Tanzania The United Republic of Tanzania

No. 61 OF 1964

ASSENT,

Julius K. Nyerere
President

10. TH DECEMBER, 1964

An Act to change the name of the United Republic

[11th DECEMBER, 1964]

ENACTED by the Parliament of the United Republic of Tanzania.

1. This Act may be cited as the United Republic (Declaration of Name) Act, 1964.

2.-(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 4 of the Acts of Union of Tanganyika and Zanzibar, it is hereby declared that the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar shall henceforth be known as the United Republic of Tanzania, and the existing law of Tanganyika and Zanzibar shall be construed accordingly.

(2) The description of the United Republic as the United Republic of Tanzania at any time between the twenty-eighth day of October, 1964 and the commencement of this Act shall be deemed to have been a lawful and proper description and the validity of any act shall not be called in question solely by reason of the use thereof instead of that of the United Republic of Tanganyika and Zanzibar.

3.-(1) The President may, by notice published in the Gazette, vary any name prescribed by written law in any case in which he is of the opinion that the name should be varied as a consequence of subsection (1) of section 2, and such variation shall have and be deemed to have had effect from a date specified in such notice.

(2) In the exercise of his powers under this section the President may specify a date prior to the issue of the notice and either before or after the commencement of this Act:

Provided that the President shall not specify a date earlier than the twenty-ninth day of October, 1964.
4. This Act shall extend to Zanzibar as well as to Tanganyika

I hereby certify that the for this was passed by the National Assembly in accordance with the provisions of section 35 of the Interim Constitution of the United Republic of Tanzania

9th December, 1964

Passed in the National Assembly on the third day of December, 1964.