

Statutory Instrument 163 of 2012

Magistrates Court (Civil Jurisdiction) (Monetary Limits) Rules, 2012

IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Justice, Legal and Parliamentary Affairs, in terms of section 73 of the Magistrates Court Act [*Chapter 7:10*], has made the following rules:—

1. *Title*

These rules may be cited as the Magistrates Court (Civil Jurisdiction) (Monetary Limits) Rules, 2012.

2. *Civil jurisdiction of the magistrate court*

The amounts prescribed for the purposes of the provisions of the Act described in the first and second columns of the Schedule shall be the amounts specified opposite thereto in the third column.

3. *Repeal*

The Magistrates Court (Civil Jurisdiction) (Monetary Limits) Rules, 2009, published in Statutory Instrument 21 of 2009, are repealed.

SCHEDULE (Section 2)

MONETARY LIMITS. OF JURISDICTION

<i>Section</i>	<i>Nature of matter</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i> US\$
11(1)(b)(i)	Cases founded on liquid documents	5 000,00
11(1)(b)(ii)	Actions for delivery or transfer of movable or immovable property: maximum value of property	10 000,00
11(1)(b)(iii)	Actions of ejection: maximum value of right of occupation	10 000,00
11(1)(b)(vii)	Other actions: maximum value of claim or matter in dispute	10 000,00
12(3)(a)	Order of arrest <i>tamquam suspectus de fuga</i> : minimum amount of cause of action	50,00
12(3)(b)	Order of arrest <i>tamquam suspectus de fuga</i> : minimum amount by which applicant's security must fall short of amount of debt	50,00
13	Order of attachment which applicant's security must fall short of amount of debt	50,00
13	Order of attachment of person property to found or confirm jurisdiction : minimum amount of claim or value of matter in dispute	50,00
14(1)(d)(a)	Order for rendering of account: maximum amount of claim	10 000,00
14(1)(d)(b)	Order for delivery or transfer of property, movable or immovable maximum value of property	10 000,00