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Passed by the National Parliament this third day of September 1992.

This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the Bill passed by Parliament and found by me to be a true and correct copy of the said Bill.

*J.M. Tuhaika
Clerk to the National Parliament*

Seventeenth

Assented to in Her Majesty's name and on Her Majesty's behalf this fifteenth day of September 1992.

*G.G.D. Lepping
Governor-General*

Date of commencement: see section 1.

AN ACT To Amend the Liquor Act.

ENACTED by the National Parliament of Solomon Islands.

Short title
and com-
mencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the Liquor (Amendment) Act, 1992, and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may appoint, by notice published in the Gazette.

Insertion of
new
definition
in Cap. 33.

2. Section 2 of the Liquor Act (hereinafter referred to as the "principal Act") is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the definition of "retail licence" the following -

"Sale" includes every method of disposition for valuable consideration including barter; and includes the disposition by an agent for sale on consignment; and also includes offering or attempting to sell, or receiving or having in possession for sale, or exposing for sale, or sending or delivery for sale, and also includes disposal by way of raffle, lottery, or other game of chance."

Amendment
of section
16.

3. Subsection 2 of section 16 of the principal Act is hereby amended in the following respects -

- (a) by deleting the words "the Principal Magistrate" and substituting therefor the words "a magistrate to be appointed by the Premier acting in accordance with the advice of the Chief Magistrate";
- (b) by deleting the word "and" that appears at the end of paragraph "c";
- (c) by deleting the full stop that appears at the end of paragraph (d) and substituting therefor a semi-colon and the word "and"; and
- (d) by adding immediately after paragraph "d" the following new paragraph as paragraph "e" thereof -

"(e) two other members resident in that Province".

Amendment
of the
Schedule of
Cap. 19.

4. The Traffic Act is hereby amended in the Schedule, by inserting at the end of Part II the following new paragraph -

" 21. An offence under section 68A of the Liquor Act (consuming liquor in a vehicle)."

