

Republic of Namibia

Annotated Statutes

REGULATIONS

REGULATIONS MADE IN TERMS OF

Microlending Act 7 of 2018

section 36(1)(e)

Regulations relating to Maximum Penalty Interest Chargeable by Microlenders in Event of Default by Borrowers

Government Notice 263 of 2018 (GG 6736)

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ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

- 1. Definitions
- 2. Maximum penalty interest chargeable by microlenders in event of default by borrowers

Definitions

1. In these regulations a word or an expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Microlending Act, 2018 (Act No. 7 of 2018) bears that meaning.

Maximum penalty interest chargeable by microlenders in event of default by borrowers

- **2.** (1) A microlender may not, in connection with any microlending transaction, stipulate for, demand or receive a penalty interest in excess of five percent per month on the arrear instalment in the event of a default by a borrower.
- (2) Despite subregulation (1), a microlender may not, in connection with a microlending transaction, charge the penalty interest referred to in that subregulation for a period of more than three months.