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AN ACT TO AMEND THE REGISTER OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP ACT, 2018

[Date of Assent - 2nd August, 2019]

Enacted by the Parliament of The Bahamas

1. Short title and commencement.

- (1) This Act, which amends the Register of Beneficial Ownership Act, 2018 (No. 38 of 2018), may be cited as the Register of Beneficial Ownership (Amendment) Act, 2019.
- (2) This Act shall come into force on such date to be appointed by the Minister by notice published in the *Gazette*.

2. Amendment of section 2 of No. 38 of 2018.

Section 2 of the Register of Beneficial Ownership Act, 2018 is amended by the deletion of the definition of "legal entity" and the substitution of the following

""legal entity" means an entity incorporated, registered, continued or otherwise established in accordance with —

- (a) the Companies Act (Ch. 308);
- (b) the International Business Companies Act (Ch. 309);
- (c) the Partnership Act (Ch. 310);
- (d) the Partnership Limited Liability Act (Ch. 311); and
- (e) the Exempted Limited Partnership Act (Ch. 312);".