SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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NATURE PROTECTION ACT 1991

NATURE PROTECTION (GIBRALTAR NATURE RESERVE AND UPPER ROCK RESERVE) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2023

In exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 21 and 24 of the Nature Protection Act 1991, and after consulting the Nature Conservancy Council, the Government has made the following Regulations –

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Nature Conservation Area (Gibraltar Nature Reserve) (Protection and Regulation) (Amendment) Regulations 2023.

Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on the day of publication.

Amendment of the Nature Conservation Area (Gibraltar Nature Reserve)(Protection and Regulation) Regulations 1993.

3.(1) The Nature Conservation Area (Gibraltar Nature Reserve)(Protection and Regulation) Regulations 1993 are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 2-

- (a) for the definition of "Reserve" substitute ""Reserve" means the Gibraltar Nature Reserve designated in the Nature Conservation (Designation of Gibraltar Nature Reserve and Upper Rock Nature Reserve) Order 2023;";
- (b) for the definition of "Upper Rock Reserve" substitute ""Upper Rock Reserve" means the Upper Rock Nature Reserve designated in the Nature Conservation (Designation of Gibraltar Nature Reserve and Upper Rock Nature Reserve) Order 2023;".

Amendment of the Nature Protection Act (Powers and Duties of Wildlife Wardens) Regulations 2013.

4.(1) The Nature Protection Act (Powers and Duties of Wildlife Wardens) Regulations 2013 are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 3(1) for "Nature Conservation Area (Upper Rock Nature Reserve)(Protection and Regulation) Regulations, 1993" substitute "Nature Conservation Area (Gibraltar Nature Reserve)(Protection and Regulation) Regulations 1993".

Dated 21st September 2023.

PROF J CORTES, Minister with responsibility for the Environment, For the Government.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the definitions of Nature Reserve and Upper Rock Reserve in line with the Nature Conservation (Designation of Gibraltar Nature Reserve and Upper Rock Reserve) Order 2023.