

PRESIDENTIAL EMOLUMENTS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2013

(Act 31 of 2013)

I assent

J. A. Michel President

31st December, 2013

AN ACT to amend the Presidential Emoluments Act (Cap 177).

ENACTED by the President and the National Assembly.

1.(1) This Act may be cited as the Presidential Emoluments (Amendment) Act, 2013.

Short title and commencement

(2) It shall come into operation on the 1st day of July, 2014.

Amendment of Chap 177

- 2. The Presidential Emoluments Act is hereby amended as follows—
 - (a) in section 2, by repealing paragraph (a) and substituting therefor, the following paragraph, namely—
 - "(a) a monthly salary of a sum specified at step 1 of salary band-20 of the Public Service Salary Table under the Public Service Salary Act, 2013, which shall on completion of each 12 month be progressed to the next step in accordance with that salary band; and";
 - (b) in section 3(1) by repealing the words, figure, brackets and letter "monthly salary of the President under section 2(a); and", and substituting therefor the words, figure, brackets and letter "monthly salary of the President in salary band, referred to in section 2(a), at which the person ceased to hold office as such; and";
 - (c) by inserting after section 3 the following new sections, namely—

"Number of years in office to be taken into consideration 3A. The salary of the President in office on the commencement of the Presidential Emoluments (Amendment) Act, 2013, shall be the salary in salary band-20 referred to in section 2(a), depending on the number of years that the President has held office as such under the Constitution after the 21st June, 1993.

Re-fixation of pension

3B. The pension of a person, who is in receipt of such pension under section

3(1)(a) on the date of the commencement of the Presidential Emoluments (Amendment) Act, 2013, shall, on such commencement, be re-fixed based on the salary of the President that the President would have earned in the salary band-20 referred to in section 2(a), depending on the number of years the President would have held the office as such had the President ceased office on the date of such commencement.

No person to be affected adversely 3C. No person shall, on the commencement of the Presidential Emoluments (Amendment) Act, 2013, be affected adversely and shall continue to enjoy the salary, gratuity or pension no less favourable than those enjoyed by them before such commencement.":

(d) by repealing section 4.

I certify that this is a correct copy of the Bill which was passed by the National Assembly on 19th December, 2013.

Azarel Ernesta

Clerk to a National Assembly