

**THE LICENSING OF RECRUITING AGENTS FOR OVERSEAS  
EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING INSTITUTIONS  
(AMENDMENT) ACT 2012**

**Act No. 10 of 2012**

*I assent*

**Mrs Monique Agnes OHSAN BELLEPEAU, GOSK**

22 June 2012

*Acting President of the Republic*

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**An Act**

**To amend the Licensing of Recruiting Agents for Overseas  
Educational and Training Institutions Act**

ENACTED by the Parliament of Mauritius, as follows –

**1. Short title**

This Act may be cited as the Licensing of Recruiting Agents for Overseas Educational and Training Institutions (Amendment) Act 2012.

## 2. Interpretation

In this Act –

“principal Act” means the Licensing of Recruiting Agents for Overseas Educational and Training Institutions Act.

## 3. Section 2 of principal Act amended

Section 2 of the principal Act is amended –

(a) in the definition of “agent”, by repealing paragraph (a) and replacing it by the following paragraph –

(a) means a person who recruits students; but

(b) in the definitions of “Minister” and “Ministry”, by inserting, after the words “subject of”, the word “tertiary”;

(c) by deleting the definition of “officer in charge”;

(d) by deleting the definition of “recruit” and replacing it by the following definition –

“recruit” –

(a) means recruit for admission to an institution; and

(b) includes advertise, market, canvass and carry out any other activity relating to recruitment;

(e) by inserting, in the appropriate alphabetical order, the following new definition, the full stop at the end of the definition of “responsible party” being deleted and replaced by a semicolon –

“supervising officer” means the supervising officer of the Ministry.

## 4. Section 4 of principal Act amended

Section 4 of the principal Act is amended –

(a) by deleting the words “officer in charge” wherever they appear and replacing them by the words “supervising officer”;

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- (b) in subsection (3), by repealing paragraph (a) and replacing it by the following paragraph –
- (a) a duly authenticated written authorisation issued by –
    - (i) an institution; or
    - (ii) another person based outside Mauritius, with covering approval from an institution, certifying that the applicant may recruit on its behalf;
  - (c) in subsection (7)(c), by inserting, after the word “renewed”, the words “on application made by the agent at least 3 months before the expiry of the licence and”.

#### **5. Section 5 of principal Act amended**

Section 5 of the principal Act is amended, in subsection (2), by deleting the words “officer in charge” and replacing them by the words “supervising officer”.

#### **6. Section 6 of principal Act amended**

Section 6 of the principal Act is amended by deleting the words “officer in charge” wherever they appear and replacing them by the words “supervising officer”.

#### **7. Section 7 of principal Act amended**

Section 7 of the principal Act is amended –

- (a) in the heading, by deleting the words “**officer in charge**” and replacing them by the words “**supervising officer**”;
- (b) in subsection (1), by deleting the words “officer in charge” and replacing them by the words “supervising officer”.

**8. Section 8 of principal Act amended**

Section 8 of the principal Act is amended by deleting the words “officer in charge” wherever they appear and replacing them by the words “supervising officer”.

**9. Commencement**

Section 4(b) shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1 December 2006.

Passed by the National Assembly on the nineteenth day of June two thousand and twelve.

**Ram Ranjit Dowlutta**

*Clerk of the National Assembly*