

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT (FOURTH SESSION) THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

____ (No. 15 of 2020) ____

GUIDANCE FOLLOWING THE PASSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT'S RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LAW OF CONTRACT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2019)

Honourable Members, this guidance relates to the just concluded business, which is the agreement with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on the consideration of the President's Reservations to the Law of Contract (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 1 of 2019).

Honourable Members, the House has voted to amend the Bill to accommodate all the amendments recommended by H.E the President. The recommendation of H.E the President to the House was deletion of <u>Clause 2</u> of the Bill. The Bill as originally passed by the House had two Clauses, that is, Clauses 1 and 2. Clause 2 contained the substance of the Bill. Following the decision of the House, the Bill now as passed has only one Clause, which is Clause 1 which provides for the long title to the Bill.

In this regard, **Honourable Members**, as your Speaker, I will have nothing to present to the President for Assent as required under Article 115(5) of the Constitution, but to convey the effect of the decision of the House, which is that the Bill has been <u>lost</u>.

The House is accordingly informed.

I thank you!

THE HON. JUSTIN B.N. MUTURI, EGH, MP SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Wednesday, March 11, 2020