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THE SENATE
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(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

KEY

- **** ■ Denotes a Majority /Minority Party Bill
- *** ■ Denotes a National Assembly Bill
- ** ■ Denotes a Committee Bill
- * ■ Denotes any other Bill

NOTICE OF AMENDMENTS

A. *THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) BILL,
(SENATE BILL NO. 7 OF 2015)
 (Sen. David Musila)

NOTICE is hereby given that Sen. David Musila, Senator for Kitui County, intends to move the following amendments to the Kenya National Examinations Council (Amendment) Bill, (Senate Bill No. 7 of 2015) at the Committee Stage-

CLAUSE 2

THAT clause 2 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words "Section 2 of" immediately before the words "The Kenya National".

CLAUSE 3

THAT clause 3 of the Bill be amended by deleting the proposed new section 45A and substituting therefor the following new sections -

Issuance of result slip. **45A.** (1) The Council shall, upon releasing the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education or the Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education examination results, transmit the result slips of all candidates to the respective examination centres within a period of one month from the date of release of the results.

(2) A head-teacher or principal of an examination centre shall release to the respective candidates, the result slip received under subsection (1).

Issuance of certificates. **45AA.** (1) The Council shall, within a period of two months from the date of release of the Kenya Certificate of Primary Education or the Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education examination results, transmit to the examination centres, the certificates of the respective candidates who sat for the examinations.

(2) The head-teacher or principal of an examination centre shall not withhold the certificate awarded to a candidate under this Act.

(3) A candidate shall, in collecting his or her certificate, verify the accuracy of the particulars as set out in the certificate including -

- (a) the candidate's name and index number;
- (b) the name and code of the examination centre; and
- (c) the grades of the respective subjects and the mean score.

(4) A candidate who identifies a discrepancy in the certificate issued shall notify the Council of such discrepancy within thirty days of the receipt of the certificate.

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(5) The Council shall rectify any discrepancy notified by a candidate under subsection (4) within a period of thirty days from the date of such notification.

(6) The Council shall meet the costs of rectifying any discrepancy notified by a candidate under subsection (4).

(7) A person who contravenes the provisions of this section commits an offence and shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding two hundred thousand shillings or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both.

NEW CLAUSE

THAT the following new clause be inserted immediately after clause 2-

2A. The principal Act is amended in section 10 by inserting the following new subsection immediately after subsection (2)-

(3) A person who contravenes the provisions of subsection (1)(b) commits an offence and shall be liable, upon conviction, to a fine not exceeding two hundred thousand shillings or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both.

B. **THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 37 OF 2014)

(Chairperson, Standing Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights)

NOTICE is given that Sen. Amos Wako, the Chairperson of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights, intends to move the following amendments to the Office of the County Attorney Bill, 2014 at the Committee Stage-

CLAUSE 3

THAT clause 3 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "Deputy County Attorney" appearing immediately after the words 'County Attorney, the' and substituting therefor the words "County Solicitor".

CLAUSE 4

THAT clause 4 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2)-

(a) by deleting paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph-

(b) the County Solicitor; and

(b) by inserting the word "Board" immediately after the words 'County Public Service' appearing in paragraph (c).

CLAUSE 5

THAT clause 5 of the Bill be deleted and substituted therefor with the following new clause-

5. The County Attorney shall be appointed from among persons-
- (a) with at least ten years experience as an Advocate of the High Court of Kenya; and
 - (b) who meet the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.

CLAUSE 7

THAT clause 7 of the Bill be amended-

- (a) in paragraph (b) by deleting the words "shall have no right to vote on any matter before such committee" appearing immediately after the words "committee meeting but" and substituting therefor the words "as an *ex officio* member of the executive committee";
- (b) by deleting paragraphs (g) and (h); and
- (c) in paragraph (i) by deleting the word "shall" appearing at the beginning of the paragraph and substituting therefor the word "may".

CLAUSE 9

THAT clause 9 of the Bill be amended-

- (d) in paragraph (a) of sub-clause (1) by inserting the words "within the county" immediately after the words 'involve public property'; and
- (e) in sub-clause (4) by deleting the word "shall" appearing immediately after the words 'administrative body' and substituting therefor the word "may".

CLAUSE 10

THAT clause 10 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "the Deputy County Attorney" appearing immediately after the words 'County Attorney' and substituting therefor the words "the County Solicitor".

CLAUSE 11

THAT clause 11 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "the Deputy County Attorney" appearing immediately after the words 'The County Attorney' and substituting therefor the words "the County Solicitor".

CLAUSE 14

THAT clause 14 of the Bill be amended-

- (a) in sub-clause (1) by deleting the words "Deputy County Attorney" appearing immediately after the words 'delegate to the' and substituting therefor the words "County Solicitor"; and
- (b) in sub-clause (2) by deleting the words "Deputy County Attorney" appearing immediately after the words 'performed by the' and substituting therefor the words "County Solicitor".

CLAUSE 16

THAT the Bill be amended by deleting clause 16 and substituting therefor the following new clause-

16. (1)A department or public entity established within a county government shall not engage the services of a consultant to render any legal services relating to the functions of the County Attorney without the approval of the County Attorney.

(2) A request by a department or public entity to the County Attorney to engage the services of a consultant under subsection (1) shall be made in writing.

(3) An approval by the County Attorney of a request by a department or public entity to engage the services of a consultant under subsection (1) shall be made in writing.

CLAUSE 18

THAT clause 18 of the Bill be deleted and substituted therefor with the following new clause-

Count **18.** (1) There shall be a County Solicitor who shall be competitively recruited and appointed by the County Public Solicitor Service Board.

or

(2) A person is qualified for appointment to the office of County Solicitor if the person-

(a) has at least ten years experience as an advocate of the High Court of Kenya; and

(b) meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.

(3) The County Solicitor shall be the principal assistant of the County Attorney in the execution of the County Attorney's functions under this Act and any other written law.

CLAUSE 19

THAT Clause 19 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2) by deleting paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph-

(b) meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.

CLAUSE 21

THAT clause 21 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2) by-

(a) by deleting the word "shall" appearing immediately before the words 'enjoy the same benefits' in paragraph (b); and

(b) by deleting the word "shall" appearing immediately before the words 'be required to comply' in paragraph (c).

CLAUSE 25

THAT clause 25 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "local" appearing immediately after the words "County laws and" and substituting therefor the word "legal".

CLAUSE 26

THAT Clause 26 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "public seal" appearing immediately after the words 'custody of the' and substituting therefor the words "county seal".

CLAUSE 30

THAT Clause 30 of the Bill be amended in paragraph (b) of sub-clause (3) by deleting the words "National Assembly" appearing immediately after the words 'provided by the' and substituting therefor the words "County Assembly".

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NEW CLAUSE

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 10-

Status of the **10A.** For the avoidance of doubt, the County Attorney shall office of County have the status and rank of a member of the County Attorney. Executive Committee.

CLAUSE 2

THAT clause 2 of the Bill be amended by-

- (a) inserting the following new definition immediately after the definition of the word "County Legal Counsel"-

"County Solicitor" means a person appointed as such under section 18. ; and

- (b) deleting the definition of the word "Deputy County Attorney".

C. *THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY PRINTER BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 42 OF 2014)

(Sen. Stephen Sang)

NOTICE is given that Senator Mutula Kilonzo Junior, the vice-chairperson of the Committee on Information, Communication and Technology, intends to move the following amendments to the Office of the County Printer Bill, 2014, at the Committee Stage-

Clause 4

That clause 4 of the Bill be amended in subclause (2) by deleting the words "county Secretary" appearing immediately after the words "office of the" and substituting therefor the words "county executive committee member".

Clause 5

That clause 5 of the Bill be amended-

- (a) in paragraph (a) by inserting the words "within seven days of such authorization" immediately after the words "an authorized officer"; and

- (b) in paragraph (b) by deleting the word "government" appearing immediately after the words "the county" and substituting therefor the words "executive and the county assembly".

Clause 8

That clause 8 of the Bill be amended-

- (a) in subclause (2) by deleting the word "may" appearing immediately after the words "county printer" and substituting therefor the word "shall"; and

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(b) by inserting the following new subclauses after subclause (2)-

(3) For purposes of subsection (1), the county printer may publish an electronic version of the gazette and such version shall have the same effect as a physical version of the gazette.

(4) The county printer shall make available issues of the gazette to the National Council for Law Reporting.

Clause 9

That clause 9 of the Bill be amended in subclause (4) by deleting the words "the county executive committee member" appearing immediately after the words "may be assigned" and substituting therefor the words "any other written law" appearing in paragraph (f).

Clause 12

That clause 12 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "county secretary" appearing immediately after the words "subject to the provisions of this Act" and substituting therefor the words "county executive committee member".

Clause 2

That clause 2 of the Bill be amended by-

(a) deleting paragraph (c) appearing in the definition of the term "authorized officer";

(b) inserting the following new definition immediately after the definition of the term "authorized officer" -

"county executive committee member" means the county executive committee member responsible for matters relating to information;

(c) deleting the definition of the term "county secretary".

Clause 1

That clause 1 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "and shall come into operation on such day as the cabinet secretary may, by notice in the Gazette appoint, which date shall not exceed ninety days from the date of publication of the Act" appearing immediately after the words " County Printer Act, 2014".

D. * THE WATER BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 7 OF 2014)**

(The Senate Majority Leader)

NOTICE is given that Senator Lenny Kivuti, Chairperson to the Committee on Land and Natural Resources, intends to move the following amendments to the Water Bill, 2014, at the Committee Stage-

Clause 8

THAT clause 8 be amended in sub clause (3) by inserting the words 'for domestic use' immediately after the words "water works".

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Clause 8B

THAT clause 8B be amended in sub clause (5) by deleting the word "three" appearing immediately after the words "Resource Strategy every" and substituting therefor the word "five".

Clause 19

THAT clause 19 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1) by inserting the words "geo referenced" immediately after the words "monitoring and".

Clause 24

THAT clause 24 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1)(b) by inserting the words "appointed by the appointing authority after approval by the county assembly" immediately after the words "the basin".

Clause 25

THAT clause 25 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words "and county governments" immediately after the words "the Authority".

Clause 30

THAT clause 30 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1)(d) by inserting the words " and rules and regulations" immediately after the words "harvesting policy".

Clause 63

THAT clause 63 of the Bill be amended in the head note appearing immediately before the clause by deleting the word "Boards" and substituting therefor the word "Agencies".

Clause 64

THAT clause be amended in sub clause 1(b) by inserting the words "from the respective counties" immediately after the words "the Cabinet Secretary".

Clause 72

THAT clause 72 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in the marginal note by deleting the word "accreditation" and substituting therefor the word "licensing"; and
- (b) in sub clause (3) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "applicant meets the" and substituting therefor the word "licensing".

Clause 73

THAT clause 73 of the Bill be amended—
(1) in sub clause (1)—

- (a) in the marginal note by deleting the word "accredited" and substituting therefor the word "licensed";
 - (b) by deleting the word "accredited" appearing immediately after the words "register of all" in the introductory phrase and substituting therefor the word "licensed";
 - (c) in paragraph (c) by deleting the word "accredited" appearing immediately after the words "providers are" and substituting therefor the word "licensed"; and
 - (d) in paragraph(d) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "to their" and substituting therefor the word "licence";
- (2) in sub clause (2) by deleting the word "accredited" appearing immediately after the words "register of the" and substituting therefor the word "licensed"; and
- (3) in sub clause (4) by deleting the word "accredited" appearing immediately after the words "conduct of" and substituting therefore the word "licensed".

Clause 74

THAT clause 74 of the Bill be amended—

- (1) in the marginal note by deleting the word "accreditation" and substituting therefor the words "a license";
- (2) in sub clause (1)—
 - (a) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "revoke the" in the introductory phrase and substituting therefor the word "license";
 - (b) in paragraph (a) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing after the words "Board that the" and substituting therefor the word "licensing";
 - (c) in paragraph (b) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "criteria for" and substituting therefor the word "licensing"; and
 - (d) in paragraph (c) by deleting the word "accredited" appearing immediately after the words "they were" and substituting therefor the word "licensed";
 - (e) in paragraph (e) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "conditions for" and substituting therefore the word "licensing".

- (3) In sub clause (2) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "revocation of" and substituting therefor the word " a license"; and
- (4) In sub clause (3) by deleting the word "accreditation" appearing immediately after the words "person whose" and substituting therefor the word "license".

Clause 75

THAT clause 75 of the Bill be amended by deleting sub clause one and substituting therefor the following new sub clause —

- (1)Each county government shall establish a water services provider.

Clause 102

THAT clause 102 of the Bill be amended by deleting sub clause (1) and substituting therefor the following new sub clause—

" A water user may enter into an agreement with any person with respect to the execution and maintenance by any party to the agreement of such works as the water user considers necessary or as the conditions of the water user may require for the purpose of protecting the catchment areas, drainage of land, carrying out soil conservation measures, the control of vegetation or effectively collecting, conveying or preserving the purity and quantity of water which the water user is for the time being authorised to take."

Clause 109

THAT clause 109 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1) by inserting the words "geo referenced" immediately after the words "monitoring and".

Clause 114

THAT clause 114 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1) by deleting paragraph (g) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph —

receive grants for onward lending to water services providers, counties and community schemes towards water services and water resources management projects for the underserved areas and urban poor;

Clause 115

THAT clause 115 be amended in sub clause (1) by deleting paragraphs (b) and (c).

Clause 117

THAT clause 117 of the Bill be amended in sub clause (1) by deleting the words "which shall be a subordinate court as provided under Article 169(1)(d) of the Constitution".

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Clause 130

THAT clause 130 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words "conservation and" immediately after the words "for the".

Clause 139

THAT clause 139 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words "a county government" immediately after the words "Cabinet Secretary".

Clause 140

THAT clause 140 of the Bill be amended in—

- (a) sub clause (2) (a) by deleting the word "commission" appearing immediately after the words "Authority, the" and substituting therefor the word "Board"; and
- (b) sub clause (2)(h) by inserting the words "or the Board" immediately after the word "Authority".

Clause 154

THAT clause 154 of the Bill be amended in sub clause 5 by deleting the word "Board" appearing immediately after the words "event that the" and substituting therefor the word "Authority".

Clause 2

THAT clause 2 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new definition in its proper alphabetical order –

"wetland" means an area where plants and animals have become adapted to temporary or permanent flooding by saline, brackish or fresh water".

E. *THE UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 31 OF 2014)

(Sen. Halima Abdille)

NOTICE is given that Senator Daniel Karaba, Chairperson to the Senate Standing Committee on Education, intends to move the following amendments to the Universities (Amendment) Bill, 2014, at the Committee Stage-

NEW CLAUSES

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clauses immediately after clause 3-

Amendment
of section 14
of No. 42 of
2012.

3A. Section 14 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the following new sub-section immediately after subsection (3)-

(4) The Commission shall not issue to an applicant a letter of interim authority where that applicant is a public mid-level learning institution.

Amendment
of section 19
of No. 42 of
2012.

3B. Section 19 of the principal Act is amended-

(a) in subsection (1) by deleting paragraph (c) and substituting therefore the following new paragraph-

(c) reject the application if satisfied that the applicant-

(i) is a public mid-level learning institution; or

(ii) does not meet the requirements for the establishment of a university.

(b) by inserting the following new sub-section immediately after sub-section (3)-

(4) The President shall not grant a Charter where such a grant would result in the conversion of a public mid-level institution to a university.

Repeal of
section 25
of No. 42
of 2012.

3C. The principal Act is amended by deleting section 25.

NEW CLAUSE 1A

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 1-

1A. The Universities Act, in this Act referred to as "the principal Act" is amended in section 2 by inserting the following new definition immediately after the definition of the word "institution"-

"mid-level institution" means a post-secondary school learning institution that offers a certification below that of a degree;

APPENDIX

STATEMENTS TO BE ISSUED

- a) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Lands and Natural Resources to issue a statement on the management of community and public land in Machakos County (Sen. Johnson Muthama);
- b) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Education to issue a statement on implementation of the Basic Education Act, 2013 and the Kenya Gazette notice outlawing corporal punishment (Sen. Martha Wangari);
- c) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation to issue a statement on roads in Meru County (Sen. Kiraitu Murungi);
- d) The Chairperson, Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments to issue a statement on Report of the Special Committee on the proposed removal from office of Governor of Murang'a County (Sen. Kembi - Gitura).
