of His Excellency the  
High Commissioner.

H. LESTER SMITH,  
for Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,  
Cape Town, 7th January, 1935.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace,  
the 20th day of December, 1934.

Present : THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

Whereas by an Order of Her Majesty Queen Victoria in Council dated the 9th day of May, 1891, Her Majesty was pleased to confer on the High Commissioner for South Africa power and authority in and over the Bechuanaland Protectorate.

And whereas the said Order in Council has been amended by the Order of Her Majesty Queen Victoria in Council dated the 30th day of July, 1891, and by the Order of His late Majesty King Edward the Seventh in Council dated the 18th day of October, 1909.

And whereas it has been thought expedient that the title of His Majesty's High Commissioner for South Africa should be changed to that of His Majesty's High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

Now therefore His Majesty is pleased by and with the advice of His Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Bechuanaland Protectorate Order in Council, 1934.

2. From and after the commencement of this Order all the powers jurisdiction and authorities vested in and exercised by His Majesty's High Commissioner for South Africa by virtue of the said Order in Council of the 9th day of May, 1891, as amended by the Orders in Council aforesaid shall be vested in and exercised by His Majesty's High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

3. All references to the High Commissioner for South Africa in any Order in Council which at the date of the commencement of this Order is in force in the Bechuanaland Protectorate shall be read as references to His Majesty's High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

4. This Order shall be published in the *Official Gazette* of His Majesty's High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland, and shall thereupon commence and come into operation, and the High Commissioner shall give directions for the publication of this Order at such places and in such manner and for such time or times as he thinks proper for giving due publicity thereto within the Bechuanaland Protectorate.

5. His Majesty may from time to time revoke, alter, add to or amend this Order.

E. C. E. LEADBITTER.