GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT No. 22 of 2014

The Inquiries Act (Laws, Volume 4, Cap. 41)

The Legal and Justice Sector Reforms Commission

THE COMMISSION in the Schedule hereto, issued by the President, is published in accordance with section *two* of the Inquiries Act.

Lusaka 5th March, 2014 R. Msiska (Dr.), Secretary to the Cabinet

SCHEDULE

A COMMISSION

THE PRESIDENT, MR. MICHAEL CHILUFYA SATA, President of the Republic of Zambia—

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- 1. Justice Fredrick Chomba, RTD, Esq.
- 2. Musa Mwenye, Sc, Esq
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- 14. Geoffrey Sakulanda, Esq
- 15. Dr. Ernest Beele, Eso
- 16. Enock Mulembe, Esq.
- 17. Ms. Emily Sikazwe
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- 19. Lee Habasonda, Esq
- 20. Patrick Chisanga, Esq.
- 21. Ms. Maria Kawimbe

GREETINGS

WHEREAS in my opinion it is advisable for the public welfare to appoint Commissioners to inquire into the matters hereinafter set out:

Now THEREFORE, by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Inquiries Act, I do, by this Commission referred to as the Legal and Justice Sector Reforms Commission, under my hand and the public seal of the Republic of Zambia appoint you the said—

- 1. Justice Fredrick Chomba, RTD, Esq.
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to be Commissioners with all the powers of the said Act conferred and I do hereby authorise and require you in the manner of the said Act provided—

To inquire into:

- (a) the existing organisational structure of the legal and justice system so as to identify the challenges faced by the legal and justice system institutional framework;
- (b) the inter-relationship and co-ordination between the various legal and justice institutions so as to identify the constraints in the sector and make recommendations to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of the legal and justice delivery system;
- (c) the accessibility and affordability of justice by the citizens;
- (d) the culture of enhancing human rights by law enforcement agencies in conjunction with the judiciary and other stakeholders;
- (e) a judicial structure and system which is independent and accountable to the citizens;
- (f) the system of legal training, education and practice;
- (g) the system of recruitment, appointment and promotion of judicial officers and revocation of such appointments;
- (h) the operation, administration and management of the legal aid system;
- (i) the system of declaration of assets by judicial officers;

- (j) the practice of delivery by unanimous judgements by the Supreme Court of Zambia; and
- (k) any other matters related or incidental to the matters specified under paragraphs (a) to (i);

The Commission Chairperson shall be Justice Fredrick Chomba, RTD, Esq and the Vice-Chairperson shall be Mr. Musa Mwenye, Sc. Esq:

The Commission Secretary shall be Mrs. Maria Mapani Kawimbe and the Commission Deputy Secretaries shall be Mr. Nzovwa Chomba, Mr. Charles Katunda and Mr. Mathews Zulu:

AND I hereby authorise the Commissioners to engage the services of such advisers and experts as they may consider necessary to aid and assist them in the said inquiry;

AND I lastly do hereby command all persons whom it may concern to take due notice hereof and give their obedience accordingly.

GIVEN under my hand and the Public Seal of the Republic of Zambia at Lusaka this 5th day of March, the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Fourteen.



MICHAEL C. SATA,

President

Lusaka 5th March, 2014 [co.74/3/1]