

Note to be communicated to the newspapers at the time when the Civil and Commercial Code will be promulgated.

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The Government Gazette has just promulgated the beginning of the Civil and Commercial Code (sections 1 to 387, including the General Provisions and the Obligations). A further part (sections 388 to 1463: Specific Contracts) is ready and will be promulgated within a few months, in the course of the present year.

The other parts of the Civil and Commercial Codes (namely: Things, Persons, Inheritance) shall be promulgated afterwards and from time to time as finally completed.

The part which is promulgated now shall come into operation from the First of April 2466, a delay of one year having been deemed commendable to make the Judges and Lawyers of the country duly acquainted with the new legislation.

An English translation of the 1463 first sections will be published as soon as the whole of the same will have been promulgated. A French translation also is made by Mr. R. Guyon and G. Padoux and will be published in time.

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