

Amnesty Law, 2014, August

Since it is necessary to promote political stability, everlasting peace, trust, guarantees, and national reconciliation, under the protection of item V, number 2, of the article 179 of the Constitution of the Republic, the Republican Assembly determine:

Article 1

1. All citizens who committed crimes against National Security defined and punished by the Law 19/91, of 16th of August, or against the military or related crimes established by the Law 17/87 of the 21st of October are amnestied.
2. The amnesty applies to crimes committed against people and property, within the scope of military or connected hostilities that happened within the national territory from March of 2012 until the day this law will enter into force.
3. The Amnesty will also apply to similar cases that occurred in the District of Dondo, Administrative Post of Savane in 2002, in the District of Cheringoma, in 2004 and in the District of Marínguè in 2011.
4. Related crimes are those considered to be related in nature to military crimes and crimes against National Security.

Article 2

The State will guarantee the protection against any criminal procedure on acts or facts covered by the Amnesty.

Article 3

This Law will come into force on its date of publication

Approved by the Assembly of the Republic in August 2014

Signed by President of the Assembly of the Republic, Veronica Nataniel Macamo Dlhovo

Promulgated by the President of the Republic, Armando Emilio Guebuza