

No. of 2020 Drugs (Prevention & Abatement of the Misuse and Abuse of Drugs) (Amendment) Bill, 2020 Saint Christopher and Nevis

SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

No. of 2020

A **BILL** to amend the Drugs (Prevention & Abatement of the Misuse and Abuse of Drugs) Act, Cap. 9.08.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the National Assembly of Saint Christopher and Nevis and by the authority of the same as follows:

1. Short title.

This Act may be cited as the Drugs (Prevention & Abatement of the Misuse and Abuse of Drugs) (Amendment) Act, 2020.

2. Interpretation.

In this Act,

“Act” means the Drugs (Prevention & Abatement of the Misuse and Abuse of Drugs) Act, Cap. 9.08.

3. Amendment of Section 6.

The Act is amended in section 6 in subsection (4) paragraph (e), by replacing the expression “fifteen grammes of cannabis or five grammes of cannabis resin” with the expression “fifty-six grammes of cannabis or fifteen grammes of cannabis resin”;

5. Amendment of Section 6A.

The Act is amended in section 6A paragraph (a), by replacing the expression “fifteen grammes of cannabis or five grammes of cannabis resin” with the expression “fifty-six grammes of cannabis or fifteen grammes of cannabis resin”

6. Amendment of section 7.

Section 7 is amended by deleting subsection (3).

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A. MICHAEL PERKINS
Speaker

Passed by the National Assembly this day of , 2020.

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SONIA BODDIE-THOMPSON
Clerk of the National Assembly