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AN ACT to prohibit the manufacture, importation or sale of matches containing white phosphorus.

#### 1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the White Phosphorus Matches Act [Chapter 14:25].

# 2. Prohibitions

The manufacture, importation or sale of matches containing white phosphorus is prohibited.

### 3. Penalties

Any person who contravenes section two shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding level five or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or to both such fine and such imprisonment.

[section as amended by Act No. 22 of 2001]