

PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

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DEVELOPMENT ON THE TAX APPEALS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2022**

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1.0 Introduction

The Tax Appeals Tribunal (Amendment) Bill, 2022 was, at the 18th Sitting of the 3rd Meeting of the 1st Session of the 11th Parliament of Uganda held on Thursday 31st March, 2022, presented for First Reading and referred to the Committee on Finance, Planning and Economic Development for further scrutiny.

Rt. Hon. Speaker, the Committee considered the Bill through consultations with different stakeholders, hence this report.

2.0 Object of the Bill

The object of this Bill is to amend the Tax Appeals Tribunal Act, Cap. 345 to provide for the increase in the number of members of the tribunal from five members to nine members.

3.0 Methodology

The Committee held meetings and received memoranda from the following;-

- i) Minister of Finance, Planning and Economic Development;
- ii) Uganda Revenue Authority;

4.0 Observations and Recommendations of the Committee

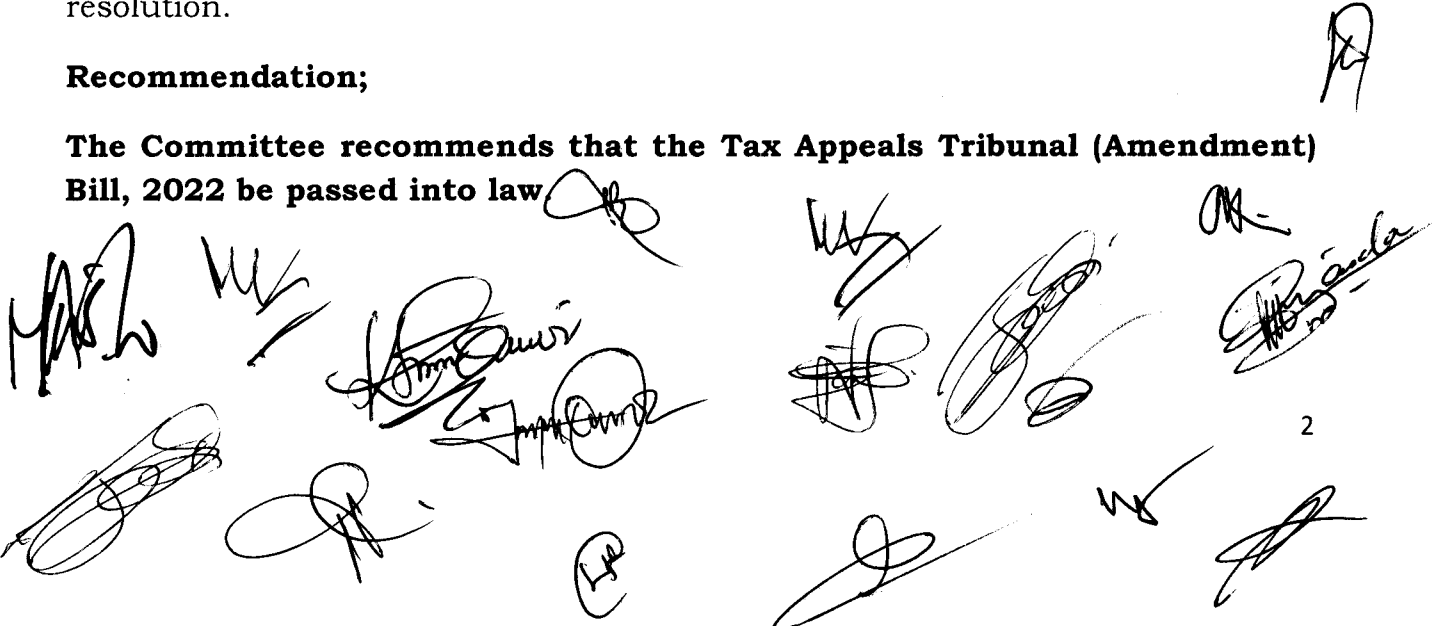
The Committee observed that the current number of the Board are five. The Bill proposes to increase the number to nine Members.

The purpose of the increase is to reduce on the case backlog.

Therefore, the suggested increase in number will contribute to timely tax dispute resolution.




Recommendation;

The Committee recommends that the Tax Appeals Tribunal (Amendment) Bill, 2022 be passed into law



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