

Statutory Instrument No. 143 of 1982

**LEGAL PRACTITIONERS ACT**

(Cap. 61:01)

**LEGAL PRACTITIONERS (EXAMINATIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS  
FOR ADMISSION) (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1982**

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**ARRANGEMENT OF RULES**

**RULE**

1. Citation
2. Amendment of rule 2 of S.I. 109 of 1981
3. Amendment of rule 3 of principal Rules
4. Amendment of Schedule to principal Rules

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on the Chief Justice by section 29 of the Legal Practitioners Act, the following Rules with the approval of the Minister are hereby made —

1. These Rules may be cited as the Legal Practitioners (Examinations and Qualifications for Admission) (Amendment) Rules, 1982. Citation
2. Rule 2 of the Legal Practitioners (Examinations and Qualifications for Admission) Rules (in these Rules referred to as "the principal Rules") is hereby amended in paragraph (b) thereof — Amendment  
of rule 2 of  
S.I. 109 of  
1981
  - (a) by substituting a colon for the full stop at the end of the paragraph; and
  - (b) by adding at the end of the said paragraph the following proviso —  
Provided that the provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to a candidate who has passed examinations in the subjects specified therein at the University of Botswana and Swaziland prior to obtaining a law degree at any of the universities specified in the Schedule."
3. Rule 3 of the principal rules is hereby amended — Amendment  
of rule 3  
of principal  
Rules
  - (a) by renumbering the said rule as "3 (1)"; and
  - (b) by inserting immediately after subrule (1) of rule 3, the following new subrule —  
"(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subrule (1), a candidate who has passed examinations in the subjects specified in the said subrule (1) at the University of Botswana and Swaziland prior to obtaining a law degree at any of the universities specified in the Schedule shall not be required to sit an examination in any of those subjects."
4. The Schedule to the principal Rules is hereby amended — Amendment  
of Schedule  
to principal  
Rules
  - (a) by substituting a semi-colon for the full stop appearing at the end of the words "University of Ghana"; and
  - (b) by adding at the end of the words "University of Ghana," the words "Universities in Australia."

MADE this 7th day of December, 1982.

J.A. O'BRIEN QUINN,  
*Chief Justice.*

Approved this 16th day of December, 1982.

D.K. KWELAGOBE,  
*Minister of the Public  
Service and Information.*