



THE GAMBIA

NO. 6 OF 2004.

Assented to by The President,
this day of , 2004.

YAHYA A. J. J. JAMMEH
President.



AN ACT to amend the National Printing and Stationery Corporation Act, 1998 to provide for the merging of the Book Production and Material Resources Unit with the National Printing and Stationery Corporation and to make provisions for matter connected therewith.

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ENACTED by the President and the National Assembly.

- Short title and commencement
1. This Act may be cited as the National Printing and Stationery Corporation (Amendment) Act, 2004 and shall come into force on a date to be appointed by the Secretary of State by an Order published in the Gazette.

- Interpretation
2. In this Act -

Act No. 12 of 1998

Amendment principal Act

"principal Act" means the National Printing and Stationery Corporation Act, 1998.

3. The principal Act is amended by substituting for the words "National Printing and Stationery Corporation" wherever they occur, the words "Gambia Printing and Publishing Corporation."

Amendment of section 3

4. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended by inserting immediately after subsection (1), the following new subsection -

"(1A) The unit formerly known as the Book Production and Material Resources Unit is hereby merged with the National Printing and Stationery Corporation to form the Gambia Printing and Publishing Corporation."

Amendment of section 4

5. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) by-

- (a) deleting the word "and" at the end of paragraph (h);
- (b) substituting for the full stop at the end of paragraph (i), a semi colon; and
- (c) inserting immediately after paragraph (i) the following new paragraphs-
 - "(j) distributing text books and other materials to schools, especially primary and junior secondary schools throughout the country;
 - (k) producing supplementary reading material for schools;

Amendment of section 17

6. Section 17 of the principal Act is amended by -

- (a) re-numbering the section as section 17 (1); and
- (b) inserting immediately after section 17 (1), as re-numbered, the following new subsections -
 - "(2) The former assets, liabilities and obligations of the National Printing and Stationery Corporation and the Book Production and Material Resources Unit are hereby transferred to the Gambia Printing and Publishing Corporation.
 - (3) For the avoidance of doubt, at the coming into force of this Act, all assets, rights and obligations of the National

Printing and Stationery Corporation and the Book Production and Materials Resources Unit shall vest in the Gambia Printing and Publishing Corporation."

PASSED in the National Assembly this
in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand and Four

Clerk of the National Assembly

M. S. JALLOW

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THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the which was passed in the National Assembly, and found by me to be a true and correct of the said Bill.

PETROLEUM (EXPLORATION, DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION) ACT, 2004

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