

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

ACT

No. 14 of 1995

Date of Assent: 21st April, 1995

An Act to amend the Explosives Act

[28th April, 1995

ENACTED by the Parliament of Zambia.

1. This Act may be cited as the Explosives (Amendment) Act, 1995, and shall be read as one with the Explosives Act, in this Act referred to as the principal Act.

2. Section *two* of the principal Act is amended in the definition of " explosives "—

(a) in paragraph (a) by the insertion of " any watergel explosives, any emulsion explosives ," immediately after the words " blasting powder ," ; and

(b) in paragraph (b) by the insertion of " electric or non-electric " , immediately before the word " detonator " .

3. The principal Act is amended by the deletion of " Assistant Chief " wherever it appears and the substitution therefor of the words " Deputy Chief " .

4. Section *eight* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by the deletion of " not exceeding one thousand kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding fifty thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding five years " .

5. Section *ten* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (4) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months " .

6. Section *eleven* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (5) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months " .

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- Amendment of section 12 7. Section *twelve* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (7) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months ".
- Amendment of section 13 8. Section *thirteen* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months ".
- Amendment of section 14 9. Section *fourteen* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by the deletion of " not exceeding one thousand kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding fifty thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding five years ".
- Amendment of section 15 10. Section *fifteen* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by the deletion of " not exceeding one thousand kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding fifty thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding five years ".
- Amendment of section 17 11. Section *seventeen* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months ".
- Amendment of section 19 12. Section *nineteen* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (3) by the deletion of " not exceeding four hundred kwacha or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding twelve months " and the substitution therefor of the words " not exceeding twenty-five thousand penalty units or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and six months ".

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