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KING'S PROCLAMATION TO THE NATION, 1973 (Proclamation of 12th April, 1973)

In exercise of the powers vested in me by the King's Proclamation to the Nation, 1973, I, MSWATI III, THE KING OF SWAZILAND hereby issue the following Decree-

Citation

1. This Decree may be cited as Decree No. 3 of 2001.

Laws that have a constitutional bearing

- 2. (1) All Orders-in-Council and Acts of Parliament that would otherwise be invalid on the sole ground that they are inconsistent with the King's Proclamation to the Nation of 12th April, 1973 are hereby validated to that extent, unless repealed or amended by this Decree or any other law.
- (2) Notwithstanding section 104 of the 1968 Constitution (Repealed with savings) and/or any other law, the Non-Bailable Offences Order No. 14 of 1993 (as amended) is hereby reinstated and/or validated.
- (3) Notwithstanding any other law, all acts done by a Minister or a public officer in the discharge of any function or responsibility imposed by any law upon another Minister or public officer before the coming into operation of this Decree shall be deemed to have been validly done and no such act shall be questioned in any court solely on the grounds that it was done by the Minister or public officer.

Repeal of Decree No. 2 of 2001

3. Decree No. 2 of 2001 is hereby repealed.

Decree read as one with Proclamation

4. This Decree shall be read and construed as one with the King's Proclamation to the Nation of 12th April, 1973.

THUS DONE UNDER MY HAND AT LOZITH'EHLEZI ON THIS 24^{TH} DAY OF JULY, 2001.

MSWATI III KING OF SWAZILAND