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ACT NO. 15 OF 2000**African pioneer Corps (Pensions) Act 2000**

An Act to repeal and replace the African Pioneer Corps (Pensions) Act 1973¹.
Enacted by the Parliament of Lesotho.

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the African Pioneer Corps (Pensions) Act 2000 and shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1 February 2000.

Interpretation

2. In this Act unless the context otherwise requires –
“Minister” means the Minister responsible for Finance;
“volunteer” means a citizen of Lesotho who volunteered with the African Auxiliary Pioneer Corps or other unit or body of the British Army raised in Lesotho (formerly Basutoland) between 1914 and 1918, and between 1st July, 1941 and 31st December 1947;
“widow”, in relation to a volunteer, means a woman who was a wife of a volunteer, as defined in this section, at the time of his death.

Pensions

3. (1) A monthly pension of such amount as the Minister may, by notice published in the Gazette, determine, shall be paid to –
 - (a) a volunteer; or
 - (b) the widow of a volunteer.(2) The pension referred to in subsection (1) shall be paid from the Consolidated Fund.

Remarriage of widow

3. Any pension granted to the widow of a volunteer shall, on her remarriage, be reduced by such fraction as the Minister may determine.

Pension not assignable or executable

6. (1) No pension under this Act shall be capable of being assigned, transferred or hypothecated by the beneficiary, nor shall it be attached or subject to any form of execution under judgment or order of court or law, nor shall it pass under any order made or the sequestration of the estate of the beneficiary.
 - (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) or any other law, any erroneous payment made to a volunteer or a widow in respect of a pension payable under this Act, may be recovered from any pension payable to such volunteer or widow, or from the estate of such volunteer or widow, as the case may be

(3) Any erroneous payment made to any person under this Act for the benefit of a volunteer or widow who has since passed away shall be recoverable from such person.

Regulations

7. The Minister may make Regulations for all purposes that are necessary or convenient for the proper administration of this Act.

Repeal

8. The African Pioneer Corps (Pensions) Act 1973 is repealed.

NOTE

1. Act No.2 of 1973

ACT NO. 16 OF 2000 Road Traffic (Amendment) Act 2000

**An Act to amend the Road Traffic Act 1981
Enacted by the Parliament of Lesotho**

Short title and recommencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Road Traffic (Amendment) Act 2000 and shall come into **operation on the date of its publication in the Gazette.**

Appointment of officers

2. Section 3 of the Principal Law is amended by inserting the following section:

“The National Traffic Information System”

3A (1) There is established the National Traffic Information System which shall contain information in respect of road traffic.

(2) Without limiting the generality of subsection (1), the National Traffic Information System may be used for the following purposes and contain information in respect of the following:

- (a) vehicle registration and licensing;
- (b) driver and professional driver registration;
- (c) registration of traffic officers;
- (d) registration of vehicle and driver testing facilities;
- (e) traffic offences and proceedings;
- (f) collisions;
- (g) traffic offence patterns;

- (h) traffic accidents;
- (i) geographical information systems with regard to traffic incidents;
- (j) operators transport permit;
- (k) Traffic safety.”

Regulations

Section 114 of the Principal Law is amended in subsection (1) by inserting after paragraph (ff) the following paragraph:

“(gg) the operation of the National Traffic Information System in respect of one or more stated purposes”.

