

**BELIZE:**

**HOTELS AND TOURIST ACCOMMODATION (AMENDMENT)  
ACT, 2022**

**ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

1. Short title.
2. Amendment of section 22.



No. 23 of 2022

I assent,

**(H. E. DAME FROYLA TZALAM)**

*Governor-General*

12<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**AN ACT to amend the Hotels and Tourist Accommodation Act, Chapter 285 of the Substantive Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2020; to provide for the Minister to make regulations to adjust the rate of accommodation tax, to encourage tourism among certain classes of persons; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.**

*(Gazetted 13th September, 2022).*

*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.

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CAP. 285.

and shall be read and construed as one with the Hotels and Tourist Accommodation Act, which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Act.

Amendment of  
section 22.

2. The principal Act is amended in section 22 by repealing sub-section (4) and substituting the following—

“(4) The Minister may by Order published in the *Gazette*—

- (a) vary the rates of tax specified in sub-section (1); and
- (b) impose different rates of tax for different categories of guests and for such periods as specified by the Order.”.