

N.P.R.C. Decree
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The Pensions and Retiring Benefits of Presidents and Vice-Presidents Act (Amendment) Decree, 1996 Short title.

Being a Decree to amend the Pensions and Retiring Benefits of Presidents and Vice-Presidents Act, 1986.

[18th March, 1996] Date of commencement.

PURSUANT to paragraph 3 of the Proclamation entitled "The Administration of Sierra Leone (National Provisional Ruling Council) Proclamation, 1992", the National Provisional Ruling Council makes and issues the following Decree:—

1. Section 3 of the Pensions and Retiring Benefits of Presidents and Vice-Presidents Act, 1986 is amended —

Amendment
of section 3 of
Act No. 2 of
1986.

- (a) in subsection (1), by deleting the words “who has held the office of President for a period not less than twelve months”; and
- (b) in subsection (2), by deleting the words “who has held the office of Vice-President for a period not less than twelve months”.

2. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 14 of the principal Act are repealed and replaced with the following new subsections:—

Amendment
of section 14
of Act No. 2
of 1986.

“Office ac-
commodation
and staff.

14. (1) A retired President shall be entitled to be provided at the expense of the State with suitable office accommodation.

(2) A retired President shall be entitled to be provided at the expense of the State with office staff of five persons.”

3. Section 15 of the principal Act is amended —

Amendment
of section 15
of Act No. 2
of 1986.

- (a) in subsection (1), by inserting a full-stop at the end of the word “accommodation” and deleting all the words thereafter; and
- (b) in subsection (2), by repealing paragraph (e) and replacing it with the following new paragraph:—

“(e) one laundryman; and”

Amendment
of section 19
of Act No. 2
of 1986.

4. Section 19 of the principal Act is amended by repealing and replacing subsection (1) thereof with the following new subsection:—

“19. (1) A retired President shall be entitled to travel outside Sierra Leone at the expense of the State, once in each year with a staff of one person.”

Amendment
of section 20
of Act No. 2
of 1986.

5. Section 20 of the principal Act is amended —

(a) in subsection (1), by repealing paragraphs (a) to (d) thereof, and replacing them with the following new paragraphs —

“(a) one V.I.P. car; and

(b) one utility car.”;

(b) in subsection (2), by substituting for the words “Four drivers” at the beginning thereof, the words “Two drivers;” and

(c) by repealing subsections (3) and (4) and replacing them with the following new

“(3) A retired Vice-President shall be entitled to be provided at the expense of the State with reasonable transport facilities consisting of one utility car.

(4) One driver or his salary shall be provided to the retired Vice-President at the expense of the State for such driver to drive the car referred to in subsection (3) and the running cost of the car shall be paid by the State.”.