
ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS.

Section.

PART I—PRELIMINARY.

1. Short title and commencement.

Section 98 of the Land Act, 1998 is amended by—

(a) substituting for subsection (6) the following—

“(6) Where any case relating to a land dispute was pending before a Magistrates’ Court or a Local Council Court prior to the coming into force of this Act, the case shall continue to be heard by the Magistrates’ Court or the Local Council Court until completion”.

(b) substituting for subsection (7) the following—

“(7) Until the Land Tribunals are established and commence to operate under this Act, Magistrates’ Court and Local Council Courts shall continue to have Jurisdiction they had immediately before the commencement of this Act”.

(c) by adding a new subsection (8) to read as follows—

“(8) Any person who immediately before the commencement of this Act had a right to appeal to a Magistrate’s Court or a Local Council Court in respect of a Land dispute but could not exercise that right owing to the provisions of subsection (7) of this section as they stood at the commencement of this Act, shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary, have the right to appeal to that Court”.