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GRENADA

ACT NO. 5 OF 2020**I assent,**

CÉCILE E. F. LA GRENADE

*Governor-General.**27th August, 2020.*

AN ACT to amend the Consumer Protection Act No. 2 of 2018.

[4th September, 2020].

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Representatives and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the—

Short title.

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and shall be read as one with the Consumer Protection Act No. 2 of 2018, hereinafter referred to as the “principal Act”.

2. Section 8 of the principal Act is amended by repealing subsection (1) and substituting therefor the following new subsection—

Amendment
of section 8 of
principal Act.

“(1) There shall be a Director of the Consumer Affairs Office who shall be an officer in public service.”

Amendment of section 10 of principal Act.

3. Section 10 of the principal Act is amended by repealing paragraph (c).

Amendment of section 13 of principal Act.

4. Section 13 of the principal Act is amended as follows—

(a) by inserting before subsection (1) the following new subsection—

“(1) The complainant may request that the matter be referred to the Tribunal if—

(a) the Office is satisfied that the complaint qualifies under one or more grounds under section 32;

(b) the complainant has received no reasonable redress; and

(c) the complainant makes the payment of the prescribed fee.”;

(b) renumbering subsections (1) and (2) as subsections (2) and (3) respectively.

Correction of numbering of section 31 of principal Act.

5. The principal Act is amended by correcting the numbering of the heading “Who may lodge a complaint” as section “31” as opposed to section “11”.

Amendment of section 33 of principal Act.

6. Section 33 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) in the chapeau by deleting the words “and receipt of payment of the prescribed fee” after the words “Upon receipt of the complaint”.

Amendment of section 34 of principal Act.

7. Section 34 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (5) (c) by deleting the words “section 38 (4)” after the words “in accordance with” and substituting therefor the words “section 36 (4)”.

8. Section 35 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by deleting the words “section 34 (9)” after the words “in accordance with” and substituting therefor the words “section 34 (8)”.

Amendment of section 35 of principal Act.

9. Section 54 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (3) by deleting the words “respondent” and “respondent’s” wherever they appear and substituting therefor the words “defendant” and “defendant’s” respectively.

Amendment of section 54 of principal Act.

10. Schedule I to the principal Act is amended in section 3 in the chapeau by deleting the word “Tribunal” after the words “Each member of the” and substituting therefor the words “Advisory Body”.

Amendment of Schedule I to principal Act.

11. Schedule II to the principal Act is amended in paragraph 5 (d) by deleting the words “subsection (14)” after the words “fails to comply with” and substituting therefor the words “paragraph 15”.

Amendment of Schedule II to principal Act.

Passed by the House of Representatives this 29th day of July, 2020.

ANDREW AUGUSTINE
Clerk to the House of Representatives (Ag.).

Passed by the Senate this 5th day of August, 2020.

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Clerk to the Senate (Ag.).

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