

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 25 OF 2015

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

A Commission

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

LUSAKA
12th May, 2015
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DR R. MSISKA,
Secretary to the Cabinet

SCHEDULE
A COMMISSION

THE PRESIDENT AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, MR EDGAR
CHAGWA LUNGU, President of the Republic of Zambia—

To:

1. Dr Roland Msiska—*Chairperson*
2. Mr Fredson Yamba—*Vice-Chairperson*
3. Dr Peter Mwaba
4. Mr Charles Sipanje
5. Mrs Patricia D. Jere
6. Ms Rose Salukatula
7. Maj. Gen. Bobby Lubaya
8. Maj. Gen. Davy Muma
9. Maj. Gen. Alick Kamiji
10. Brig. Gen. William Sikazwe
11. Brig. Gen. Moses Phiri
12. Brig. Gen. Alex Mateya Malichi
13. Brig. Gen. Micheal Mbewe
14. Mr Oliver Mhango
15. Mr Ranford Simumbwe—*Secretary*
16. Mr Makelo Mulele—*Vice-Secretary*

GREETINGS:

WHEREAS in my opinion it is advisable for the public welfare to appoint the Commission 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 under my hand and the public seal of the Republic of Zambia, appoint you the said—

1. Dr Roland Msiska—*Chairperson*
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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 status of the Defence Force equipment holding, and make recommendations regarding the equipment in order to address the current operational challenges of the Defence Force;
- (b) Defence Force funding mechanisms, and recommend a financing model that would provide funds for infrastructure development, rehabilitation of equipment and acquisition of new equipment for purposes of the Defence Force;
- (c) Defence Force Manpower Holding, and make recommendations on human resource recruitment, retention and development;
- (d) Defence Industry, specifically ZamCapitol, Mulungushi Textiles and Mupepetwe Engineering, and evaluate performance and make appropriate recommendations; and
- (e) matters connected with, or incidental to the foregoing and make the necessary recommendations and an appropriate roadmap to modernise the Zambia Defence Force.

AND I hereby appoint Dr Roland Msiska, Secretary to the Cabinet to be the Chairperson and Mr Fredson Yamba to be the Vice-Chairperson of the said Commission;

AND I hereby appoint Mr Ranford Simumbwe to be Secretary and Mr Makelo Mulele to be the Vice-Secretary for the purposes of the said Inquiry;

AND I hereby direct that you shall take or subscribe the oath or affirmation required by the Act before the Minister of Defence;

AND I hereby direct that the Chairperson or the Vice-Chairperson sitting with not less than six members shall constitute a quorum;

AND I hereby direct that the said Inquiry shall be held in private, in Lusaka and in such other places as the Commission may consider necessary;

AND I hereby direct that the report of the Commission be rendered to me not later than ninety days from the date of appointment of the Commission;

AND I hereby authorise the Commission to engage the services of such advisers and experts as it may consider necessary to assist it 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; and

GIVEN under my hand and the Public Seal of the Republic of Zambia at Lusaka this 12th day of May, the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Fifteen.



LUSAKA
12th May, 2015

EDGAR C. LUNGU,
President

