THE COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY (AMENDMENT) ACT

No. 5 of 2010

Date of Assent: 13th August, 2010

Date of Commencement: 30th August, 2010

AN ACT of Parliament to amend the Commissions of Inquiry Act to give the National Assembly an oversight role in the conduct of the activities of commissions of inquiry and for connected purposes

ENACTED by the Parliament of Kenya, as follows-

1. This Act may be cited as the Commissions of Inquiry (Amendment) Act, 2010.

Short title.

2. Section 7 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act is amended by deleting subsection (1) and substituting therefor the following new subsections-

Amendment of section 7 of Cap. 102.

- (1) It shall be the duty of a commissioner, after making and subscribing the prescribed oath, to make a full, faithful and impartial inquiry into the matter into which he is commissioned to inquire, to conduct the inquiry in accordance with the directions contained in the commission and on completion of the inquiry, to report to the President and to the National Assembly, in writing, the result of the inquiry and the reasons for the conclusions arrived at.
- (1A) The report of a commissioner under subsection (1) shall include a full record of the proceedings of the commission.