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

No. 28 of 1983: Education and Culture Laws Amendment Act, 1983.

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

No. 28 van 1983: Wysigingswet op Onderwys- en Kultuurwette, 1983.

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EDUCATION AND CULTURE LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1983

#### GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE.

Words in existing er

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

Words underlined with solid line indicate insertions in existing enactments.

## ACT

To amend the Correspondence Colleges Act, 1965, so as to amend the definition of "Minister"; and to make further provision in respect of expenditure from the Correspondence College Fidelity Guarantee Fund; to amend the Educational Services Act, 1967, so as to provide that certain rules shall be made only with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance; and to increase certain fines; to amend the Cultural Institutions Act, 1969, relating to the functions of the councils of declared institutions; to amend the Mentally Retarded Children's Training Act, 1974, so as to provide for accounting records in connection with the affairs of state-aided training centres to be kept, for the auditing of such records and for the submission of certain financial statements to the Director-General: National Education; and to further provide for the delegation of powers by the Minister of National Education and the said Director-General; to amend the Technical Colleges Act, 1981, so as to amend the definition of "post school education"; and to provide for the appointment by a college council of committees of the council and for the delegation of powers by a college council to certain committees so appointed; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

> (English text signed by the State President.) (Assented to 23 March 1983.)

**B**E IT ENACTED by the State President and the House of Assembly of the Republic of South Africa, as follows:—

Amendment of section 1 of Act 59 of 1965.

1. Section 1 of the Correspondence Colleges Act, 1965, is hereby amended by the substitution for the definition of "Minister" of the following definition:

"'Minister' means the Minister of [Education, Arts and Science] National Education;".

Amendment of section 25 of Act 59 of 1965.

2. Section 25 of the Correspondence Colleges Act, 1965, is hereby amended by the insertion after paragraph (e) of the following paragraph:

"(eA) all expenses incurred by the Council in respect of in-

vestigations in terms of section 13 (2);".

Amendment of section 13 of Act 41 of 1967, as amended by section 1 of Act 60 of 1972 and section 4 of Act 16 of 1982.

- 3. Section 13 of the Educational Services Act, 1967, is hereby amended—
  - (a) by the addition to subsection (1A) of the following 15 paragraph:
    - (c) Any rule affecting State income or expenditure shall be made by the Minister under paragraph (a) only with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance.";

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(b) by the substitution in subsection (4) for the words following on paragraph (c) of the following words: shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding [five hundred rand]

R1 000 or to imprisonment for a period not ex- 5 ceeding twelve months.";

(c) by the substitution for subsection (6) of the following subsection:

"(6) Any person who fails to comply with a notice referred to in subsection (5) (c) (ii) shall be guilty of an 10 offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding [two hundred rand] R500 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months."; and

(d) by the substitution for subsection (8) of the following subsection:

"(8) Any person who contravenes the provisions of subsection (7) shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding [five hundred rand] R1 000 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding twelve months.".

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Amendment of section 8 of Act 29 of 1969. as amended by section 12 of Act 11 of 1981.

4. Section 8 of the Cultural Institutions Act, 1969, is hereby

(a) by the deletion of the word "and" at the end of paragraph (d) of subsection (1) and the insertion after the said paragraph of the following paragraph:

"(dA) to determine subject to the provisions of this Act the objects and functions of its declared institution with the approval of the Minister; and"; by the addition of the following subsection:

"(3) The Minister may publish the objects and func- 30 tions of a declared institution determined under subsection (1) (dA) in the Gazette.".

Insertion of section 24A in Act 63 of 1974.

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5. The following section is hereby inserted in the Mentally Retarded Children's Training Act, 1974, after section 24:

24A. (1) The governing body of a state-aided train- 35 "Bookkeeping by state-aided training (a) keep such accounting records as are necessary to centres and (a) keep such accounting records as are necessary to annual finanfairs of the centre; cial state-ments to Di- (b)

in respect of each financial year of the centre 40 make out such financial statements as may be required by the Director-General, cause the statements to be audited and within six months after the end of that financial year submit copies of the audited statements to the Director-General;

(c) within 14 days after it is ordered by the Director-General to do so, furnish the Director-General with any information in connection with the financial state of affairs of the centre or any transaction to which the centre is a party.

(2) The Director-General may issue instructions to a governing body with respect to the system of bookkeeping and accounting to be followed by it in the performance of its functions in terms of subsection

(3) The financial year of a state-aided training centre shall be a year terminating on the last day of March.".

Substitution of section 35 of Act 63 of 1974, as amended by section 11 of Act 11 of 1981.

6. The following section is hereby substituted for section 35 of the Mentally Retarded Children's Training Act, 1974:

"Delegation 35. (1) The Minister may delegate any power, duty or function conferred upon or assigned to him by duties and sections 3, 4, 5 (1) (in so far as it relates to the deterAct No. 28, 1983

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functions of Minister and Director-General.

mination of salaries), 6 (1), 8 (1) and (3) (a), 15 (a) and (b), 17 (1), 19 (1), (2), (3), (4) (in so far as the last-mentioned subsection relates to the determination of salaries) and (6), 22 (1) (a), (b), (c), (f) and (g), 22 (2), 25 and 34 (2), to the Director-General or any person in the Department or to any governing body.

(2) The Director-General may delegate any power, duty or function conferred upon or assigned to him by sections 17 (3), 21 (1) (b) and (2), 24A, 26, 10 28, 29, 31 and 32 to any other person in the Department."

ment.".

Amendment of section 1 of Act 104 of 1981.

7. Section 1 of the Technical Colleges Act, 1981, is hereby amended by the substitution for the definition of "post-school education" of the following definition:

'post-school education' means instruction and training—

(a) provided with a view to the pursuance of a vocation or the development of a social or recreational skill; and

(b) primarily intended for persons who are not subject 20 to compulsory school attendance in terms of a provision of any law or who were exempted from such a provision,

but excluding education referred to in paragraph (a) or (d) of section 14 of the Financial Relations Act, 1976 25 (Act No. 65 of 1976) [, or provided by way of correspondence];".

Amendment of section 6 of Act 104 of 1981. 8. Section 6 of the Technical Colleges Act, 1981, is hereby amended by the addition of the following subsection:

"(5) A college council may appoint committees of the 30 council consisting of council members or of council members as well as other persons, and may delegate to a committee consisting solely of council members any of the council's powers: Provided that the council shall not be divested of a power so delegated by it and may amend or set aside 35 any decision of a committee at the first meeting of the council after the decision was taken.".

Short title.

9. This Act shall be called the Education and Culture Laws Amendment Act, 1983.