THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE 5TH FEBRUARY, 1994 LEGAL SUPPLEMENT - B

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No. 7 of 1994 1

ORDER Made Under THE MINING ACT (No. 20 of 1989)

IN EXERCISE OF THE POWERS CONFERRED UPON THE MINISTER BY SECTIONS 12 AND 134 OF THE MINING ACT 1989, I HEREBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDER:

Citation and Commencement

Application

Adaptations and Modifications etc.

1. This Order may be cited as the Quarrying (Exemptions, Adaptations and Modifications) Order 1993, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st September, 1993.

2. This Order shall apply only to quarrying operations with respect to any quarriable mineral on the Medium Scale and sand on the Small Scale and for the purposes of this Order Medium Scale shall mutatis mutandis have the same meaning as in Section 55 of the Act and Regulations made pursuant thereto; and Small Scale shall mean operations for the quarrying of sand only, whereby an amount no greater than fifty thousand (50,000) metric tonnes shall be removed under any single Claim (Quarrying) Licence whether original or renewed.

3. Without prejudice to the application of the provisions of Parts 1, 11, X and XV of the Act, but subject to paragraph 4 herein, Sections 61(2) and (3) and 63(2) and (3) of the Act shall apply to quarrying on the Medium and Small Scales with such adaptations and modifications as is stated herein viz:

> (i) Any reference to Commission shall be read and construed as a reference to Commissioner.

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(ii) An applicant for a Mining Permit shall not be required to be the holder of a Prospecting Permit.

(iii) In so far as references to Claim Licence is made therein, such references shall be read and construed as if they were reference to Claim (Quarrying) Licence and Order 53 of 1992 shall accordingly, not apply.

PROVIDED ALWAYS that an applicant for a Claim (Quarrying) Licence shall not be required to be the holder of a Prospecting Permit.

Existing Claim Licence Forms shall apply mutatis mutandis.

(iv) For the purposes of quarrying on the Medium Scale every reference to Quarry Licence in Part X of the Act shall mutatis mutandis be read and construed as if it were a reference to Mining Permit; and every reference to Commission (except as in Section 95) shall mutatis mutandis be read and construed as if it were a reference to Commissioner.

(v) For the purposes of quarrying sand on the Small Scale every reference to Quarry Licence in Part X of the Act shall mutatis mutandis be read and construed as if it were a reference to Claim (Quarrying) Licence; and every reference to Commission (except as in Section 95) shall mutatis mutandis be read and construed as if it were a reference to Commissioner.

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Exemption

4. (i) Quarrying operations in relation to any quarriable mineral on the Medium Scale; and sand on the Small Scale is hereby exempted from the application of Section 89(1) of the Act.

(ii) Section 93(1) and (2) shall not apply to Claim (Quarrying) Licence.

Made this Zife day of Joney 1994.

Rans SAMUEL A.A. HINDS. Prime Minister.

Subsidiary Legislation