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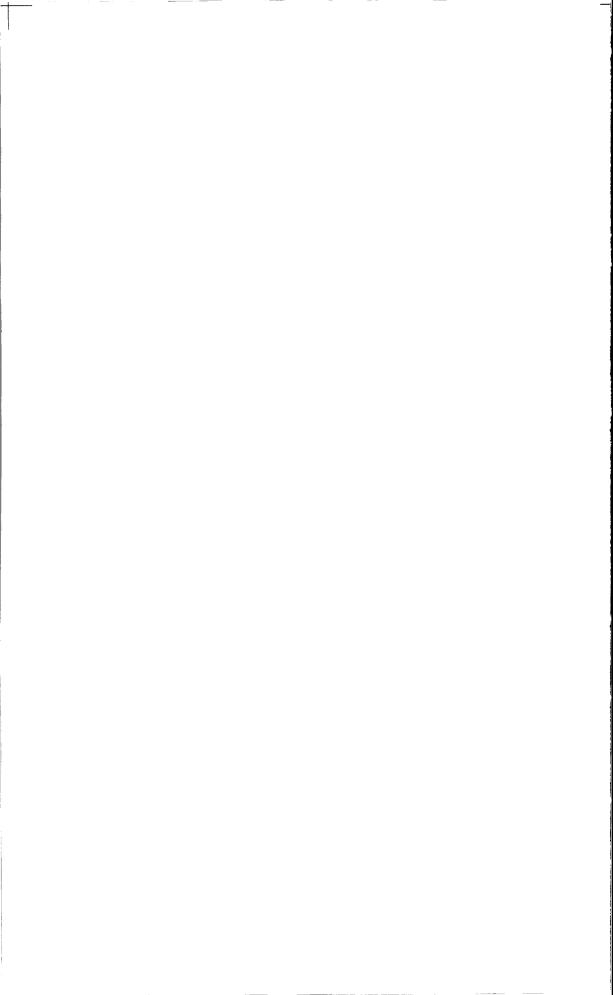
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THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2016

No. 30 of 2016

Date of Assent: 31st August, 2016

Date of Commencement: 21st September, 2016

AN ACT of Parliament to amend the Kenya National Examinations Council Act.

ENACTED by the Parliament of Kenya, as follows—

- 1. This Act may be cited as the Kenya National Examinations Council (Amendment) Act, 2016.
- 2. The Kenya National Examinations Council Act is amended by inserting the following new section immediately after section 10—

Short title.

Insertion of a new section 10A into Cap 225A.

Ranking of institutions of basic education.

- 10A. (1) The Cabinet Secretary shall, in every academic year, rank institutions of basic education that offer primary education or secondary education based on—
 - (a) academic performance in national examinations; and
 - (b) performance in co-curricular activities.
- (2) For purposes of ranking under subsection (1)
 - (a) the Kenya National Examinations Council shall submit to the Cabinet Secretary, data regarding the academic performance, in national examinations, of institutions of basic education that offer primary or secondary education; and
 - (b) every County Director of Education shall submit the data regarding the performance, in co-curricular activities, of institutions of basic education that offer primary or secondary education to the Director-General for transmission to the Cabinet Secretary.

- (3) The Cabinet Secretary shall, as soon as practicable after the receipt of the data referred under subsection (2), announce and publish the results and ranks of institutions as prescribed in subsection (1).
- (4) The Cabinet Secretary may make rules for the purpose of ranking of institutions of basic education that offer primary or secondary education.
- (5) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (4) the Cabinet Secretary may provide for—
 - (a) the form and method of categorization of institutions of basic education that offer primary or secondary education for ranking purposes;
 - (b) the announcement and publication, of the results in national examinations and co-curricular activities, of institutions of basic education that offer primary or secondary education and their ranking;
 - (c) the criteria to be used in ranking;
 - (d) submission and management of data under subsection (3); and
 - (e) any other matter that requires to be prescribed under this section.
 - (6) In this section, the words—
 - (a) "County Director of Education"; and
 - (b) "Director General"

have the respective meanings assigned to them under the Basic Education Act;

No. 12 of 2013