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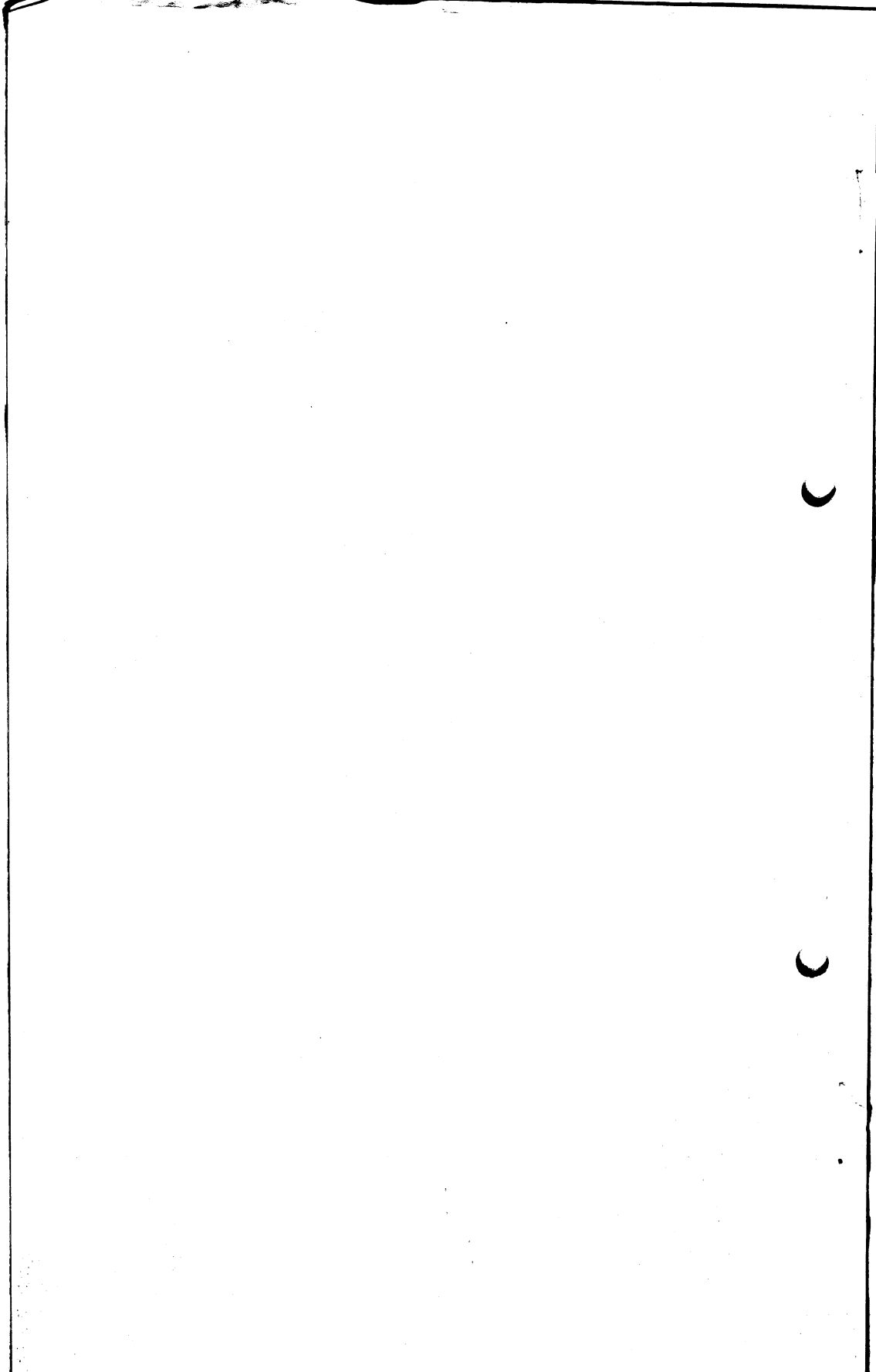
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THE THIRD EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT LOAN BILL, 1979

(Bill No. 14 of 1979)

(To be presented by the Minister for Finance)

MEMORANDUM IN TERMS OF THE STANDING ORDERS OF PARLIAMENT

The object of this Bill is to authorize the Minister for Finance to raise a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development of an amount equivalent to ten million one hundred thousand dollars (\$10,100,000), (approximately E8,400,000). The funds will be used for financing the Third Education Development Project.

D. LUKELE
Attorney-General

A BILL
entitled

An Act to authorise the raising of a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for the purpose of financing the Third Education Development Project.

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Third Education Development Loan Act, 1979.

Interpretation

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires –

“Agreement” means the Agreement referred to in section 3 and includes any documents relevant thereto;

“Loan” means the loan raised by the Minister in terms of section 3;

“Minister” means the Minister for Finance.

Authority to raise loan

3. The Minister is hereby authorised to enter into an Agreement with the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for the purpose of raising a loan not exceeding an amount equivalent to ten million one hundred thousand United States dollars (US \$10,100,000), (approximately E8,400,000) upon the terms and conditions set out in this Act and upon such other terms and conditions as he may consider appropriate.

Loan charges and repayments

4.
 - (1) The loan shall carry an interest rate of 7.95% per annum on the principal amount of the loan withdrawn and outstanding from time to time plus a commitment charge at the rate of 3/4 of 1% per annum on the principal amount of the loan not withdrawn from time to time.
 - (2) The loan shall be repayable over a period of fourteen years including a grace period of four years commencing from the date of the Agreement.

Charging of loan

5. The loan shall be charged upon the consolidated Fund and the assets of the Government of Swaziland.

Application of loan

6. The proceeds of the loan shall be used for promoting the educational policy and objectives of the Government of Swaziland so as to improve –
 - (a) the access, efficiency and relevance of primary and secondary education; and
 - (b) the management capacity of civil servants.

THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PARLIAMENT OF SWAZILAND
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 1979

(Bill No. 15 of 1979)

(To be presented by the Prime Minister)

MEMORANDUM IN TERMS OF THE STANDING ORDERS OF PARLIAMENT

The object of this Bill is to amend the Establishment of the Parliament of Swaziland Order, 1978, so as to provide for and validate the appointment of Assistant Ministers and Ministers of State to assist Ministers in the performance of their duties.

D. LUKELE

Attorney-General

A BILL

entitled

An Act to amend the Establishment of the Parliament of Swaziland Order, 1978,

ENACTED by the King and the Parliament of Swaziland.

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Establishment of the Parliament of Swaziland (Amendment) Act, 1979 and shall be read as one with the Establishment of the Parliament of Swaziland Order, 1978 (Order No. 23 of 1978), hereinafter referred to as "the Order".

Amendment of section 76

2. The Order is hereby amended by inserting the following new section 76 *bis* immediately after section 76 -

"Assistant Ministers and Ministers of State

76 *bis* (1) The King, acting on the advice of the Prime Minister, may appoint from among the elected or appointed members of either Chamber Assistant Ministers to assist Ministers in the performance of their duties and may, by direction in writing, designate an Assistant Minister to be a Minister of State.

(2) Any person who, at the commencement of this Act holds office as an Assistant Minister or a Minister of State, as the case may be, shall be deemed to have been appointed under this section.

(3) For the purposes of this section, during any period when Parliament is dissolved a person who was an elected or appointed member of either Chamber immediately before such dissolution shall be regarded as continuing as an elected or appointed member, as the case may be, of such Chamber.

(4) Section 71 shall apply in relation to an Assistant Minister or a Minister of State as it applies in relation to a Minister."

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