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2. Zimbabwe Legislation
3. Online Legal Journals
4. Links to other Justice and Legal websites which may be of interest

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1. CASELAW

In the **Judgments** section, website users can navigate to a particular judgment if they are aware of the Title, Court and Date of handing down, by following the Court and Year links. From reading through the list, the specific judgment can found.

Click on the judgment to view the full text. Note that each judgment will have MS Word and Portable Document Format (PDF) versions attached and accessible for download.

2. LEGISLATION

The Legislation on the website currently consists of The Constitution of the Republic of Zimbabwe 20th Amendment 2013 (as well as the previous version) and some Acts of Parliament. These are listed under the **Legislation** menu option.

3. ONLINE LEGAL JOURNALS

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4. SEARCH FACILITIES

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