

# CERTIFICATE

OF



#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY** that the Law Revision (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill, 2022 has been examined as required under section 76 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2015.

I wish to report as follows:

#### 1) Objective of the Bill.

The object of the Bill is to;

- i. Repeal ninety Acts of Parliament
- ii. Harmonize the use of the currency point system in all the Laws of Uganda;
- iii. Modify low fees, costs and values in specified Acts;
- iv. Amend the Cooperative Societies Act, Cap 112, the Collective Investments Act, 2003 and the Partnerships Act, 2010 to provide for winding up under these Acts;
- v. Amend the Uganda Printing and Publishing Corporation Act, Cap 330 to specifically provide that the Corporation is the Government Printer;
- vi. Amend the Uganda Registration Services Bureau Act, Cap. 210, the Land Act, Cap. 227 and the Registration of Titles Act, Cap. 230 to correct the use of the titles of the office bearers in those Act;
- vii. Amend the Fish Act, Cap 197, the Hides and Skins (Export Duty) Act, Cap 339, the Tax Procedures Code Act, 2014 and the Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa Treaty (Implementation) Act, 2017 to incorporate provisions currently contained in specified Finance Acts;
- viii. Amend the Succession Act to Correct the anomalies in the Act;
- ix. Amend the following Acts to reflect the decisions of the Constitutional Court and Supreme Court
  - a) The Evidence Act, Cap. 6 section 122
  - b) The trial of the Indictments Act, Cap. 23 section 16, the Magistrates Courts Act, Cap. 16 sections 76 and 168 and the Uganda Peoples' Defence Forces Act, 2005 sections 231 and 248.

- c) The Parliament (Remuneration of Members) Act Cap. 259 (Act to be repealed under schedule 1 to the Bill paragraph 86, except section 1(1) and 2 which are inserted in the Administration of Parliament Act)
- d) The Divorce Act, Cap. 249 sections 4 (1), (2), 5, 21,22,23,24, and 26
- e) The Access to Information Act, 2005 sections 2 (1) and the Parliament Powers and Privileges Act, Cap. 258 section 14.
- f) The Penal Code Act, Cap. 120 sections 42, 43, 44, 50 (1) and 154

### 2) Impact of the Cabinet Memorandum on the economy.

The proposed provisions of the Bills are in line with the NDPIII, which emphasizes inclusiveness and sustainability.

### 3) Expected Outputs.

The major expected output is harmonized Laws of Uganda.

### 4) Funding and Budgetary Implications.

There are no expected savings to Government.

The above acts are already under implementation. Therefore, the associated financial implications are already integrated in the budgets of the implementing agencies.

## 5) Expected savings and/or Revenue to Government.

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