

CHAPTER 03:08
SPELLING OF PLACE NAMES
ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

SECTION

1. Short title
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3. Construction of reference in written laws to names of certain places

Act 34, 1970,
S.I. 110, 1970.

An Act to establish the correct spelling or versions of place names or enable them to be established.

[Date of Commencement; 26th August, 1970]

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Spelling of Place Names Act.

2. Correct spelling or version of names of certain places

(1) The spelling or version given in the first column of the Schedule as the approved spelling or version of the name of any place, of the name of which place another spelling or version, or one of the other spellings or versions, is given in the second column, shall for legal purposes be taken to be the correct spelling or version.

(2) The Minister may at any time add to or amend the Schedule by order published in the *Gazette*.

3. Construction of reference in written laws to names of certain places

Any reference in any written law, notice, deed of title, contract or other document to any place named in the Schedule shall be read and construed as if the spelling or version of the name of such place given in the Schedule as the approved spelling or version had been employed in such reference.

SCHEDULE

Approved Spelling or version

Bakaranga
Bisoli
Bonwapitse
Botete
Dibeti
Dikabeya
Gaborone
Isang
Kazungula
Kgale
Kuke
Letshana
Lobatse
Lose
Makoro
Malotwana
Metsemotlhaba
Mmadinare
Mmamabula
Mosomane
Motloutse
Notwane

Other Spelling or version

Vakaranga
Bosoli
Bonapitsi
Botletle
Debeeti
Dikabi
Gaberones
Isangsranch
Kasangula
Khale
Kuki
Lechana
Lobatsi
Losi
Mokopo
Molotoana
Metsimaolaba
Madinare
Mamabule
Artesia
Macloutsi
Notwani

Otse
Pandamatenga
Phala Road
Phikwe
Pitsane
Ramatlabama
Ramokgwebana
Ramotswa
Selebi
Sese
Sikwane
Serondela
Serule
Shashe
Tewane
Topisi
Tsamaya
Tshesebe

Ootsi
Panda ma Tenka
Palla Road
Pikwe
Pitsani
Ramatlhabama
Ramaquabane
Ramoutsa
Selibe
Sisi
Sequani
Serondellas
Seruli
Shashi
Towani
Topsi
Tsamaea
Tsessebe