

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

**ACT**

No. 9 of 2011

I hereby signify my assent to the Bill

Date of Assent: 12th April, 2011

**An Act to amend the Zambia Institute of Advanced  
Legal Education Act, 1996.**

[15th April, 2011

ENACTED by the Parliament of Zambia.

Enactment

1. This Act may be cited as the Zambia Institute of Advanced Legal Education (Amendment) Act, 2011, and shall be read as one with the Zambia Institute of Advanced Legal Education Act, 1996, in this Act referred to as the principal Act.

Short title

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2. Section *five* of the principal Act is amended—

Amendment  
of section 5

(a) in subsection (1), by the insertion, immediately after the word “ members ”, of the words “ appointed by the Minister ”; and

(b) by the deletion of subsection (4) and the substitution therefor of the following new subsection:

(4) The Director shall be an *ex-officio* member of the Council.

3. Section *six* of the principal Act is amended by the deletion of subsection (1) and the substitution therefor of the following:

Amendment  
of section 6

(1) A member, other than the members referred to in paragraphs (a), (c) and (d) of section *five* shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of the member’s appointment and is eligible for re-appointment for a further period of three years.

4. Section *nine* of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) by the deletion, immediately after the words “ shall be ”, of the word “ five ” and the substitution therefor of the word “ seven ”.

Amendment  
of section 9

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of section  
10A5. Section *tenA* of the principal Act is amended—

(a) in subsection (1)—

(i) by the insertion, immediately after the word “members”, of the words “appointed by the Council”; and

(ii) by the insertion, in paragraph (a), immediately after the words “Chief Justice” of a comma and the words “who shall be the Chairperson”;

(b) in subsection (2), by the deletion, immediately after the word “The”, of the words “Chairperson and the”; and

(c) by the insertion, immediately after subsection (3), of the following new subsections:

(4) A member of the Accreditation Committee shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of the member's appointment and is eligible for re-appointment for a further period of three years.

(5) The Council may remove a member if the member—

(a) is absent without reasonable excuse from three consecutive meetings of the Accreditation Committee of which the member has had notice;

(b) ceases to hold the office by virtue of which the member was appointed;

(c) is adjudged bankrupt;

(d) is mentally or physically incapable of performing the duties of a member of the Accreditation Committee;

(e) is convicted of an offence under any written law and sentenced to imprisonment for a term of *six* months or more; or

(f) is declared to be of unsound mind.;

(d) by the re-numbering of subsections (4) and (5) as subsection (5) and (6), respectively; and

(e) by the insertion of the following new subsection:

(7) Subsections (2) to (9) of section *nine* and sections *eleven* and *twelve* apply to the Accreditation Committee.

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