

# THIRD SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 5306 GIBRALTAR Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2026

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B. 21/26

## BILL

FOR

AN ACT to amend the Legal Services Act 2017

ENACTED by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

**Title.**

1. This Act may be cited as the Legal Services (Amendment) Act 2026.

**Commencement.**

2. This Act comes into operation on the day of publication.

**Amendments to the Legal Services Act 2017.**

3. The Legal Services Act 2017 is amended by substituting section 6(3)(c) with the following-

“(c) a person who is approved, admitted and enrolled as a Barrister or Solicitor in Gibraltar under the provisions of the Supreme Court Act and is-

- i in employment or intends to take up employment with the Government for the purposes of providing legal services to the Government, any statutory authority, any wholly owned Government company or corporation and the Gibraltar Savings Bank or either one of them;
- ii in employment or intends to take up employment with a statutory authority for the purposes of providing legal services to that statutory authority; or
- iii seconded, following employment by the Government, to a statutory authority for the purposes of providing legal services to that statutory authority,  
(Part 3); ”.

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM**

This Bill amends section 6(3)(c) of the Legal Services Act 2017 to extend the provision of legal services provided by persons in the employment of the Government to include the provision of legal services to any statutory authority, any wholly owned Government company or corporation and the Gibraltar Savings Bank.

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