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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. 2 of 2023: Extradition Amendment Act, 2023.

Act No. 2, 2023

EXTRADITION AMENDMENT ACT, 2023

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 Extradition Act, 1996 so as to delete the ground of refusal of extradition where a person is convicted in his or her absence by a court in a requesting country.

(Signed by the President on 14 July 2023)

BE IT ENACTED by Parliament, and assented to by the President, of the Republic of Namibia, as follows:

Amendment of section 5 of Act No. 11 of 1996

1. Section 5 of the Extradition Act, 1996 is amended by the deletion of paragraph (a) of subsection (2).

Short title

2. This Act is called the Extradition Amendment Act, 2023.
