

ABBOZZ TA' LIĠI
imsejjah

ATT biex jemenda l-ligi dwar il-Gwardjani Privati u Lokali.
(Kap. 389).

IL-PRESIDENT, bil-parir u l-kunsens tal-Kamra tad-Deputati, imlaqqgħa f'dan il-Parlament, u bl-awtorità tal-istess, hareġ b'dan li ġej:-

1. (1) It-titolu fil-qosor ta' dan l-Att hu l-Att tal-2011 li Jemenda l-Att dwar il-Gwardjani Privati u Lokali, u dan l-Att għandu jinqara u jiftiehem haġa waħda mal-Att dwar il-Gwardjani Privati u Lokali, hawn iżjed 'il quddiem imsejjah "l-Att prinċipali".

Titolu fil-qosor
u bidu fis-sehħ.
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(2) Dan l-Att għandu jidhol fis-sehħ f'dik id-data li l-Ministru responsabbli għall-Pulizija jista' jstabilixxi b'avviż fil-Gazzetta.

2. L-artikolu 17 tal-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi emendat kif ġej:

Emenda tal-
artikolu 17 tal-
Att prinċipali.

(a) fis-subartikolu (1) tiegħu, minflok il-kliem "id-disposizzjonijiet ta' l-artikoli 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 u 13 għandhom japplikaw" għandhom jidhlu l-kliem "id-disposizzjonijiet tal-artikoli 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12(1)(b), (c) u (d) u 13 għandhom japplikaw"; u

(b) minnufih wara s-subartikolu (2) tiegħu għandu jiżdied is-subartikolu ġdid li ġej:

"(3) Liċenza maħruġa mill-Kummissarju tal-Pulizija tista' tiġi revokata jew sospiżta minn Bord ta' Dixxiplina imwaqqaf mill-Ministru responsabbli għall-Gvern Lokali permezz ta' regolamenti li jistabbilixxu l-metodu u t-terminu tal-ħatra tal-membri tal-Bord, il-proċeduri quddiem il-Bord u l-funzjonijiet kollha tal-Bord u materji anċillari."

Ghanijiet u Raġunijiet

L-għan ta' dan l-Abbozz ta' Liġi hu biex jemenda d-disposizzjonijiet li jirrigwardaw is-sospensjoni u r-revoka ta' liċenza għal aġenzija ta' gwardjani lokali jew ta' gwardjani lokali, bl-introduzzjoni ta' Bord ta' Dixxiplina *ad hoc*.

**A Bill
entitled**

*AN ACT to amend the Private Guards and Local Wardens Act
(Cap. 389).*

BE IT ENACTED by the President, 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:-

1. (1) The short title of this Act is the Private Guards and Local Wardens (Amendment) Act, 2011, and this Act shall be read and construed as one with the Private Guards and Local Wardens Act, hereinafter in this Act referred to as "the principal Act".

Short title and commencement.
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(2) This Act shall come into force on such date as the Minister responsible for the Police may by notice in the Gazette appoint.

2. Article 17 of the principal Act shall be amended as follows:

Amendment of article 17 of the principal Act.

(a) in subarticle (1) thereof, for the words "the provisions of articles 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 shall apply" there shall be substituted the words "the provisions of articles 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12(1)(b), (c) and (d) and 13 shall apply"; and

(b) immediately after subarticle (2) thereof, there shall be added the following new subarticle:

"(3) A licence issued by the Commissioner of Police may be revoked or suspended by a Disciplinary Board appointed by the Minister responsible for Local Government by means of regulations which establish the method and term of appointment of the members of the Board, the procedures before the Board, the functions of the Board and ancillary matters."

Objects and Reasons

The object of this Bill is to amend the provisions relating to the revocation or suspension of a licence for a warden agency or for a local warden, by the introduction of an *ad hoc* Disciplinary Board.