An Ordinance to amend the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) Ordinance 2002

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ADMINISTRATOR

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BE it enacted by the Administrator of the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia as follows:—

1. **Short title**
   
   This Ordinance may be cited as the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) (Amendment) Ordinance 2010.

2. **Amendment of section 2 of the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) Ordinance 2002**
   
   In section 2 (Interpretation) of the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) Ordinance 2002(a)(“the principal Ordinance”), the definition of “service” is repealed.

3. **Amendment of section 3**
   
   In section 3 of the principal Ordinance (Regulations), paragraph (d) is repealed and replaced by—
   
   “(d) penalties not exceeding 3 months’ imprisonment or a fine of €5000 or both for infringements of the regulations.”.

4. **Insertion of new section 4A**
   
   In the principal Ordinance, the following new section is inserted after section 4—
“4A. Offences and penalties

(1) A person commits an offence and is liable to 3 months’ imprisonment or a fine of €5000 or both if he or she—

(a) obstructs an inspector when exercising a power conferred by this Ordinance or the regulations made under this Ordinance,

(b) gives a false reply in any investigation carried out under this Ordinance or the regulations made under this Ordinance,

(c) omits to present a record certificate, book or other document or information which that person is required to present by this Ordinance or the regulations made under this Ordinance,

(d) obstructs or attempts to obstruct any person from presenting him or herself before an inspector to be questioned by that inspector.”.

(2) Where an offence contrary to this Ordinance is committed by a body corporate and it is proved that it is committed with the consent, connivance or approval of, or that its commission has been facilitated by the negligence of, any director, secretary or any other individual having similar responsibilities in relation to the body corporate, such director, secretary or other individual also commits a like offence and is liable to the same penalty.”.

5. Commencement

This Ordinance comes into force on the day it is published in the Gazette.

Notes
(a) Ordinance 29/02.
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note does not form part of the Ordinance)

1. This explanatory note relates to the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) (Amendment) Ordinance 2010. The note has been prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and Legal Adviser in order to assist the reader of the Ordinance. It does not form part of the Ordinance.

2. The Ordinance amends the Employees at Places of Entertainment (Terms of Employment) Ordinance 2002 (“the principal Ordinance”). The definition of “service” in the principal Ordinance is repealed as the term does not appear in that Ordinance. Other amendments to the principal Ordinance broadly replicate the effect of amendments to the equivalent Law in the Republic of Cyprus regarding offences and penalties.

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