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MALTA**KAMRA TAD-DEPUTATI****HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

ABBOZZ ta' Liġi mressaq mill-Onorevoli Agatha Barbara, M.P., Ministru tax-Xogħol, Kultura u Għajjnuna Soċjali, u moqri għall-Ewwel darba fis-Seduta tal-25 ta' Ġunju, 1979.

A BILL introduced by the Honourable Agatha Barbara, M.P., Minister of Labour, Culture and Welfare, and read the First time at the Sitting of the 25th June, 1979.

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IL-PRESIDENT, bil-parir u l-kunsens tal-Kamra tad-Deputati, imlaqqgħa f'dan il-Parlament, u bl-awtorità ta' l-istess, hareġ b'liġi dan li ġej:—

Titolu fil-qosor.

1. Dan l-Att jista' jissejjaħ l-Att ta' l-1979 li jemenda l-Att dwar il-Hinijiet tax-Xogħol tal-Ħwienet u tal-Bejjiegħa fit-Toroq (Emenda Nru. 2), u għandu jinqara u jiftiehem haġa waħda ma' l-Att ta' l-1957 dwar il-Hinijiet tax-Xogħol tal-Ħwienet u tal-Bejjiegħa fit-Toroq, hawnhekk iżjed 'il quddiem imsejjaħ "l-Att prinċipali".

Emenda ta' l-artikolu 7 ta' l-Att prinċipali.

2. L-artikolu 7 ta' l-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi emendat kif ġej:

(i) fis-subartikolu (1) tiegħu minnufih wara l-kliem "l-Gimġha l-Kbira" għandhom jiżdiedu l-kliem " u fil-każ ta' ħwienet tal-merċa fil-Ħdud u btajjel pubbliċi oħra"; u

(ii) is-subartikolu (3) tiegħu għandu jithassar.

Emenda ta' l-artikolu 9 ta' l-Att prinċipali.

3. Fl-ewwel proviso għall-artikolu 9 ta' l-Att prinċipali, il-kliem "jew fil-paragrafu (a) tas-subartikolu (3)" għandhom jithassru.

Għanijiet u Raġunijiet

L-Għan ta' dan l-Abbozz huwa li jemenda l-Att ta' l-1957 dwar il-Hinijiet tax-Xogħol tal-Ħwienet u tal-Bejjiegħa fit-Toroq, sabiex jipprojbixxi lill-ħwienet kollha tal-merċa milli jiftħu nhar ta' Hadd u btajjel pubbliċi oħra.

A BILL**entitled**

AN ACT further to amend the Shops and Hawkers (Business Hours) Act, 1957.

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Shops and Hawkers (Business Hours) (Amendment) (No. 2) Act, 1979, and shall be read and construed as one with the Shops and Hawkers (Business Hours) Act, 1957, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act". Short title.
2. Section 7 of the principal Act shall be amended as follows: Amendment of section 7 of the principal Act.
 - (i) in subsection (1) thereof immediately after the words "Good Fridays" there shall be added the words "and in the case of grocery shops on Sundays and other public holidays"; and
 - (ii) subsection (3) thereof shall be repealed.
3. In the first proviso to section 9 of the principal Act, the words "or in paragraph (a) of subsection (3)" shall be deleted. Amendment of section 9 of the principal Act.

Objects and Reasons

The Object of this Bill is to amend the Shops and Hawkers (Business Hours) Act, 1957, so as to prohibit the opening of all grocery shops on Sundays and other public holidays.