

I assent.

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**MARIE-LOUISE
COLEIRO PRECA
President**

27th May, 2016

ACT No. XXVII of 2016

*AN ACT to amend the Employment and Training Services Act,
Cap. 343.*

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:-

1. (1) The short title of this Act is the Employment and Training Services (Amendment) Act, 2016, and this Act shall be read and construed as one with the Employment and Training Services Act, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Short title and
commencement.
Cap. 343.

(2) This Act shall come into force on such date as the Minister responsible for labour may by notice in the Gazette establish, and different dates may be so established for different provisions of this Act.

2. In the Arrangement of Act of the principal Act, for the words "The Employment and Training Corporation" there shall be substituted the words "Jobsplus".

Amendment of
the
Arrangement of
Act of the
principal Act.

3. In article 2 of the principal Act, for the definition "Corporation" there shall be substituted the following:

Amendment of
article 2 of the
principal Act.

" "Corporation" means Jobsplus established by article 5 and, to the extent of the authority given, includes any officer of the Corporation duly authorized by it in that behalf;"

4. The heading of Part III of the principal Act shall be substituted by the following:

Substitution of
the heading of
Part III of the
principal Act.

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"Jobsplus".

Amendment of
article 5 of the
principal Act.

5. Sub-article (1) of article 5 of the principal Act shall be substituted by the following:

"(1) There shall be a Corporation to be known as Jobsplus."

General
amendment.

6. (1) For the words "the Employment and Training Corporation", and cognate expressions, wherever they occur in the principal Act, there shall be substituted the words "Jobsplus".

(2) Any reference in any other law to "the Employment and Training Corporation" shall be read and construed as a reference to "Jobsplus".

Passed by the House of Representatives at Sitting No. 392 of the 23rd May, 2016.

ANĠLU FARRUGIA
Speaker

RAYMOND SCICLUNA
Clerk of the House of Representatives

