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FURTHER AMENDMENTS ON KAMPALA CAPITAL CITY AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT BILL, 2015), ARISING FROM TYPOGRAPHIC OMISIONS

In the course of producing the report, some of the agreed positions by error were omitted and therefore, I request to circulate them for consideration. It is attached as additional amendments.

Thank you

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ABABIKU JESCA

CHAIRPERSON PRESIDENTIAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

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ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS

KAMPALA CAPITAL CITY AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2015.

CLAUSE 3: Replacement of section 6 of the principal Act.

In sub clause 2, substitute for the words **“qualified to be elected a Member of Parliament”** appearing at the end of the sentence the words **“a citizen of Uganda.”**

Justification

To maintain the current qualification for a councilor.

CLAUSE 9

Amendment of Section 11 of the principal Act

(a) Delete paragraph (a)

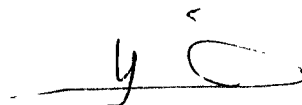
(b) Insert three new paragraphs as (f) and (h) as follows:

(f) to monitor the administration of the Capital City;

(h) to address the Council on the state of affairs of Kampala
Capital City once a year;

Justification

(i) Having introduced the office of Speaker of the Capital City Council, the paragraph (a) becomes redundant.



(ii) Under section 11(2) of the Principal Act, the Lord Mayor shall in the performance of his or her functions be answerable to the Council and the Minister. This provision takes cognizance of Article 5 of the 1995 Constitution.

(iii) In view of the proposed amendments, the mandate to make reports on the state of affairs of the Capital City to Council now shifts from the executive director to the Lord Mayor.

(iv) To provide for extra roles of the Lord Mayor.

Insertion of a new sub clause immediately after section 19 (C) OF THE PRINCIPLE Act. To read as follows;

“To initiate strategies and programs for the development of the Capital City” .

Justification

It is a technical function

Insertion of a new clause immediately after clause 10 of the Bill:

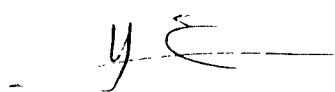
The Committee proposes to insert new sections 14A and 14B

In addition to that proposal, I further propose that the proposed section 14A (2) c) is amended by inserting the following words immediately after the words “three other members” appearing at the beginning of the sentence;

“at least one of whom shall be female”

Justification

To provide for gender balance.

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AMENDMENT OF PROPOSED SECTION 14B

I propose that the functions of the City Executive Committee are enumerated as follows;

14B. Functions of the City Executive Committee

The City Executive Committee shall-

- (a) ensure implementation of Council programmes and decisions;
- (b) monitor sector performance and report to Council;
- (c) present the annual budget of the Authority to the Council; and
- (d) assist the Lord Mayor in the performance of his or her functions under this Act.

Justification

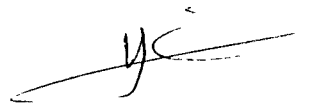
The current proposed provision that provides for the executive functions of the Council is ambiguous.

Clause 13: Amendment of Section 19 of the Principal Act

In paragraph (b) of the proposed amendment in the Bill, I propose that the following words be inserted immediately following the words “advise the” appearing at the beginning of the sentence;

“Executive committee and the”

Justification



To allow the Executive Director advise the Executive Committee as well as Council.