

THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1971

No. 21



of 1971

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY LAW, 1961, BY FURTHER DEFINING THE CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH PERSONS GENERATING ELECTRICITY ARE REQUIRED TO BE LICENSED.

Date of Assent : 15.6.1971

Date of Commencement : 25.6.1971

ENACTED by the Parliament of Botswana.

1. This Act may be cited as the Electricity Supply (Amendment) Act, 1971. Short title.

2. Section 4 of the Electricity Supply Law, 1961, is amended in subsection (2) – Amendment of section 4 of Law No. 25 of 1961.

- (a) by the insertion, after paragraph (a) and after paragraph (b) of “or”;
- (a) by the deletion of the full-stop after paragraph (c) and the substitution of a semi-colon; and
- (c) by the addition to the subsection of the following –
“or unless the capacity of the generating plant is 50 kilowatts or more:

Provided that where the capacity of a plant generating electricity for the private consumption and use of the person generating the same is less than 100 kilowatts and the electricity thereby generated is not generated or used within

or distributed to any such premises as are referred to in paragraph (a), (b) or (c), the Minister may in his discretion direct in any particular case that no licence shall be required.”

Passed by the National Assembly this day, 2nd April, 1971.

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