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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

No. 1512.

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It is hereby notified that the President has assented to the following Act which is hereby published for general information:—

48 of 1995: Public Holidays Amendment Act, 1995.

KANTOOR VAN DIE PRESIDENT

No. 1512.

4 Oktober 1995

Hierby word bekend gemaak dat die President sy goedkeuring geheg het aan die onderstaande Wet wat hierby ter algemene inligting gepubliseer word:—

No. 48 van 1995: Wysigingswet op Openbare Vakansiedae, 1995.

**GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE:**

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

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## ACT

To amend the Public Holidays Act, 1994, so as to empower the President to declare any day to be a public holiday; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

*(English text signed by the President.)*  
*(Assented to 28 September 1995.)*

**B**E IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of South Africa, as follows:—

**Amendment of section 1 of Act 36 of 1994**

1. Section 1 of the Public Holidays Act, 1994 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), is hereby amended by the substitution in subsection (1) for the definition of "public holidays" of the following definition: 5

" 'public holidays' means the days mentioned in Schedule 1 and any other day declared to be a public holiday under section 2A;"

**Insertion of section 2A in Act 36 of 1994**

2. The following section is hereby inserted in the principal Act after section 2: 10

**"Declaration of public holidays**

2A. The President may by proclamation in the *Gazette* declare any day to be a public holiday throughout the Republic or any part thereof."

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**Short title**

3. This Act shall be called the Public Holidays Amendment Act, 1995.