disclose or communicate to any unauthorized person or allow any such person to have access to any such declarations or information.

- (2) A person who contravenes the provisions of subsection (1) commits an offence and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine of ten thousand dollars or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding one year or both.
- (3) An authorised person who publishes information which comes to his or her knowledge pursuant to the provisions of subsection (1) to an unauthorized person commits an offence and shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine of ten thousand dollars or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding one year or both.
- (4) For the purpose of this section, an unauthorized person is a person other than a person authorised to receive information—
 - (a) under this Act in relation to the financial affairs of a public official; or
 - (b) by reason of an order of a Judge or the High Court.

Oath.

30. Members of the Commission and staff of the Commission shall not enter upon the duties of their office until they have taken the oath of allegiance, oath of office and oath of secrecy as may be prescribed.

Regulations.

31. The Minister may generally make regulations to give effect to the provisions of this Act.

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Section 2)

- 1. Members of the National Assembly
- 2. Ministers of Government
- 3. Speaker of the National Assembly
- 4. Heads of Diplomatic Missions of St. Kitts and Nevis accredited to any country or any international organisation
- 5. Commissioner of Police, Superintendent of Prisons, Head of the Armed Forces
- 6. Parliamentary Secretaries
- 7. Permanent Secretaries
- 8. Assistant Secretaries
- 9. Heads of Department in Government Ministries
- 10. Solicitor General and Legal Officers employed in the public service above the level of Grade K40
- 11. Chairpersons and Board members of statutory bodies
- 12. Directors and Managers of majority state-owned or controlled banks or other financial institutions or Companies
- 13. Director of Audit
- 14. Chairpersons and Executive Members of Political Parties
- 15. Declared candidates for political parties

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