

## SEYCHELLES AGRICULTURAL AGENCY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2016

(Act 20 of 2016)

I assent

REPHILL CO. SELO

J. A. Michel President

5th September, 2016

AN ACT to amend the Seychelles Agricultural Agency Act (Cap 309).

**ENACTED** by the President and the National Assembly.

1. This Act may be cited as the Seychelles Short title Agricultural Agency (Amendment) Act, 2016.

Amendment of Cap 309

- 2. The Seychelles Agricultural Agency Act is hereby amended as follows—
  - (a) in section 2, by inserting, after the definition of "Chief Executive Officer" the following definition—

""Deputy Chief Executive Officer" means the Deputy Chief Executive Officer appointed under section 7A;";

- (b) by inserting after subsection (2) of section 7, the following subsection—
  - "(3) The Chief Executive Officer may delegate any of his or her responsibilities to the Deputy Chief Executive Officer or to an employee of the Agency";
- (c) by inserting after section 7, the following section—

Appointment and function of Deputy Chief Executive Officer "7A.(1) The President shall appoint a person who the President considers is suitably qualified and experienced to be Deputy Chief Executive Officer of the Agency on such terms and conditions as the President may determine.

- (2) The Deputy Chief Executive Officer may act in the office of the Chief Executive Officer—
  - (a) during the vacancy in the office of the Chief Executive Officer; or

- (b) during any period in which the Chief Executive Officer is absent from duty for any reason or is unable to perform the functions of that office; and
- (c) perform such other functions as the Chief Executive Officer may delegate."

I certify that this is a correct copy of the Bill which was passed by the National Assembly on 30th August, 2016.

Ms. Shelda Commettant Clerk to the National Assembly