

**INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY (AMENDMENT)
ACT 1999**

No. 6 of 1999

AN ACT TO AMEND THE INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY ACT 1994

I assent,
TAUFA'AHAU TUPOU IV,
11th August, 1999

[1st July, 1999]

BE IT ENACTED by the King and Legislative Assembly of Tonga in the Legislature of the Kingdom as follows:

1.
 - (1) This Act may be cited as the Industrial Property (Amendment) Act 1999.
 - (2) The Industrial Property Act 1994 is in this Act referred to as the Principal Act.
2. Section 46 of the Principal Act is amended —
 - (1) by inserting the following new subsection as subsection (1A):

“(1A) Notwithstanding subsection (1), the Registration of United Kingdom Trade Marks Act is deemed to be in force as from 31 January 1997 until the Minister notifies in the Gazette a date for regulations under this Act to come into force.”
 - (2) in subsection (2):
 - (a) by deleting the commas and words “, on the date of entry into force of this Act,” in line 1;
 - (b) by deleting the words “entry into force of this Act” in line 5 and substituting therefor the words “the repeal of the United Kingdom Trade Marks Act”.

Passed by the Legislative Assembly this 1st day of July, 1999.
