THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

THE NATIONAL WOMEN'S COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2015.

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31 AUG 2015
I signify my assent to the bill.

President

Date of assent: 24/8/2015
THE NATIONAL WOMEN’S COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2015.

An Act to amend the National Women’s Council Act, Cap. 318, to exempt elections at women committees lower than the district women’s committee from the requirements of article 68(1) of the Constitution that the election should be held by secret ballot; and to provide for related matters.

DATE OF ASSENT:

Date of Commencement:

BE IT ENACTED by Parliament as follows:

1. Amendment of the National Women’s Council Act, Cap. 318. The National Women’s Council Act is amended by inserting immediately after section 7A the following new section—

“7B. Election of women’s committees
(1) Elections for the National Women’s Executive Committee and the district women’s committees shall be by secret ballot.

(2) Elections for the village, parish or ward, subcounty, division or town women’s committee shall be by the electorate lining up behind the candidates nominated for the office, their representatives, portraits or symbols.”
This printed impression has been carefully compared by me with the bill which was passed by Parliament and found by me to be a true copy of the bill.

Clerk to Parliament

Date of authentication: 21/08/2015