

Statutory Instrument No. 66 of 1967

THE CONSTITUTION OF BOTSWANA

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (DELEGATION OF POWERS) DIRECTIONS, 1967

It is hereby notified for public information that, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 111 (3) of the Constitution of Botswana His Excellency the President has approved the delegation contained in the Schedule hereto entitled "Public Service Commission (Delegation of Powers) Directions, 1967".

SCHEDULE

In exercise of the powers vested in it by section 111 (3) of the Constitution, the Public Service Commission, with the consent of the President, hereby makes the following directions —

Citation

1. These directions may be cited as the Public Service Commission (Delegation of Powers) Directions, 1967.

Interpretation

2. In these directions —

"offices of the "E" scale or in the "Z" grade" means all offices of emolument shown as offices on the "E" scale or in the "Z" grade in the Estimates for 1967/68 or which may hereafter be shown in Estimates as offices on the "E" scale or in the "Z" grade;

"responsible officer" means responsible officer as defined in section 2 as read with the First Schedule of the Public Service Commission (Supplementary Provisions) Regulations, 1965 and 1967.

Delegation

3. The Public Service Commission hereby delegates —

- (a) to the Director of Prisons power to appoint persons to offices in the Prison Service up to and including the rank of principal Warder, to exercise disciplinary control over persons holding or acting in such offices and to remove such persons from office;
- (b) to the Secretary to the Cabinet power to appoint persons to the offices of Sergeant and Security Guard in the Office of the President, to exercise disciplinary control over persons holding or acting in such offices and to remove such persons from office;
- (c) to the responsible officer power to appoint persons to offices on the "E" scale and in the "Z" grade, to exercise disciplinary control over persons holding or acting in such offices and to remove such persons from office.

Powers of Commission on Review

4. The powers hereby delegated are subject to the condition that, in the event of a review by the Commission in accordance with the provisions of section 112 (1) of the Constitution, the Commission shall have power to set aside, correct or vary any decision in the case made by the person to whom powers have been delegated under these directions.

Withdrawal and Lapse of Previous Directions

5. (1) The delegations contained in the Public Service Commission (Delegation of Powers) (Security Officers) Directions, 1967, as published in Government Notice No. 34 of 1967 and the Public Service Commission (Delegation of Powers) (Prison Officers) Directions, 1967, as published in Government Notice No. 49 of 1967 are withdrawn and the Government Notices in which such directions were published are, accordingly, cancelled.

(2) For the removal of doubt it is declared that the Control of Public Service (Delegation of Powers) Regulations, 1965, published in Legal Notice No. 42 of 1965 and the Control of Public Service (Delegation of Powers) (Amendment) Regulations, 1966, published in Legal Notice No. 25 of 1966 have lapsed.

J.C. BARRETT,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commission,
GABERONES.
6th November, 1967.