

ACTS

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Assented to in Her Majesty's name this 25th day of March, 1970.

BANJA TEJAN-SIE,
Acting Governor-General.

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No. 5



Sierra Leone

1970

The Non-Citizens (Trade and Business) (Amendment) Act, 1970 Short title.

[26th March, 1970.] Date of commencement.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Amendment
of section 1
of Act No. 9
of 1969.

1. Section . . . the principal Act is hereby amended—
(a) by substituting for the definition of “business” the following new definition—

““business” includes every operation by way of trade, occupation or profession carried on, on a continuing basis with a view to profit;”
and

- (b) by inserting in its appropriate alphabetical place, the following new definition—

““distribution” includes the delivery of goods to any person for the purpose of sale to the public;”.

Amendment
of section 2
of Act No. 9
of 1969.

2. Section 2 of the principal Act is hereby amended by re-numbering the existing section as subsection (1) and adding the following new subsection—

“(2) Nothing in this section shall apply to the operation by non-citizens of any Supermarket operated in accordance with a licence granted under section 4.”.

Amendment
of section 5
(1) of Act
No. 9 of
1969.

3. Subsection (1) of section 5 of the principal Act is hereby amended as follows—

(a) by deleting the words “or retail trades” in the fourth and fifth lines thereof;

(b) by replacing paragraph (c) thereof by the following new paragraph—

“(c) the provision of transport by road or river whether for his own business or otherwise:

Provided that any non-citizen now operating vehicles or vessels in the ordinary course of his own business undertaking may continue to operate the vehicles or vessels operated by him at the commencement of this Act for such period as the Minister may in writing approve after being satisfied in each case that there is no suitable alternative transport operated by citizens;”;

(c) by the substitution of a colon for the semi-colon at the end of paragraph (r) thereof and the addition immediately thereafter of the following proviso—

“Provided that any non-citizen operating any such distribution at the date of commencement of this Act may continue to do so for a period not exceeding nine months after that date with the written permission of the Minister;” ; and

(d) by substituting a full stop for the semi-colon at the end of paragraph (s) and deleting paragraph (t).”.

4. Subsection (4) of section 5 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting the word "retail" immediately after the word "any" in the second line thereof.

Amendment
of section 5
(4) of Act
No. 9 of
1969.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 27th day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy.

J. W. E. DAVIES,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

THIS PRINTED IMPRESSION has been carefully compared by me with the Bill which has passed the House of Representatives and found by me to be a true and correctly printed copy of the said Bill.

J. W. E. DAVIES,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.