THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA

No. 15 of 1993

I ASSENT,

President

16-9-93

An Act to amend certain laws pertaining to the Local Government.

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ENACTED by the Parliament of the United Republic of Tanzania.

PART I

PRELIMINARY

1. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Laws (Amendment) Act, 1993.

PART II

AMENDMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISTRICT AUTHORITIES) ACT, 1982

2. This Part shall be read as one with the Local Government (District Authorities) Act, 1982.

3. Section 3 of the Local Government (District Authorities) Act, 1982 is hereby amended in the definition of the expression “District Authority”.
   (a) by deleting the word “or” appearing therein; and
   (b) by adding the expression “or Kitongoji” at the end of the definition.

PART III

AMENDMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT (URBAN AUTHORITIES) ACT, 1982

4. This Part shall be read as one with the Local Government (Urban Authorities) Act, 1982.

5. Section 3 of the Local Government (Urban Authorities) Act, 1982 is hereby amended-
   (a) by deleting the word “or” appearing therein; and
   (b) by adding at the end of the sentence defining the expression “Urban authority” the expression “or a Mtaa”.
PART IV
AMENDMENT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAWS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1992

6. This Part shall be read as one with the Local Government Laws (Amendment) Act, 1992.

7. Section 8 of the Local Government Laws (Amendment) Act, 1992 is hereby repealed and replaced by the following provision:
   "8. Section 38 of the Local Government (District Authorities) Act, 1982 is hereby repealed and replaced by the following provision:
   "38. No person shall be qualified for election as an elected member of a district authority unless:
   (a) he has attained the apparent age of twenty-one years;
   (b) he is a member of a household within the Kitongoji and is ordinarily resident on the Kitongoji;
   (c) he is able to read and write in Kiswahili or English;
   (d) he has a lawful means of livelihood;
   (e) he is a citizen of the United Republic;
   (f) he is a member of and sponsored by a political party registered as such by an Act of Parliament."

8. Section 22 of the Local Government Laws (Amendment) Act, 1992 is hereby repealed and replaced by the following:
   "22. Section 21 of the Local Government (Urban Authorities) Act, 1982 is hereby repealed and replaced by the following:
   "21. No person shall be qualified for election as an elected member of an urban authority unless:
   (a) he has attained the apparent age of twenty-one years;
   (b) he is a member of a household within a Mtaa and is ordinarily resident in the Mtaa.
   (c) he is able to read and write in Kiswahili or English;
   (d) he has a lawful means of livelihood;
   (e) he is a member of and sponsored by a political party registered as such by an Act of Parliament."
   (f) he is a citizen of the United Republic.

Passed in the National Assembly on the twenty sixth day of August, 1993.

G. F. Mlawo,
Clerk of the National Assembly

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