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## Government Notice

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### OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER

No. 252 1997

#### PROMULGATION OF ACT OF PARLIAMENT

The following Act which has been passed by the Parliament and signed by the President in terms of the Namibian Constitution is hereby published in terms of Article 56 of that Constitution.

No. 14 of 1997: Local Authorities Second Amendment Act, 1997.

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Act No. 14, 1997 **LOCAL AUTHORITIES SECOND AMENDMENT ACT, 1997****EXPLANATORY NOTE:**

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Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing provisions.

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Words in bold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing provisions.

**ACT**

**To amend the Local Authorities Act, 1992 so as to extend the period within which the second general election of members of local authority councils is to be held after the first such election which was held during December 1992.**

*(Signed by the President on 2 December 1997)*

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Parliament of the Republic of Namibia as follows :-

**Substitution of section 8 of Act 23 of 1992**

1. The following section is substituted for section 8 of the Local Authorities Act, 1992:

**“Dates for elections for members of local authority councils.**

8. After the election for the first local authority councils held by virtue of the provisions of Article 137(5) of the Namibian Constitution, a general election in terms of the laws governing elections of members of local authority councils, shall be held on a date, not later than five years and three months as from the date on which such election for the first local authority councils has been held, determined by the President by proclamation in the *Gazette*, and thereafter at intervals not exceeding five years on a date so determined.”.

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Act No. 14, 1997 **LOCAL AUTHORITIES SECOND AMENDMENT ACT, 1997**

**Short title**

2. This Act shall be called the Local Authorities Second Amendment Act, 1997.

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