

THE GENERAL LAW AMENDMENT (MINING TOWNSHIPS IN TRIBAL TERRITORIES) ACT, 1969

No. 17



of 1969

AN ACT TO AMEND THE TOWNSHIPS PROCLAMATION (CHAPTER 120), THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING PROCLAMATION, 1961 AND THE STATE LAND LAW, 1966; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXTENSION OF THESE STATUTES TO SPECIFIED AREAS WITHIN THE TRIBAL TERRITORIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF FACILITATING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MINING TOWNSHIPS

Date of Assent: 8.7.69.

Date of Commencement: 25.7.69.

ENACTED by the Parliament of Botswana.

Short Title

1. This Act may be cited as the General Law Amendment (Mining Townships in Tribal Territories) Act, 1969.

Amendment of Section 1 of Chapter 120

2. Section 1 of the Township Proclamation (Chapter 120) is amended by the additional of the following subsection, the existing section becoming, thereby subsection (1) —

“(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (1) the President after consultation with the appropriate District Council may by order in the *Gazette* declare a place within a Tribal Territory or the said Barolong Farms to be a Township and may define the limits thereof where he is of the opinion that the declaration is desirable to facilitate the development of the mineral resources of Botswana”.

Amendment of Section 28 of Proclamation No. 33 of 1961

3. Section 28 of the Town and Country Planning Proclamation, 1961 is amended in subsection (3) by the insertion at the end thereof of “other than land within a statutory township”.

Amendment of Law No. 29 of 1966

4. The State Land Law, 1966 is amended in section 2 by the deletion of paragraph (a) of the definition of "unalienated state land" and the substitution of--

“(a) land included in any tribal territory or the Barolong Farms other than land within a township established under the Township Proclamation (Chapter 120);”.

Passed by the National Assembly this day, 25th March, 1969.

G.T. MATENGE,
Clerk of the National Assembly.