

Criminal Law Codification (Persons who may lawfully possess,  
deal in or use industrial Hemp) Regulations, 2019

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IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Justice, Legal and Parliamentary Affairs, after consultation with the Minister of Health and Child Care has, in terms of section 161(g) of the Criminal Law Codification and Reform Act [*Chapter 9:23*], made the following regulations:—

*Title*

1. These regulations may be cited as the Criminal Law Codification and Reform (Persons who may lawfully possess, deal in or use industrial Hemp) Regulations, 2019.

*Interpretation*

2. In these regulations—

“industrial hemp” means the plant *cannabis sativa* L. and any part of that plant, including the seeds thereof and all derivatives, extracts, cannabinoids, isomers, acids, salts, and salts of isomers, whether growing or not with a delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of not more than 0,3 percent on a dry weight basis.

*Prescribed persons*

3. (1) Persons listed in the Schedule are hereby prescribed as persons who may lawfully acquire, possess and supply hemp.

(2) The prescribed persons shall on farms approved by the Minister for the purpose, cultivate industrial hemp for industrial purposes.

FIRST SCHEDULE

1. Any farmer so authorised in writing by the Minister of Lands, Agriculture, Water, Climate and Rural Resettlement.

2. The State or any of its organs on farms operated by the State or any such organ.