



THE PRESIDENTIAL AFFAIRS ACT, 1993.

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ACT NO. 5 OF 1993

I ASSENT

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PRESIDENT OF ZANZIBAR
AND
CHAIRMAN OF THE REVOLUTIONARY
COUNCIL.

4TH JANUARY199*4*..

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN MATTERS
RELATING TO THE AFFAIRS OF THE PRESIDENT.

ENACTED by the House of Representatives of
Zanzibar.

Short title and commencement. 1. This Act may be cited as the Presidential Affairs Act, 1993 and shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1994.

Interpretation. 2. In this Act unless the context otherwise requires :-

"award" includes dignity, honour, medal or anything granted by the President in appreciation of service to any person under this Act.

"Minister" means the Minister for the time being responsible for matters relating to awards.



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"President" means the President of Zanzibar and Chairman of the Revolutionary Council.

Signification of orders. 3.(1) Whereby or under any written law, other than the Constitution, any power, duty or function is conferred or imposed on, or is vested in the President, the exercise of such power or the performance of such duty or function by the President may, unless a contrary intention appears, be executed by a Minister.

(2) Nothing in this section shall apply to the power of the President to make Proclamations or shall restrict the manner in which the power of the President in relation to the executive functions of the Government, other than any such function which is conferred by any such written law aforesaid, may be exercised through officers in the service of the Government subordinate to him.

Honours and awards. 4.(1) The President may institute and confer honours, dignities and awards.

(2) For the purposes of this section the President may grant the following awards :-

- (i) The Zanzibar Revolution (Award) 1964.
- (ii) Distinguished Service.
- (iii) Long service and meritorious conducts.
- (iv) Meritorious service.
- (v) Bravery.
- (vi) Proficiency.

(3) The awards granted under this section shall be published in the Gazette and shall be in the (form) format as shown in the Appendix to this Act.

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Advisory
Committee
on grant
of award.

5.(1) There shall be an Advisory Committee on the grant of awards which shall consist of the following members appointed by the President :-

- (a) a Chairman, who shall be a Minister;
- (b) the Attorney-General; and
- (c) three other members who qualified for that purpose.

(2) The President may consult with the Advisory Committee before exercising his powers under section 4 of this Act.

(3) Subject to any directions of the President, the Advisory Committee may regulate its own procedure.

Functions
of the
Advisory
Committee.

6. The Advisory Committee shall play an advisory role to the President on the following matters :-

- (a) on the selection of qualified persons to be awarded any of the said awards;
- (b) on the insignia and manner of wearing of the medal; and
- (c) on any other matter relating to the awards.

Powers of
the
Minister.

7.(1) The Minister may, by order published in the Gazette, make Regulations on the following matters :-

- (a) specify required qualifications for a person to be awarded such awards;
- (b) describe the insignia and symbol to be used;
- (c) describe the number of persons to be awarded at a time;
- (d) describe the manner of wearing the medal; and
- (e) on any other matter relating to awards.

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(2) Any Regulations made under this section shall be published in the Gazette.

The Minister may specify Presidential affairs.

8.(1) The Minister may issue an order published in the Gazette which may :-

- (a) specify any activity to be in connection with Presidential affairs; or
- (b) restrict or prohibit any person from doing such an activity so specified.

(2) Any person who contravenes any order made under this Act is guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not less than one hundred thousand shillings (100,000/-) or imprisonment for a term not less than six months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

APPENDIX

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PROCLAMATION

(Under Section 4)

WHEREAS section 4 of the Presidential Affairs Act, 1993 empowers the President to institute and confer honours, dignities and awards:

AND WHEREAS I am satisfied that it is necessary and desirable to institute such honours, dignities and awards to be conferred upon persons who have, by their meritorious acts or conduct, earned such praise and distinction as warrants receipt of some form of recognition:

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NOW THEREFORE, I

President of Zanzibar in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 4 of the Presidential Affairs Act, 1993, do hereby institute the honours described in the First Column of the First Schedule to this Proclamation which may be awarded to persons specified in relation thereto in Second Column of the said Schedule. The insignia and the manner of wearing of the medals shall be described in the Third Column of the First Schedule and as illustrated in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE

AWARDS	NAMES	MEDALS (MATERIALS)
1. The Zanzibar Revolution (Award) 1964	1.....	e.g. Gold etc. etc.
	2.....	
2. Distinguished Service	1.	
	2.	
3. Long Service and Meritorious conducts	1.	
	2.	
4. Meritorious Service	1.	
	2.	
5. Bravery	1.	
	2.	
6. Proficiency	1.	
	2.	



SECOND SCHEDULE

Insignia	Manner of Wearing
1.	
2.	
3.	

Passed in the House of Representatives
on the 28th day of December, 1993.

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CLERK TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.