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CONSTITUTION OF BRUNEI DARUSSALAM (Order under section 83(3))

LEGAL PROFESSION ACT (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 2001

In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (3) of section 83 of the Constitution of Brunei Darussalam, His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan hereby makes the following Order —

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as the Legal Profession Act (Amendment) Order, 2001.

Amendment of section 2 of Chapter 132.

2. Section 2 of the Legal Profession Act (Chapter 132), in this Order referred to as the Act, is amended, in the definition of "legal officer", by adding "or any qualified person who has been retained by or who appears in any case (as defined in subsection [6] of section 7) on the instructions of the Government.".

Amendment of section 17.

- 3. Section 17 of the Act is amended by repealing subsection (2) and by substituting the following therefor -
 - "(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the following persons shall be deemed to be advocates and solicitors —
 - (a) any person who holds the office of Attorney General, Solicitor General, Deputy Public Prosecutor or any other office which His Majesty has by notice in the *Government Gazette* declared to be an office to which this subsection applies, for so long as he continues to hold such office; and
 - (b) any qualified person who has been retained by or who appears in any case (as defined in subsection (6) of section 7) on the instructions of the Government.".

BRUNEI DARUSSALAM GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Made this 9th. day of Jamadilakhir, 1422 Hijriah corresponding to the 28th. day of August, 2001 at Our Istana Nurul Iman, Bandar Seri Begawan, Brunei Darussalam.

HIS MAJESTY
THE SULTAN AND YANG DI-PERTUAN
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM