CONFERING OF REWARDS

- Conferral of specified leniencies and privileges
- A decrease in the frequency with which the offender must undergo testing for drugs
- A decrease in the degree of supervision to which the offender is subject
- A change in the nature of the vocational training programs attended by the offender or a decrease in the total number of hours of community service that the offender is required to complete.

LIMITATION OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

Notwithstanding the right to appeal granted under Article 56 of the Maldivian constitution, there shall be no right to appeal against the Rehabilitation Order made by the Drug Court.

COMPLETION OF THE TREATMENT PROGRAM

When an offender successfully completes all parts of the treatment program that are required to be completed under the Rehabilitation Order, the Drug Court shall vacate the Rehabilitation Order and impose a final sentence on the offender as prescribed under the Drugs Act 2011.

FINAL SENTENCE

Where a final sentence is imposed on the offender, the initial sentence will become null and void. The final sentence can be imposed by making an order setting aside the initial sentence and releasing the offender unconditionally or conditionally on such conditions the Drug Court imposes.







DRUG COURT OF THE MALDIVES

REHABILITATION ORDER

'Rehabilitation Order' means an order made by the Drug Court to subject an eligible person to the treatment program proposed in the Indicative assessment.

CONTENTS OF THE REHABILITATION ORDER

A Rehabilitation order shall contain the following:

The details of the sentence imposed on the offender

How the execution of the initial sentence has been suspended

The conditions imposed in the order

The type and details of the prescribed treatment program

CONDITIONS OF THE REHABILITATION ORDER

- To not commit another offence for the duration of the order
- To obey orders issued by treatment centers; To regularly appear before the court on the dates ordered by the court
- To not depart from an island where the treatment center is located except after obtaining a court order
- To inform the treatment center he is registered under, of any change of address or place of work within 3 (three) days of such change.

IMPOSITION OF SANCTIONS

- Withdrawal of leniencies or privileges conferred on the person
- A requirement that the offender pay a monetary penalty to the Drug Court
- An increase in the degree of supervision to which the offender is subject
- An increase in the frequency of medical, psychiatric or psychological treatment to which the offender is subject
- An increase in the total number of hours of community service that the offender is required to complete
- A requirement that the offender is subject to imprisonment in a prison for up to 15 (fifteen) days

WHEN REHABILIATION ORDER COMES INTO EFFECT

Where a rehabilitation order is made, such an order shall come into effect when the offender confirms in writing that he has received written notice of the order.

VARIATIONS OF THE CONDITIONS OF THE REHABILITATION ORDER

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SUSPENSION OF REHABILITATION ORDER

If an offender is convicted of an offence under section 36 of the Drugs Act 2011, while a Rehabilitation Order is effective against him, the sentence imposed on him for that offence must be executed and the Rehabilitation Order made against him will be suspended for the duration of the sentence.

ASCERTAINING THAT THE OFFENDER COMPLIES WITH TREATMENT PROGRAM

The Drug Court shall ascertain that the offender is complying with the conditions stipulated in the Rehabilitation Order. The drug court shall ensure regular submission of the Report by the National Drug Agency containing details of offender's participation in the treatment program. Also, the Court can summon the offender to the court and ask him question on how the treatment program is going.