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PROCLAMATION

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AND WHEREAS section 237(2) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe, 2013, provides that a member of an Independent Commission may be removed from office only on the ground that the member concerned has been guilty of gross misconduct;

WHEREAS section 187(4) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe, 2013, provides that the President may, when he considers it advisable, appoint a tribunal consisting of at least three members;

AND WHEREAS the President issued a Proclamation in Statutory Instrument 229 of 2020, establishing the Tribunal to inquire into the question of removal from office of Deputy Chairperson of the Zimbabwe Land Commission, Tadious Muzoroza and Commissioner Jeanette Marrie Manjengwa of the Zimbabwe Land Commission;

AND WHEREAS certain amendments to the period of hearing of the inquiry are necessary:

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the powers vested in the President as afore-said, I do hereby, by this proclamation amend the Proclamation published in Statutory Instrument 229 of 2020, by the insertion in paragraph (d) of “with an option of an extension of six months after expiry of the initial five months”, after “swearing in of members”.

Given under the hand and the Public Seal of Zimbabwe at Harare, this 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-one.
Proclamation 1 of 2021

E. D. MNANGAGWA,
President.

By Command of the President.
Proclamation 2 of 2021

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WHEREAS section 237(2) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe, 2013, provides that a member of an Independent Commission may be removed from office only on the ground that the member concerned has been guilty of gross misconduct;

AND WHEREAS section 187(4) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe, 2013, provides that the President may, when he considers it advisable, appoint a tribunal consisting of at least three members;

AND WHEREAS the President issued a Proclamation in Statutory Instrument 228 of 2020, establishing the Tribunal to inquire into the question of removal from office of Commissioner Frank Muchengwa of the Zimbabwe Anti-Corruption Commission;

AND WHEREAS certain amendments to the period of hearing of the inquiry are necessary:

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the powers vested in the President as afore-said, I do hereby, by this proclamation amend the Proclamation published in Statutory Instrument 228 of 2020, by the insertion in paragraph (d) of “with an option of an extension of six months after expiry of the initial five months”, after “swearing in of members”.

Given under the hand and the Public Seal of Zimbabwe at Harare, this 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-one.
E. D. MNANGAGWA,
President.

By Command of the President.
Statutory Instrument 60 of 2021.

[CONSTITUTION]

Proclamation 3 of 2021

PROCLAMATION

by


WHEREAS section 187(1) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe, 2013, provides that a judge may be removed from office only for inability to perform the functions of his or her office, due to mental or physical incapacity, gross incompetence or gross misconduct;

AND WHEREAS section 187(3) of the Constitution of Zimbabwe provides that if the Judicial Service Commission advises the President that the question of removing a judge from office ought to be investigated, the President must appoint a tribunal to inquire into the matter;

AND WHEREAS the President issued a Proclamation in Statutory Instrument 261B of 2020, establishing the Tribunal to inquire into the question of removal from office of Honourable Ms Justice Erica Fungai Ndewere;

AND WHEREAS certain amendments to the period of hearing of the inquiry are necessary:

NOW THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the powers vested in the President as afore-said, I do hereby, by this proclamation amend Proclamation 7 of 2020, published in Statutory Instrument 261B of 2020, by the insertion in paragraph (d) of “with an option of an extension of six months” after “swearing in of members”.

Given under the hand and the Public Seal of Zimbabwe at Harare this 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-one.
Proclamation 3 of 2021

E. D. MNANGAGWA,
President.

By Command of the President.
IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Health and Child Care has, in terms of section 8(1) of the Public Health (COVID-19 Prevention, Containment and Treatment) Regulations, 2020 (published in Statutory Instrument 77 of 2020) made the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Public Health (COVID-19 Prevention, Containment and Treatment) (National Lockdown) (No. 2) (Amendment) Order, 2021 (No. 16).

2. The Public Health (COVID-19 Prevention, Containment and Treatment) (National Lockdown) (No. 2) Order, 2020, published in statutory instrument 200 of 2020 (hereinafter called “the principal order”), is amended in section 4 (“National lockdown”) (1) (d) by the deletion of “to the extend” and the substitution of “to the extent”.

3. Section 5 (“Prohibition of gatherings”) (1) of the principal order is amended in subsection (1)—
   (a) in paragraph (a) by the deletion of “not more than one hundred (100) persons at a time” and the substitution of “not more than fifty (50) persons at a time”;
   (b) in paragraph (a) by the deletion of “not more than one hundred (100) persons at a time” and the substitution of “not more than thirty (30) persons at a time”;
   (c) in paragraph (i) by the deletion of “not more than one hundred (100) adult individuals” and the substitution of “not more than fifty (50) adult individuals”;
   (d) in paragraph (k) by the deletion of “not more than one hundred (100) adult individuals” and the substitution of “not more than fifty (50) adult individuals”.

4. Section 17 (“Part V exempted persons”—
   (a) by the repeal subsection (1) and the substitution of—
   “(1) Subject to this section, for the duration of the national lockdown, persons operating or employed
in a business or industry in the formal commercial and industrial sector shall be regarded as persons employed in an essential service for the purposes of section 4(1)(a)(iii) and section 5(1)(g):

Provided that, for the duration of the national lockdown or unless earlier prescribed otherwise, gymnastic clubs shall remain closed for business.

(b) in subsection (6) by the deletion of “close no later than 1830 hours” and the substitution of “close no later than 1900 hours”.

5. Section 19C (“Special provisions for liquor licensees”) is amended by the insertion of the following subsection after subsection (3)—

“(4) Notwithstanding subsection (2)(b), for the duration of the national lockdown or unless earlier prescribed otherwise, the liquor licensees there mentioned may not sell liquor.”.

6. Section 25 (“Curfew, limitation of business hours and other measures affecting businesses”) of the principal order is amended

(a) by the repeal subsection (2) and the substitution of—

“(2) There shall be in force a curfew beginning at 2200 hours and ending at 0530 hours on the following day;

(b) in subsection (6) by the repeal of paragraphs (a) and the substitution of—

“(a) every supermarket, food retail store, fuel outlet, hunting safari operator, professional hunter and non-essential business shall open not earlier than 0800 hours and close no later than 1900 hours on every business day;

(a1) every restaurant shall (to the extent it is permitted to operate by this order) open not earlier than 0800 hours and close no later than 1900 hours on every business day.
7. The principal order is amended by the insertion after section 26 of the following sections—

“Proof of certain matters

26A. Wherever in this order any person bears the burden of proving to the satisfaction of an enforcement officer that he or she is lawfully outside his or her home by reason of being covered by any exception prescribed by this order, such person may, in the absence of proof in the form of a letter from an employer or other appropriate letter, discharge his or her burden by any other means satisfactory to the enforcement officer.”.