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LAWS AND REGULATIONS

PROMULGATED TO GIVE EFFECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE
CONVENTION OF 13 JULY 1931 FOR LIMITING THE MANUFACTURE
AND REGULATING THE DISTRIBUTION OF NARCOTIC DRUGS, AS
AMENDED BY THE PROTOCOL OF 11 DECEMBER 1946

BASUTOLAND

COMMUNICATED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND

NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

In accordance with Article 21 of the Convention of 13 July 1931 for Limiting the Manufacture and Regulating the Distribution of Narcotic Drugs, as amended by the Protocol of 11 December 1946, the Secretary-General has the honour to communicate the following legislative text.

New York, 1951

Original: English

BASUTOLAND

No. 58 of 1951

PROCLAMATION

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE HIGH COMMISSIONER

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Basutoland Opium and Habit-forming Drugs Regulation Proclamation, 1922 (No. 35 of 1922), hereinafter referred to as "the principal law";

NOW THEREFORE under and by virtue of the powers in me vested, I do hereby declare, proclaim and make known as follows:-

Amendment of
section 7 of
Proclamation
35 of 1922.

1. Section seven of the principal law is hereby amended as follows:

- (a) the words "five hundred pounds or in default of payment to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a period not exceeding three years" are substituted for the words "one hundred pounds or in default of payment to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a period not exceeding three months";
- (b) The present section as amended shall be sub-section (1);
- (c) The following new sub-section is inserted at the end of the section:
"(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph (a) of sub-section (1) of section sixty-one of the Basutoland Subordinate Courts Proclamation 1938 (No. 58 of 1938) or in any other law, a Subordinate Court of the First Class may impose a punishment not in excess of the maximum punishment set out in sub-section (1) of this section."

Short title.

2. This Proclamation may be cited as the Basutoland Opium and Habit-forming Drugs Regulation (Amendment) Proclamation, 1951.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Pretoria this ninth day of October One thousand nine-hundred and fifty one.

HIGH COMMISSIONER
By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

CHIEF SECRETARY.