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THE BEEKEEPING ACT,
(CAP. 224)

ORDER

(Made under section 6(4))

THE BEEKEEPING (DELEGATION OF FUNCTIONS) ORDER, 2020

- Citation 1. This Order may be cited as the Beekeeping (Delegation of Functions) Order, 2020.
- Interpretation 2. In this Order, unless the context requires otherwise-
- Cap. 224 “Act” means the Beekeeping Act;
“apiary product” includes live bees, brood, beeswax, honey, cut comb honey, comb sections, bee combs, honey dew, bee collected pollen, bee venom, propolis or royal jelly or any substance declared by regulations to be an apiary product for the purposes of the Act;
“Chief Executive” means the Chief Executive of the Tanzania Forest Services Agency appointed under the Executives Agencies (Tanzania Forest Services Agency) (Establishment) Order;and
GN.No. 269 of 2010 “Director” means the Director responsible for beekeeping matters appointed under section 5(1) of the Act.
- Delegation of functions 3. (1) The functions of the Director prescribed in the Schedule to this Order are hereby delegated to the Chief Executive of the Tanzania Forest Services Agency.
Cap. 224 (2) The officers designated under section 6(1) of the Act shall be under the supervision of the Chief Executive of the Tanzania Forest Services Agency.
- Judicial notice 4. The delegation made under this Order shall be in force and judicially noticed unless where it proved otherwise.

SCHEDULE

(Made under paragraph 3(1))

FUNCTIONS DELEGATED TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

1. In relation to the appointment of officers under section 6 of the Act, the power to appoint-
 - (a) licensing and registration officers who shall exercise powers under Part V of the Act;
 - (b) enforcement officers who shall be responsible for performing such functions relating to the enforcement of the provisions of the Act or as may be specified by the Director; and
 - (c) inspectors who shall perform their functions as provided for under the Act or specified by the Director.
2. In relation to boundaries of Bee Reserves, the power to-
 - (a) demarcate the boundaries stipulated in section 14(1) of the Act; and
 - (b) prepare maps or plans in respect of each gazatted bee reserve.
3. In general, the powers to-
 - (a) prevent commission of prohibited activities;
 - (b) enter into joint management agreements within national bee reserves;
 - (c) receive and consider applications from persons, group of persons or organisation, to keep bees in the beekeeping zones;
 - (d) regulate bee keeping activities;
 - (e) determine the amount of fees to be paid in respect of any particular apiary product;
 - (f) enforce the provisions of Part VII of the Act; and
 - (g) perform all the functions specified in Part IX, save for the provisions of sections 35, 58 and 59.

Dodoma,
18th August, 2020

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Director of Forestry