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An Act to define the boundaries of the Tribal Territories.

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Tribal Territories Act.

2. Boundary of the Bamangwato Tribal Territory

Commencing at a point where the Boteti River intersects longitude 23°53'05" E., being a point on the Batawana Tribal Territory Boundary, the boundary runs generally eastwards and southwards along the Boteti River to its intersection with latitude 21°S; thence eastwards along the said latitude to where it is again intersected by the Boteti River at longitude 25°02'E; thence along the Boteti River in an easterly direction to a point where the river flows into the Ntsetse

Pan at approximately latitude 21°01'S and longitude 25°17'E; thence generally eastwards and northwards along the eastern edge of the Ntwetwe Pan to approximately latitude 20°21'S and longitude 25°35'E, being a point due east of beacon C of the old Francistown District Boundary; thence due west for approximately 46 km to the said beacon C at approximately latitude 20°21'S and longitude 25°10'E; thence northwards for approximately 32 km along the Ngamiland/Central District Boundary to approximately latitude 20°04'S and longitude 25°11'E; thence in a straight line west-northwestwards to the intersection of latitude 20°S with longitude 25°E, being the south-east corner of the Nxai Pan National Park; thence northwards along the eastern boundary of the said National Park for approximately 16 km to approximately latitude 19°51'30"S, being a point due west of the north-west corner of Farm 1 of Nata Farms Block K34; thence due east to the north-west corner of the aforementioned Farm No. 1; thence in a south-westerly direction along the western boundary of the Farm Block to its intersection with the Nata/Odiakwe road; thence eastwards along the said road to a point where the road is intersected by a cut-line at the south-east edge of the Damadamoga Farm Block; thence due east along this cut-line and its prolongation for 18 km to approximately 500 metres north of Nekati Pan; thence in a straight line for 15.7 km to a beacon situated in Modala village at latitude 20°07'04"S and longitude 26°13'02"E; thence in a straight line northeastwards for 54 km to Boundary Beacon 272 on the International Boundary between Botswana and Zimbabwe; thence generally southeastwards along the said International Boundary to its intersection with the western boundary of the North-East District at Boundary Beacon 1; thence generally southwards and eastwards along the said District Boundary until it meets the Shashe River; thence generally southwards along the Shashe River to its intersection with the eastern boundary of the Farm 1-NS; thence southwards along the said boundary to its intersection with the Tuli Circle; thence along the Tuli Circle boundary to its intersection with the northern boundary of the Tuli Block; thence in a generally southwestwards direction along the western boundary of the said Tuli Block to its intersection with the Notwane River at Lokala on the northern boundary of the Bakgatla Tribal Territory; thence generally northwestwards along the northern boundary of the Bakgatla Tribal Territory to Ramaselwane Hill at approximately latitude 23°34'50"S and longitude 26°01'57"E being a point at the northern limit of the Bakwena/Bakgatla Tribal Boundary; thence generally northwestwards along the northern boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory to Beacon B of Diagram DSL No. 26/29 of Farm 2-LO; thence northwestwards along the north-eastern boundary of Farms 2-LO 1-LO and the Central Kalahari Game Reserve for approximately 320 km to a beacon at latitude 21°00'00"S longitude 23°53'05"E being the southeast corner of the Batawana Tribal Territory; thence northwards along the eastern boundary of the Batawana Tribal Territory to the point of commencement as will more fully appear edged in red on Plan BP 182(d) deposited with the Department of Surveys and Lands.

Excluded from this area is the area comprising Sowa Township as defined in the Declaration of Townships Order made under the Townships Act.

3. Boundary of the Batawana Tribal Territory

The boundary of the Batawana Tribal Territory is as follows: Commencing at a beacon at latitude 21°00'00"S, longitude 23°53'05"E, being the North Eastern corner of the Ghanzi District and the South Western corner of the Bamangwato Tribal Territory, the boundary runs due north through a marked tree on the south bank of the Boteti River at Makalamabedi; thence continuing northwards along the meridian of longitude 23°53'05"E to the intersection of this meridian with the northern boundary of Botswana/Namibia; thence in a westerly direction along the northern boundary aforesaid to the point of intersection of the said northern boundary of Botswana with the twenty-first meridian of longitude East; thence in a southwards direction along the twenty-first meridian of East longitude to the point of intersection of this meridian with the twenty-first parallel of South Latitude; thence eastwards along the twenty-first parallel of South Latitude to the point of commencement. Commencing at a point marked PHU1 (20mm

iron peg in concrete, co-ordinates, latitude 20°11'18.759545, longitude 24° 27'45.02366E) being a beacon 8 km from the centre of Phuduhudu settlement along Maun Road, the boundary turns northwards to a point marked PHU2 (20mm iron peg in concrete co-ordinates, latitude 20°08'38.721495, longitude 24°28'15.49895E) at a distance of 5.00 km from the Maun Road; thence eastwards for 13.2 km to a point marked PHU3 (20 mm iron peg in concrete co-ordinates, latitude 20°09'54.973335, longitude 24°35'42.76221E); thence southwards for 5.01 km to a point marked PHU4 (20mm iron peg in concrete, coordinates, latitude 20°12.35.162435, longitude 24°35'11. 97926E) being a beacon 5 km from the center of Phuduhudu settlement along the road to Nata, as will fully appear on plan No. ON-8 deposited with the Department of Surveys and Mapping.

4. Boundary of the Bakgatla Tribal Territory

The boundary of the Bakgatla Tribal Territory is as follows:-

Commencing at a beacon on Dikgokong or Wildebeeste Kop at latitude 24°43'23-9"S, longitude 26°00'30-6"E, being a beacon on the International Boundary between Botswana and South Africa, which beacon is called "VIII" on Diagram DSL No. A3384/1922 of the Farm Almond Hill 3-KP, the boundary runs in a northwesterly direction along the northern boundary of the said Farm to a beacon lettered "Md" on the said diagram, being a beacon on the summit of Modipe Hill at latitude 24°38'46"S, longitude 26°09'06"E; thence continuing in a northwesterly direction along the northern boundary of the Farm Clent 2-KP to a beacon lettered "A" on Diagram DSL No. B1883/1912 of the said Farm Clent 2-KP; thence continuing in a northwesterly direction along the northern boundary of the Farm Kenmoir 1-KP to a beacon on the top of Oodi Mountain called "Oodi" on Diagram DSL No. B1882/1912 of the Farm Kenmoir 1-KP at latitude 24°34'44"S, longitude 26°02'00"E; thence continuing in a northwesterly direction through beacon "B" of the said diagram to the middle of the Notwane River; thence continuing in a straight line along the northern boundary of the Farm Sowenflat 2-KO to a beacon lettered "A" on Diagram DSL No. A339/1916 of the said Farm Sowenflat 2-KO; thence continuing in a straight line along the northern boundary of the Farm Content 1-KO to a beacon called "A" on Diagram DSL No. B3221/1912 of the said Farm Content 1-KO, being a beacon on the eastern boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory; thence in a straight line along the northern boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory to the confluence of the Kopong and Metsemotlhaba Rivers; thence up the middle of the Kopong River to its source near the base of Kopong Hill at approximate latitude 24°23'25"S, longitude 25°53'37"E; thence to the summit of Kopong Hill at approximate latitude 24°23'09"S, longitude 25°54'22"E; thence in a straight line northeast to a beacon in the bed of the Kgope River just north of Kgope Wells at approximate latitude 24°20'00"S, longitude 25°56'32"E; thence northwards up the middle of the Kgope River to a point 1.3 km east of Kgope Hill; thence due west for 1.3 km to a beacon 50 metres east of Trigonometrical Beacon BPS 145 at latitude 24°17'07"S, longitude 25°57'20"E; thence northwards up a cut line along the eastern boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory to a beacon on a hill 5 km west of Ramaselwane Village at latitude 23°34'51"S, longitude 26°01'57"E, this beacon being on the southern boundary of the Bamangwato Tribal Territory; thence eastwards along the southern boundary of the Bamangwato Tribal Territory to the intersection of this boundary with the Notwane River at Lokala; thence in a generally northeasterly direction along the middle of the Notwane River to its junction with the Crocodile River being a point on the International Boundary between Botswana and South Africa; thence in a southerly direction along the International Boundary to the point of commencement.

5. Boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory

Commencing at the south-west beacon of the Farm Crocodile Pools No. 15-KO of the Gaborone Block, the boundary runs in a straight line west-northwest for 3.7 km to a point where it crosses the Fikeng River in the Phatayalefika at latitude 24°46'50"S longitude 25°40'48"E; thence in a straight line west-northwestwards to Dinawe Hill; thence in a straight line northwestwards to a beacon on Motlhabeng Hills, approximately 600 metres after crossing the

Kolobeng River; thence in a straight line northwestwards for approximately 18 km to a point in the middle of the Mahatelo River at latitude 24°41'05"S, longitude 25°26'33"E; thence in a generally westerly direction up the centre of the said river to its junction with the Kubung River; thence generally northwards up the centre of the Kubung River to a point at latitude 24°39'07"S, longitude 25°19'37"E, being approximately 500 metres north of the junction of the Mapheleu River with the Kubung River; thence in a straight line west-northwestwards to the intersection of latitude 24°S with longitude 23°03'34"E, which longitude passes 4.8 km west of Kokong Pan in the Southern District; thence due north along this meridian of longitude to approximately latitude 23°36'S, this latitude being approximately 6.6 km south of Tsetseng Village; thence due west along this latitude for 9.65 km; thence due north for 17.7 km; thence due east for 9.65 km to longitude 23°03'34"E; thence due north along the said longitude to its intersection with the Southern Boundary of Central Kalahari Game Reserve, being also the North-East Corner of the Kgalagadi Tribal Area; thence eastwards along the said boundary to the South West beacon of Farm 1-LO, Diagram DSL No. 25/69 which beacon is on the same latitude as beacon B of Diagram DSL No. 26/69 Farm 2-LO; thence northeastwards along the western boundary of the said farm to Beacon A of the said Diagram, being a point on the south-western boundary of the Bamangwato Tribal Territory; thence south-eastwards along the north-eastern boundary of the said Farm and along the north-eastern boundary of Farm 2-LO, Diagram DSL No. 26/69, to beacon B of the said diagram; thence in an east-southeasterly direction along the Veterinary Cordon Fence to Lephephe Pan; thence southeastwards along the said fence to approximate latitude 23°34'51"S, longitude 26°01'57"E, being a beacon on a hill 5 km west of Ramaselwane Village where the boundaries of the Bakwena, Bakgatla and Bamangwato Tribal Territories meet; thence southwards along a cut-line defining the western boundary of the Bakgatla Tribal Territory, to a beacon on Kgope Hill 50 metres east of Trigonometrical Survey Station BPS 145 at latitude 24°17'07"S, longitude 25°57'20"E; thence in a straight line due east for 1.3 km to its intersection with the middle of the Kgope River; thence generally southwestwards up the middle of the said river to Kgope Wells to a beacon at latitude 24°20'00"S, longitude 25°56'32"E; thence in a straight line south-west to the summit of Kopong Hill at latitude 24°23'09"S, longitude 25°54'22"E; thence in a straight line southwestwards for approximately 1.5 km to the source of a stream being a tributary of the Kopong River at latitude 24°23'25"S, longitude 25°53'37"E; thence generally southwards along this stream to its junction with the Kopong River; thence generally southwards and eastwards along the Kopong River to its junction with the Metsemotlhaba River; thence in a straight line southwestwards to the northern beacon of the Farm Content No. 1-KO of the Gaborone Block; thence southwestwards along the western boundary of the Gaborone Block to the point of commencement, as will more fully appear on Plan 182-E filed with the Department of Surveys and Lands.

Excluded from this area is the Khutse Game Reserve as defined in paragraph 9 of the First Schedule to the Wildlife Conservation and National Parks Act.

6. Boundary of the Bangwaketse Tribal Territory

The boundary of the Bangwaketse Tribal Territory is as follows:

Commencing at the southwest beacon of the Farm Crocodile Pools 15-KO about 2 km southeast of the eastern entrance of the gorge known as Phatayalefika and being the point where the boundaries of the Bangwaketse, Bakwena and Bamalete Tribal Territories all meet, the boundary runs southwards for 7.4 km to a beacon situated approximately half-way between the aforesaid south-western beacon of the Farm 15-KO and Kike Hill; thence in a southwesterly direction to a beacon on Lekgolobotlo Ridge; thence in a southeasterly direction to a beacon on Morolwana Hill; thence in a southwesterly direction to a beacon 3.22 km southwest of Mogotlhwane Hill; thence in an easterly direction to a beacon situated 1.61 km south of Noga Hill, being a beacon on the western boundary of the Lobatse Block; thence in a southeasterly direction along the western boundary of the Lobatse Block as shown on Diagram DSL No. B582/1912 to a beacon on the northern boundary of the Barolong Farms; thence in a westerly

direction to a beacon on Kgoro Hill; thence continuing westwards to a beacon close to and lying to the northwest of Mogwalale Pan; thence in a southwesterly direction to beacon "P" of Lease Area 5-JO as shown on General Plan DSL No. 15/65; thence in a westerly direction along the northern boundaries of Lease Areas 5-JO, 4-JO, 3-JO, 2-JO and 1-JO to the northwest corner beacon "A" thereof; thence continuing westwards to the northwest beacon of the Farm called "Musi"; thence in a southwesterly direction along the Farm called "Musi" and the Farm called "Dikgathong" to the northwest corner beacon thereof; thence southwards, eastwards and northeastwards along the boundary of the Farm "Dikgathong", and northeastwards and eastwards along the southern boundary of the Farm "Musi" to the southeast corner beacon thereof, being also the southwest corner beacon "D" of Lease Area 6-JO as shown on General Plan DSL No. 15/65; thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundaries of Lease Areas 6-JO, 7-JO, 8-JO and 9-JO to the southeast corner beacon "U" thereof, being a beacon on the western boundary of the Barolong Farms; thence in a southwesterly direction along the western boundary of the Barolong Farms to the intersection of this boundary with the median-line of the Molopo River near Phiring Spruit; thence in a westerly direction along the median-line of the Molopo River to a beacon approximately 1.6 km west of Mabule; thence northwards to a beacon on the parallel of latitude passing through the blazed tree known as "Blazed Tree No. 2", approximately 12.9 km north of Mabule; thence westwards to beacon "E" of the Farm Molopo Ranch No. 1-JN as shown on Diagram DSL No. 42/63; thence westwards, northwestwards and northwards through beacons "D" and "C" of the said Farm 1-JN to beacon "B" thereof; thence continuing northwards along the eastern boundary of the Farm Oxford 2-JN to beacon "D" thereof as shown on Diagram DSL No. 32/64; thence continuing northwards along the eastern boundary of the Farm Pembroke 5-JN to beacon "D" thereof as shown on Diagram DSL No. 27/65; thence continuing northwards along the eastern boundary of Farm 6-JN to a beacon "B" of Farm 9-JN, being Farms in the Molopo Extension Farms as shown on Plan JM7 filed in the office of the Director of Surveys and Lands, such beacon being at approximate latitude 24°59'52"S, longitude 24°15'02"E; thence in a northwesterly direction for approximately 22.4 km along the northeastern boundary of the said Farm 9-JN to a beacon "C" at latitude 24°51'13"S, longitude 24°05'31"E; this beacon is situated on that parallel of latitude which passes 16.1 km south of the centre of Khakhea Pan; thence continuing westwards along the northern boundary of the Molopo Farms Extension to the point of intersection with meridian 23°03'34"E longitude at approximate latitude 24°51'10"S, which meridian passes 4.8 km west of Kgokong Pan; thence due north up a cut-line along the said meridian to its junction with the southwest corner of the Bakwena Tribal Territory; thence in a generally southeasterly direction along the southern boundary of the Bakwena Tribal Territory to the point of commencement, as will more fully appear edged in red on Plan 182-F deposited with the Director of Surveys and Lands.

7. Boundary of the Bamalete Tribal Territory

The boundary of the Bamalete Tribal Territory is as follows:

Commencing at the southeastern beacon of the Farm Crocodile Pools 15-KO in the Gaborone Block, being a point on the International Boundary between Botswana and South Africa, the boundary runs in a west-northwesterly direction along the southern boundary of the said Farm to the southwestern beacon, being approximately 2 km southeast of the eastern entrance of the gorge known as Phatayalefika and being that point where the boundaries of the Bamalete, Bakwena and Bangwaketse meet; thence in a southerly direction to a beacon approximately half-way between the aforesaid southwestern beacon of the Farm Crocodile Pools 15-KO and a beacon on Kike Hill; thence in a southwesterly direction to a beacon on Lekgolobotlo Ridge; thence in a southeasterly direction to a beacon on Morolwana Hill; thence in a southwesterly direction to a beacon 3.22 km southwest of Magothwane Hill; thence in an easterly direction to a beacon 1.6 km south of Noga Hill; thence in a southerly direction to beacon "D" as shown on Diagram DSL No. 2796/42 of Portion 1 of the Farm Quethiok 2-JO;

thence in an easterly direction to beacon "C" of the said Diagram DSL No. 2796/42, which beacon is lettered "A" on Diagram DSL No. 144/85 of Portion 4 of the Farm Maroekwe 4-JO; thence in a southerly direction for 920.75 metres to beacon F of the said Diagram DSL No. 144/85 having coordinates y-68769.44, X 2 773 787.24; thence in a southwesterly direction for 4233.41 metres to beacon E of the aforementioned Diagram DSL No. 144/85 having coordinates of y-72552.52, X 2 775 687.26; thence in a generally northerly direction along the western boundary of the Railway Strip 7-JO, through beacons D and C to beacon B of Diagram DSL No. 144/85, having coordinates of y-72845.46, x 2 774 989.87, this beacon is lettered "G" on Diagram DSL No. 3978/42 of Portion 2 of the Farm Quethiok 2-JO; thence in a northerly direction along the western boundary of the Railway Strip 7-JO through beacons "F", "E", "D", "C" and "B" of Diagram DSL No. 3978/42; thence eastwards to the northwest beacon of the Farm Aberlemno 3-JO on Diagram DSL No. 216/1913; thence following the northern boundaries of the said Farm Aberlemno 3-JO until the boundary meets the International Boundary between Botswana and South Africa; thence in a generally north-easterly direction along the said International Boundary to the point of commencement.

The remainder of the Farm Forest Hill 9-KO from which has been deducted Tribal Grant No. 21-KO as per Diagram DSL No. 3/85.

All quoted coordinates are in metres on Trigonometrical System Lo 25 degrees.

8. Boundary of the Batlokwa Tribal Territory

The boundary of the Batlokwa Tribal Territory is as follows:-

Commencing at a point in the middle of the Notwane River where the line EA of Diagram DSL No. 1882/1912 of the Farm Kenmoir 1-KP intersects the middle of the Notwane River, the boundary runs in a south-easterly direction to beacon E of the said Diagram DSL No. 1882/1912; thence continuing in a south-easterly direction to beacon C of Diagram DSL No. 1980/1918 of Portion 1 of the Farm Kenmoir 1-KP; thence northeastwards to beacon D of the said Diagram DSL No. 1980/1918; thence southeastwards to beacon A of Diagram DSL No. 1980/1918; thence northeastwards to beacon C of Diagram 1882/1912 of the Farm Kenmoir 1-KP called A on Diagram DSL No. 1883/1912 of the Farm Clent 2-KP; thence in a south-easterly direction along the northern boundary of the Farm Clent 2-KP to a beacon called Md on Diagram DSL No. 1883/1912, being a beacon on the summit of Modipe (Moripe) Hill at latitude 24°38'46"S, longitude 26°09'06"E, this beacon is also called Md on Diagram DSL No. 3384/1922 of the Farm Almond Hill 3-KP; thence southeastwards along the northern boundary of the said Farm Almond Hill 3-KP to a beacon called VIII on Diagram DSL No. 3384/1922 at latitude 24°43'25-9"S, longitude 26°00'30-6"S, this beacon being situate on the summit of Dikgokong Hill also known as Wildebeeste Kop, being a point on the International Boundary between Botswana and South Africa; this beacon is also called VIII on Diagram DSL No. 581/1912 of the Gaborone Block 6-KO; thence southwestwards to a beacon called VII on Diagram DSL No. 581/1912 at latitude 24°41'55"S, longitude 25°59'21"E; thence southwestwards to a beacon called B on Diagram DSL No. 21/1916 of the Farm Notwane 14-KO; thence northwestwards through the beacon called A on Diagram DSL No. 21/1916 along the prolongation of the line BA on Diagram DSL No. 21/1916 to the middle of the Notwane River; thence downstream in a generally northeast direction to the point of commencement.