

REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

CHAPTER 187

LABOUR WORK PERMITS (EXEMPTION) ORDER NO 17 OF 1993

To provide for exemption from labour work permits for certain persons working for religious institutions and establishments in Vanuatu.

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 1 (2)(e) of the Labour (Work Permits) Act [CAP.187], I, CHARLIE NAKO, Minister of Home Affairs make the following Order-

EXEMPTION FROM LABOUR WORK PERMITS

1. The class of persons listed in the Schedule hereto are exempted from the requirements of labour work permits.

QUALIFICATIONS

2. The persons to whom the provisions of this Order apply shall be persons of religious standing engaged in religious activities in religious institutions or establishments, and who must have attained the age of 55 years or over, and who must have resided in Vanuatu for 10 years or over.

COMMENCEMENT

3. This Order shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Gazette.

MADE at Port Vila this 26th day of May, 1993



HONOURABLE CHARLIE NAKO
Minister of Home Affairs

SCHEDULE

(Section 1 & 2)

List of Exempted Persons

1. Priesthood -

Ordained Ministers of Churches or Denominations.
Includes -

- (a) Bishops
- (b) Priests or Pastors
- (c) Deacons
- (d) Missionaries or Apostles.

2. Sisterhood -

Nuns or sisters

3. Brotherhood -

Brothers