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THE MERU COUNTY REVENUE BOARD
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 2018

A Bill for

AN ACT of the County Assembly of Meru to amend the
Meru County Revenue Board Act, 2016

ENACTED by the County Assembly of Meru as follows—

1. This Act shall be cited as the Meru County Revenue Board (Amendment) Act, 2018, and shall come into operation upon the date of publication in the Gazette.

2. Section 17 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by deleting the words "after deducting the expenses incurred by the board for collection of such revenue."

3. Section 18 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) paragraph (a) by deleting the words "not exceeding two per centum of the revenue."
Section 17 of Act No. 7 of 2014 which it is proposed to amend—

(2) All revenue collected by the board in respect of any Fund established under an Act of Parliament or County Assembly shall be paid into that Fund after deducting the expenses incurred by the board for collection of such revenue as provided under section 17 (1) (a).

Section 17 of Act No. 7 of 2014 which it is proposed to amend—

(1) The funds and assets of the board shall consist of—

(a) such monies not exceeding two per centum of the revenue estimated in the financial estimates for each financial year to be collected by the Board under this Act as may be determined by the County Executive Committee in each financial year.
MEMORANDUM OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

This Bill aims to amend the Meru County Revenue Act, No. 7 of 2016 so as to make the Act conform to the practical challenges in implementation arising out of its enactment, conformity to Constitutional provisions and implementation challenges.

Clause 1—provides for the short title and commencement of the proposed Act. It is proposed that the proposed Act comes into operation after the gazettement of the Act so as to give room for any administrative action that may need to be undertaken prior to the commencement of the Act.

Clause 2—seeks to make amendments to section 17 of the Act which is allows the board spend the revenue collection at source against the law.

Clause 3—seeks to make amendments to section 18 of the Act which is seeks to ring fence a percentage of money for a specific purpose.

Dated the 27th March, 2018.

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