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## ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) LAW, 1993

In pursuance of the Provisional National Defence Council (Establishment) Proclamation 1981, this Law is hereby made:

1. The Atomic Energy Commission Act, 1963 (Act 204) referred to in this Law as "the principal enactment" is amended by the insertion immediately after section 9 of the following new section:

"Establishment of Radiation Protection Board and other Institutes of Commission.

9A (1) There is hereby established under the Commission a Radiation Protection Board.

(2) The Radiation Protection Board shall be the licencing authority in Ghana for the issuance of licences required for the purposes of radiation protection, and shall have such powers and functions as may be prescribed by legislative instrument made under this Act.

(3) The membership of the Radiation Protection Board, its management and procedure shall be as may be prescribed.

(4) Without prejudice to section 8 of the principal enactment and subsection (1) of this section, the Commission may establish such other institutes and boards as it considers necessary for the effective implementation of its functions."

2. Section 10 of the principal enactment is amended by—

(a) the insertion after section 10 (d) of the following:

"(e) matters relating to radiation protection";

(b) the insertion of a new subsection 10 (2) as follows:

"(2) Regulations made under this section may provide for fees, offences and penalties".

Section 10 of Act 204 amended.

3. The Atomic Energy Commission (Amendment) Law, 1982 (P.N.D.C.L. 37) is hereby repealed.

Made this 5th day of January, 1993.

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Ch. Man. of the Provisional National Defence Council

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