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CERTIFICATE OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

(Made under S.76 of the Public Finance and Management Act, 2015, as amended)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **The Anti- Homosexuality Bill, 2023** has been reviewed in accordance with S.76 of the Public Finance and Management Act, 2015, as amended.

I wish to report as follows:

a) That the Bill has the following Overall Objective

To establish a comprehensive and enhanced legislation to protect the traditional family through prohibiting sexual relations between persons of the same sex, strengthening the nation's capacity to deal with emerging threats to the traditional family, protecting the cherished culture of Uganda and protecting children and youth who are vulnerable to sexual abuse.

b) Objects of the Bill

i) To prohibit marriage between persons of the same sex;
ii) To prohibit and penalize homosexual behavior and related practices;
iii) To prohibit the promotion of homosexuality; and
iv) To protect and provide assistance and payment of compensation to victims of homosexuality.

c) Specific outputs and outcomes of the Bill

Criminalization of Homosexuality with a liability of imprisonment of 2-10 years for committing homosexuality, aggravated homosexuality, attempted homosexuality, aiding and abetting homosexuality, conspiracy to commit homosexuality; and related practices.

The Bill also provides for protection, assistance and compensation of victims of homosexuality as well as penalties for publishing/revealing the identity of victims of homosexuality without consent.

d) Alignment to National Development Policies and Programs

The Bill is aligned to the National Development Agenda, specifically the Community Mobilization and Mindset Change Program of the Third National Development Plan, which aims to empower families, communities and citizens to embrace national values and actively participate in sustainable development.

e) Funding and Budgetary Implications

The bill will be implemented within the existing budgetary provisions of the implementing Agencies which will include; Law Enforcement, Judiciary, Medical institutions among others.

f) Expected savings and/or Revenue to Government:

Implementation of the Bill is not anticipated to directly generate revenue or savings for Government.

Submitted to Parliament under my hand this 28th day of March 2023

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MINISTER FOR FINANCE, PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Received by:.....

Date:.....