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DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER	DEPARTEMENT VAN DIE EERSTE MINISTER
No. 591. 13 April 1977.	No. 591. 13 April 1977.
It is hereby notified that the State President has assented to the following Act which is hereby published for general information:—	Hierby word bekend gemaak dat die Staatspresident sy goedkeuring geheg het aan die onderstaande Wet wat hierby ter algemene inligting gepubliseer word:—
No. 39 of 1977: Admission of Advocates Amendment Act, 1977.	No. 39 van 1977: Wysigingswet op die Toelating van Advo- kate, 1977.

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ADMISSION OF ADVOCATES AMENDMENT ACT, 1977.

### ACT

To amend the Admission of Advocates Act, 1964, with regard to the language requirements that must be complied with by a person in order to be admitted to practise as an advocate.

#### (Afrikaans text signed by the State President.) (Assented to 25 March 1977.)

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

**1.** Section 3 of the Admission of Advocates Act, 1964, is hereby amended by the substitution for paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of the following paragraph:

"(a) Any person who-

- (i) has satisfied all the requirements for the degree of baccalaureus legum of any university in the Republic after pursuing a course of study for that degree of not less than five years and who has passed not less than one course in the Afrikaans language, not less than one course in the English language and not less than one course in the Latin language prescribed or recognized by such university for a baccalaureus degree; or
- (ii) after he has satisfied all the requirements for the degree of bachelor other than the degree of baccalaureus legum, of any university in the Republic or after he has been admitted to the status of any such degree by any such university, has satisfied all the requirements for the degree of baccalaureus legum of any such university after pursuing courses of study for such degrees of not less than five years in the aggregate and who has passed not less than one course in the Afrikaans language and not less than one course in the English language prescribed or recognized by such university for a baccalaureus degree."

2. This Act shall be called the Admission of Advocates Amendment Act, 1977.

Amendment of section 3 of Act 74 of 1964, as amended by section 1 of Act 73 of 1965 and section 16 of Act 29 of 1974.

Short title.