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**Government Notice** 

## OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER

No. 79 2010

# 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. 2 of 2010: Prisons Amendment Act, 2010.

# Act No. 2, 2010 PRISONS AMENDMENT ACT, 2010 EXPLANATORY NOTE: Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing provisions. Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing provisions.

# **ACT**

To amend the Prisons Act, 1998, so as to empower the Minister to amend the First Schedule to that Act and to substitute the First Schedule to that Act.

(Signed by the President on 12 April 2010)

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

## Insertion of section 7A in Act 17 of 1998

**1.** The following section is inserted after section 7 of the Prisons Act, 1998 (hereafter referred to as the principal Act):

## "Amendment of the First Schedule

**7A.** The Minister may by notice in the *Gazette* amend the First Schedule to this Act.

# Substitution of the First Schedule of Act 17 of 1998

**2.** The following schedule is substituted for the First Schedule of the principal Act:

## "FIRST SCHEDULE

Senior Prison Members: Deputy Commissioner of Prisons

Senior Assistant Commissioner

Assistant Commissioner Chief Superintendent Superintendent

Junior Prison Members: Senior Chief Correctional Officer

Chief Correctional Officer Senior Correctional Officer Correctional Officer II Correctional Officer I".

#### **Short title**

**3.** This Act is called the Prisons Amendment Act, 2010.