

**BELIZE:**

**PASSPORTS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2018**

**ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 3.
3. Commencement.



No. 11 of 2018

I assent,

(SIR COLVILLE N. YOUNG)

*Governor-General*

13<sup>th</sup> April, 2018.

**AN ACT to amend the Passports Act, Chapter 164 of the Substantive Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2011; to provide, as a companion measure to amendments to the Immigration Act, Chapter 156, and the Belizean Nationality Act, Chapter 161, for the bifurcation of functions related to nationality and immigration services; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.**

*(Gazetted 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2018)*

***BE IT ENACTED, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives and Senate of Belize and by the authority of the same, as follows:***

1. This Act may be cited as the

Short title.

**PASSPORTS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2018,**

CAP. 164.  
3 of 2014.  
14 of 2016.

and shall be read and construed as one with the Passports Act, which, as amended, is hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.

Amendment  
of section 3.

2. Section 3 (1) of the principal Act is amended by deleting from paragraph (c) the term “Principal Immigration Officer” and substituting the words “Director of Nationality and Passports, appointed under the Belizean Nationality Act”.

Commencement.

3. This Act comes into force on a date appointed by the Minister by Order published in the *Gazette*.