FIRST SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

No. 3485 of 4 August , 2005

I ASSENT,

FRANCIS RICHARDS,

GOVERNOR.

2nd August, 2005.



GIBRALTAR

No. 49 of 2005.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Employment Ordinance.

 E_{NACTED} by the Legislature of Gibraltar.

Title.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Employment (Amendment) Ordinance 2005.

Amendment of the Employment Ordinance.

2. The Employment Ordinance is amended by inserting after section 89 the following section—

"Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.

- 90.(1) For the avoidance of doubt, the Supreme Court shall retain its inherent jurisdiction over matters arising under this Ordinance notwithstanding that this Ordinance confers jurisdiction in relation to such matters on the Industrial Tribunal.
- (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the Supreme Court may, in its absolute discretion, decline jurisdiction where the only issue to be referred to the court is one over which the Industrial Tribunal has jurisdiction by virtue of this Ordinance.
- (3) Subsection (2) shall not apply where the relief sought by any party to the proceedings is not available in the Industrial Tribunal or where the Court does not consider it expedient or equitable for such relief to be sought from the Industrial Tribunal.".

Passed by the Gibraltar House of Assembly on the 27th day of July, 2005.

D. J. REYES,

Clerk to the Assembly.

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