

BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

No. 24 of 1941.

(Promulgated 4th April, 1941.)

PROCLAMATION

By HIS EXCELLENCY THE HIGH COMMISSIONER.

Entitled the Bechuanaland Protectorate Native Labour Attestation Fee Exemption Proclamation, 1941.

Whereas it is expedient to exempt from the provisions of section *one* of the Bechuanaland Protectorate Native Labour Proclamation, 1909 (No. 7 of 1909), as amended by Proclamation No. 33 of 1931, certain contracts entered into prior to the 20th day of May, 1940, by native labourers for service outside the Territory:

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

1. All contracts under the system known as the Assisted Voluntary System entered into by natives in the Bechuanaland Protectorate prior to the 20th day of May, 1940, are hereby exempted from the provisions of section *one* of Proclamation No. 7 of 1909, as amended by Proclamation No. 33 of 1931, in so far as the said section relates to the imposition of an attestation fee. Exemption of certain contracts from attestation fee under section 1 of Proclamation No. 7 of 1909.

2. This Proclamation may be cited as the Bechuanaland Protectorate Native Labour Attestation Fee Exemption Proclamation, 1941, and shall have force and take effect from the date of publication in the *Gazette*. Short title and commencement.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Cape Town this Thirty-first day of March One thousand Nine hundred and Forty-one.

WALTER C. HUGGARD,
High Commissioner.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,
Administrative Secretary.