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OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER

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PROMULGATION OF ACT OF PARLIAMENT

The following Act which has been passed by the Parliament and signed by the President in terms of the Namibian Constitution is hereby published in terms of Article 56 of that Constitution.

No. 22 of 1994: Pharmacy Professions Amendment Act, 1994.

**PHARMACY PROFESSIONS AMENDMENT
ACT, 1994**

EXPLANATORY NOTE:

- _____ Words underlined with solid line indicate insertions in existing enactments.
- [] Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing enactments.

ACT

To amend the Pharmacy Profession Act 1993, so as to provide that pharmacists' assistants and pharmaceutical technicians shall be entitled to vote in elections of members of the Pharmacy Board; to provide that only pharmacists registered in terms of the Act shall be eligible as candidates for election at the first election of such members; to provide that only pharmacists, pharmacists' assistants and pharmaceutical technicians registered in terms of the Act shall be entitled to vote in such first election; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

(Signed by the President on 23 September 1994)

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of Namibia, as follows:-

Amendment of section 5 of Act 23 of 1993.

1. Section 5 of the Pharmacy Profession Act, 1993, is hereby amended -

(a) by the substitution for subsection (2) of the following subsection:

“(2) The members of the Board of which the number thereof has been determined in terms of the provisions of subsection (1) shall be elected in the prescribed manner and in accordance with the prescribed procedures, by pharmacists, pharmacists' assistants and pharmaceutical technicians, who shall be Namibian citizens or lawfully admitted to Namibia for permanent residence therein, and resident in Namibia.”;

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- (b) by the substitution for subsection (3) of the following subsection:

“(3) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary contained in subsection (2), any meeting for the first election of members of the Board shall be convened and presided over by the Minister ~~[of]~~ or any person designated by the Minister for that purpose, who shall determine the procedures to be followed at such meeting, including the time, date and place of such meeting, notice of such meeting to the persons concerned, the quorum for such meeting, the nomination of candidates, the manner in which the election shall be conducted and any other matter incidental to such election.”;

- (c) by the substitution for subsection (6) of the following subsection:

“(6) Notwithstanding the provisions of this section -

- (a) no person, including a person who, by virtue of section 55(1), is deemed to be registered as a pharmacist, shall be eligible as a candidate for election at;
- (b) no person, including a person who, by virtue of the said section 55(1), is deemed to be registered as a pharmacist, shall be entitled to vote in,

the first election of members of the Board contemplated in subsection (3), unless such person has been registered as a pharmacist, pharmacist's assistant or pharmaceutical technician under the provisions of this Act by the Minister exercising such power by virtue of section 56.”.

Short title.

2. This Act shall be called the Pharmacy Profession Amendment Act, 1994.