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AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS UNDER IDENTIFICATION ACT: IDENTIFICATION ACT, 1996

Under section 17 of the Identification Act, 1996 (Act No. 21 of 1996) I have amended the regulations set out in the Schedule.

F. KAPOFI
MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS
AND IMMIGRATION

Windhoek, 22 January 2020

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these regulations “the Regulations” means the Regulations under the Identification Act, published under Government Notice No. 96 of 18 May 2001 as amended by Government Notice No. 136 of 13 July 2018.

Substitution of regulation 3 of Regulations

2. The Regulations are amended by the substitution for regulation 3 of the following regulation:

“Issue of identity documents

3. An identity document issued in terms of section 5 of the Act shall be in the form of a card, a specimen of which is set out in Annexure C, and -

- (a) when issued to a Namibian citizen, be blue in colour; and
- (b) when issued to a non-citizen who is the holder of a permanent residence permit, be pink in colour,

and shall in addition to the particulars mentioned in section 5(3)(a) to (d) of the Act contain the signature or mark of the person to whom it was issued and -


- (i) a machine readable zone; and
- (ii) a quick response code ”.

Substitution of Annexure C of Regulations

3. The Regulations are amended by the substitution for Annexure C of the following Annexure:

“Annexure C

Namibian National Identity Card
(Regulation 3)

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA NATIONAL IDENTITY CARD		
<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 100px; margin: 0 auto;"></div> <p>Photograph of holder of Identity Card</p>	No.	
	SURNAME	
	FIRST NAME(S)	
	<i>SPACE FOR SIGNATURE</i>	

DATE OF BIRTH	CITIZENSHIP	<div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 100px; height: 100px; margin: 0 auto;"></div> <p>Quick Response Code</p>
PLACE / COUNTRY OF BIRTH		
GENDER	HEIGHT/m	EYE COLOUR
DATE OF ISSUE		
APPL.. NO.		
MACHINE READABLE ZONE		