GOVERNMENT NOTICE
No. 119 Promulgation of Nursing Professions Amendment Act, 1998 (Act No. 10 of 1998), of the Parliament

Government Notice

OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER
No.119 1998

PROMULGATION OF ACT OF PARLIAMENT

The following Act which has been passed by the Parliament and signed by the President in terms of the Namibian Constitution is hereby published in terms of Article 56 of that Constitution.

EXPLANATORY NOTE:

Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing provisions.

Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing provisions.

ACT

To amend the Nursing Professions Act, 1993, so as to make a different provision for the term of office of the members of the Nursing Board.

(Signed by the President on 29 May 1998)

BE IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of Namibia, as follows: -

Amendment of section 5 of Act 30 of 1993, as amended by section 3 of Act 21 of 1994

1. Section 5 of the Nursing Professions Act, 1993, is amended -

(a) by the substitution for subsection (4) of the following subsection:

“(4) Any member of the Board shall, subject to subsection (4A), hold office for a period of three years and shall, at the expiry of such period, be eligible for re-election.”; and

(b) by the insertion after subsection (4) of the following subsection:

“(4A) Notwithstanding subsection (4) -

(a) any person elected as a member of the Board prior to the commencement of the Nursing Professions Amendment Act, 1998, shall be deemed to have been so elected for a period of office of four years;
(b) the Minister may by notice in the Gazette extend the period of office of the members of the Board referred to in paragraph (a) for a period not exceeding one year.”.

Short title

2. This Act shall be called the Nursing Professions Amendment Act, 1998.