

**PRECIOUS STONES INDUSTRY (PROTECTION) (AMENDMENT)
ACT, 1973**

No. 36



of 1973

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title
2. Amendment of section 25 of Act 3 of 1969
3. Amendment of section 26

An Act to amend the Precious Stones Industry (Protection) Act, 1969

Date of Assent: 20.12.73

Date of Commencement: 28.12.73

ENACTED by the Parliament of Botswana.

1. This Act may be cited as the Precious Stones Industry (Protection) (Amendment) Act, 1973. Short title

2. Section 25 of the Precious Stones Industry (Protection) Act, 1969, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act", is amended – Amendment
of section 25
of Act 3 of
1969

- (a) in subsection (1) thereof, by inserting immediately after the words "area of land", which appear therein, the words "a building or part of a building";
- (b) in subsection (1) thereof, by inserting immediately after the words "such area", which appear therein, the words ", building or part of a building";
- (c) in subsection (2) thereof, by inserting after the words "such area", wherever they appear therein, the words ", building or part of a building", in each case; and
- (d) in subsection (4) thereof, by substituting for the word "President", which appears therein, the word "Minister".

Amendment
of section 26

3. Section 26(1) of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after paragraph (b) thereof the following new paragraph -

“(c) with the consent of the owner or lessee thereof, any area, building or part of a building, vessel or other conveyance on or in which precious stones are kept, stored, worked, cut, transported, carried or otherwise dealt with, ”.

Passed by the National Assembly this 7th day of December, 1973.

R.J. CHILUME,
Acting Clerk of the National Assembly.