

L.N. 166 of 2019

**LOCAL COUNCILS ACT
(CAP. 363)**

Local Councils (Procedures) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by article 72 of the Local Councils Act, the Minister responsible for Justice, Culture and Local Government has made the following regulations:-

Citation. **1.** The title of these regulations is the Local Councils (Procedures) (Amendment) Regulations, 2019, and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Local Councils (Procedures) Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".

S.L.363.12.

Amends the Second Schedule to the principal regulations. **2.** The Second Schedule to the principal regulations shall be amended as follows:

(a) in procedure P2.02 entitled "The Role of the Auditor General", in point b.02 thereof, for the words "Furthermore, a mid-term audit is to be carried out whenever there is a change in the Executive Secretary.", there shall be substituted the words "A mid-term audit shall only be carried out if requested by the Executive Secretary.";

(b) in procedure P2.04, entitled "Types of Audit and Reporting Requirements", in point d thereof:

(i) for the words "an independent hand-over exercise whenever", there shall be substituted the words "an independent exercise when";

(ii) immediately after the words "and another is appointed.", there shall be added the new words "This type of audit shall only be carried out if requested by the Executive Secretary."; and

(iii) for the words "covering the period April 1", there shall be substituted the words "covering the period from the beginning of the year".