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AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION
OF ZANZIBAR, 1979

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COUNCIL AND
PRESIDENT OF ZANZIBAR.

5 March, 1984.

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION OF
ZANZIBAR, 1979.

(1984).

ENACTED by the House of Representatives
of Zanzibar.

Short title
and
commencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the
Constitution of Zanzibar (Amendment) Act,
1984, and shall be read as one with the
Constitution Act, 1979 (hereinafter referred
to as the Constitution), and shall be deemed
to have come into operation on the first day
of March, 1984.

Repeal of
subsections
(3), (4) and
(5) of
section 6.

2. Subsection (3), (4) and (5) of
section 6 of the Constitution are deleted
and substituted by the following new
subsections:-

"(3) When occasion arises for
election of the Head of the Government
of Zanzibar subject to subsection (2)
of this section, the Central Committee
of the National Executive Committee of
the Party established by section 70 of
the Constitution of Chama cha Mapinduzi,
1982 shall meet and recommend not less
than two names of persons hailing from
Zanzibar Tanzania who have attained the

age of not less than 30 years and who qualify to stand as candidates for election as Head of the Government of Zanzibar.


(4) The names of persons recommended at the primary nomination by the Central Committee of the National Executive Committee of the Party pursuant to the provisions of subsection (3) of this section shall be submitted before the National Executive Committee of the Party which shall then meet and finally nominate a person who shall stand as a sole candidate in the election of the Head of the Government of Zanzibar in accordance with the provisions of this section.

(5) Where the National Executive Committee of the Party has confirmed the nomination of the person whose name was submitted to it, that person shall stand for election and the people may vote either for or against the candidate, and depending on the result of the ballot and if on that ballot :-

(a) the majority of votes are in favour of the candidate, the candidate shall thereby be elected the Chairman of the Revolutionary Council and President of Zanzibar and the Electoral Commission shall declare him so elected.

- (b) the majority of the votes cast are not in favour of the candidate, the candidate shall not be elected as the Chairman of the Revolutionary Council and President of Zanzibar, and in that event the Central Committee of the National Executive Committee shall meet again and recommend the names of other persons hailing from Zanzibar, Tanzania who have attained the age of not less than thirty years, and then the National Executive Committee of the Party shall also meet again and finally nominate another person in the manner specified in subsection (4) of this section and finally a ballot shall be held in accordance with the provisions of this subsection".

Passed in the House of Representatives on
the 1st day of March, 1984.


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CLERK TO THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES.