

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR
GAZETTE**

No. 4270 of 09 June, 2016

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 118 OF 2016.

TOWN PLANNING ACT 1999

**TOWN PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT)
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2016**

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by sections 23 and 44 of the Town Planning Act 1999, the Minister has made these Regulations–

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Town Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Amendment) Regulations 2016.

Commencement.

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

Amendment.

3.(1) The Town Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 14(6)(b) 2000 are amended in accordance with the provisions of this regulation.

(2) In regulation (2)(1)–

(a) in the definition “screening opinion” for “.” substitute “;” and

(b) by inserting the following definitions after the definition “screening opinion”–

““the public” means one or more natural or legal persons and, in accordance with any law or practice, their associations, organisations or groups;

“the public concerned” means the public affected or likely to be affected by, or having an interest in an EIA application and for the purposes of this definition, non-governmental organisations

promoting environmental protection, subject to meeting any requirements under national law shall be deemed to have an interest;”.

(3) In regulation 14(6)(b) by inserting the words “including information about the public participation process” after “considerations to which the decision is based”.

Dated 9th June, 2016.

P J BALBAN,
Minister with responsibility for Town Planning.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the Town Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2000.