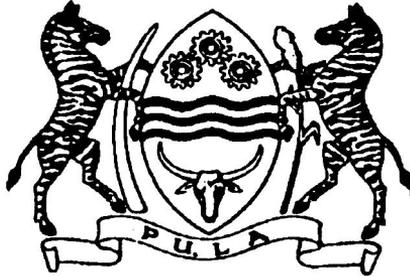


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Bill No. 17 of 1993

**WILDLIFE CONSERVATION AND NATIONAL PARKS (AMENDMENT)
BILL, 1993**
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MEMORANDUM

A draft of the above Bill, which it is proposed to present to the National Assembly, is set out below.

The object of the Bill is to amend section 46 of the Act, firstly to ensure that trophies of animals killed under the provisions of the section become Government trophies, and that certificates of ownership will not be issued to the persons presenting the trophies. Secondly, the provisions with regard to the payment of compensation to persons who have suffered damage or loss as a result of the actions of animals have been simplified.

P.H.K. KEDIKILWE,
Minister of Commerce and Industry.

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title
2. Amendment of section 46, Act No. 28 of 1992

A BILL
—entitled—

An Act to amend the Wildlife Conservation and National Parks Act, 1992.

Date of Assent:

Date of Commencement:

ENACTED by the the Parliament of Botswana

1. This Act may be cited as the Wildlife Conservation and National Parks (Amendment) Act, 1993.

Short title

2. Section 46 of the Wildlife Conservation and National Parks Act, 1992 is amended —

Amendment
of section 46
Act No. 28
of 1992

(a) by substituting for subsections (3) and (4) thereof the following new subsections —

“(3) The trophies and meat of any animal killed in accordance with the provisions of subsection (1) shall be Government trophies, but where the report required under subsection (2) has been made, and it is established that the killing was in accordance with those provisions, the Director or the licensing officer may issue a permit for the sale of the meat by the person concerned:

Provided that no such permit shall be issued for the sale or other disposal of the meat of any elephant, rhinoceros or cheetah, or the meat of any animal that was killed because it was merely threatening to cause damage.

- (4) Compensation may be paid, as may be provided in regulations made under the Act, to any person who satisfactorily establishes that he has suffered damage from the action of an animal.”;
- (b) by deleting therefrom subsection (5);
- (c) in subsection (7) by substituting for the words “a certificate of ownership or a permit for sale issued under subsection (3)” the words “this section”.