Chapter 10: Public Administration

- (a) a South African citizen; and
- (b) a fit and proper person with knowledge of, or experience in, administration, management or the provision of public services.
- (11) A commissioner may be removed from office only on—
 - (a) the ground of misconduct, incapacity or incompetence;
 - (b) a finding to that effect by a committee of the National Assembly or, in the case of a commissioner nominated by the Premier of a province, by a committee of the legislature of that province: and
 - (c) the adoption by the Assembly or the provincial legislature concerned, of a resolution with a supporting vote of a majority of its members calling for the commissioner's removal from office.
- (12) The President must remove the relevant commissioner from office upon—
 - the adoption by the Assembly of a resolution calling for that commissioner's removal: or
 - (b) written notification by the Premier that the provincial legislature has adopted a resolution calling for that commissioner's removal.
- (13) Commissioners referred to in subsection (7)(b) may exercise the powers and perform the functions of the Commission in their provinces as prescribed by national legislation.

Public Service

- 197. (1) Within public administration there is a public service for the Republic, which must function, and be structured, in terms of national legislation, and which must loyally execute the lawful policies of the government of the day.
 - (2) The terms and conditions of employment in the public service must be regulated by national legislation. Employees are entitled to a fair pension as regulated by national legislation.
 - (3) No employee of the public service may be favoured or prejudiced only because that person supports a particular political party or cause.
 - (4) Provincial governments are responsible for the recruitment, appointment, promotion, transfer and dismissal of members of the public service in their administrations within a framework of uniform norms and standards applying to the public service.