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A Proclamation to Provide for the Amendment of the Addis Ababa City Government Executive and Municipality Services Organs Re-establishment Proclamation No. 15/2009

Proclamation No. 25 /2010

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Whereas, it is found necessary to revise the organization of executive organs of the City Government in accordance with the future economic, social and good governance development plans;

Whereas, the organization of executive organs of the Federal Government is revised in accordance with the five year development and transformation plan;

Now, therefore, in accordance with Article 14 sub-article (1) /a/ of the Revised Charter of Addis Ababa City Government Proclamation No. 361/2003 the City Council hereby proclaimed this amendment proclamation:-

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1. Short Title

This proclamation may be cited as “A Proclamation to Re-Amend Proclamation No. 15/2009 of the Addis Ababa City Government Executive and Municipality Service Organs Re-establishment, Proclamation No. 25/2010”

2. Amendment

The Addis Ababa City Government Executive and Municipality Service Organs Re-establishment Proclamation No. 15/2009 is re-amended as follows:-

1. The following amendments are made on sub article (1) of Article 4 of the Proclamation:-

A) The “Youth and Sport Bureau” stated under Article 4 (1) (8) is fully cancelled and substituted by “Road and Transport Bureau”;

B) The “Women’s and Children Affairs Bureau” stated under Article 4 (1) (10) is substituted by “Women, Children and Youth Affairs Bureau”;

2. Following sub-article 2(F) of Artticle 4 the following new sub-article (G) is added:-

G) Addis Ababa City Sport Commission;

3. Article 5(25) is fully cancelled;

4. The Phrase between the title and sub-article (1) of Article 13 is cancelled and substituted by the following:-

A) The City Government may delegate the powers and functions of the Authority fully or partially to the appropriate Federal Government body.

B) The Authority, being accountable to the Mayor, shall have the following powers and functions:

5. Following Section Six and Article 14 of the Proclamation the following new Section Seven and Article 15 is added;

Section Seven

15. Addis Ababa Sport Commission

The Commission being accountable to the Mayor, shall have the following powers and functions:-

1. Superiorly administer the Arat Kilo, Ras Hailu, Jan Meda sport Education and Training Centers and Abebe Bikila Stadium; issue directives on working procedures and implement the same; implement upon approval their human resource structure;
Facilitate conditions whereby the residents of the City participate in and benefit from sport for all and traditional sports;

3. Work with the concerned bodies to produce trained manpower in the field of sport within the City;

4. Cause the expansion of sport facilities and centers within the boundary of the City Government;

5. Facilitate the supply of adequate sportswear and equipment used for sports activities within the City Government in cooperation with the concerned bodies;

6. Ensure and follow up the organization of sport medical facilities in accordance with the decision of the concerned Federal Government body; and the adoption of systems for controlling doping practices;

7. Without prejudice to that issued by the concerned body of the Federal Government, issue directives governing the establishment of sports associations; register and support associations operating within the City Government;

8. Devise mechanisms for the establishment of sports development fund at the City level, and implement same upon approval;

9. Provide necessary support in organizing and conducting sport games within the City; enter into competition, share experience and cooperate with other sister cities;

10. Devise strategy for the establishment of sport educational, training and research institutions; implement same upon approval by the concerned body;

11. Train sports persons, trainers, arbitrators and the like by developing scientific physical training methods;

12. In collaboration with the concerned organs of the City and the Federal Government, prepare joint plans for enhancing participation of residents in sports; organize and direct the City’s sports competition; particularly, promote and strengthen sports competitions in the schools of the City in collaboration with Education Bureau;

13. Register sport associations and clubs; provide certificate of registration in accordance with the law and national policy; encourage that sport associations involve in sport related commercial activities;

14. Issue directive on the establishment of sport associations and clubs and on the use and procedure of sporting areas;
15. Register sport associations, clubs and gymnasiums; provide certificate of registration in accordance with the law and national policy; issue certificate of competency; cause inspection of their books of account by external auditors and ensure that the sport associations use their income only for the desired goal;

16. Establish the sports council of the City's Government at various levels and in accordance with the Federal Government sport policy and law, strengthen, direct and supervise the structure of the council.

17. Facilitate conditions, in coordination with the concerned body, for the women and persons with disability to participate in and benefit from sport.

18. Establish and direct sport Office at Sub-city level which is accountable to the Chief Executive of the Sub-city and sport office at Wereda level which is accountable to the Woreda Chief Executive as are appropriate to the attainment of its objectives.

6. Following (h) of Article 22 (2) of the Proclamation the following new sub-article (i) is added:

i) Control illicit trade; take or cause to be taken legal measures on same;

7. Following sub-article (12) of Article 26 the following new sub-article (13) is added:-

13) control unauthorized construction and other violation of laws; take or cause to be taken legal measures on same;

8. Article 31 (1) of the Proclamation is cancelled and substituted by the following:-

1. Direct and coordinate the Prosecution Office, and Judicial Administration Council Office of the social Courts; implement the justice reform program and ensure implementation of same by these and other justice organs of the City Government.

9. Following sub-article 8 of Article 31 the following new sub-article 9 is added:-

9) Work in collaboration with pertinent Federal as well as the City Government organs, religious institutions and other organs to ensure that peace and mutual respect will prevail among followers of different religions and beliefs, and to be able to prevent conflicts within the City;

10. Article 33 of the Proclamation is fully cancelled;

11. Article 35 of the Proclamation is fully cancelled and substituted by the following new Article:-
35. Road and Transport Bureau

The Bureau shall have the following powers and functions:

1. Superiorly administer, direct and control the Addis Ababa City Bus Enterprise, the Addis Ababa Roads Authority, the Addis Ababa Branch Transport Office, and the Traffic Management Department based on delegation, where necessary, of the concerned body;

2. Ensure the existence of secured, expedient, and balanced transport service within the City;

3. Devise mechanism for the improvement of transport service demand and supply, system as well as management by conducting timely studies;

4. Organize necessary data related to transport in the City; ensure that the transport service is supported by information technology;

5. Prepare transport plan and program in consistence with the land use system of the City; implement same upon approval; based on the delegation from the concerned body ensure that roads are constructed accordingly;

6. Collect fine, by itself or through the institution so authorized, imposed upon violators of traffic regulation by law in accordance with the finance law of the City;

7. Based on delegation of the concerned body perform the traffic management task of the City; superiorly control same; devise techniques for the effectiveness of the service;

8. Register vehicles in accordance with law; incidences of transfer of ownership register same upon ensuring the legality; collect fees related to such service;

9. Undertake annual inspection of vehicles by itself or through the institution authorized in accordance with law; take necessary measure on vehicles harmful to the society;

10. Issue driving license in accordance with the law; renew same; collect service charge thereof;

11. Issue working license to individuals or organizations involved in training the skill of driving motor vehicles; control same; take appropriate measure where they perform inappropriately;

12. Provide appropriate support in the formation and strengthening of associations involved in the transport sector in cooperation with the concerned bodies; ensure that the associations work towards effectiveness and security of transport in the City;

13. Issue certificate of proficiency to individual and organizations involved in transport and garaj service; control same;

14. Cause the construction and administer terminals and vehicle stop points within the City Government;
15. Construct, expand, maintain and administer the transport infrastructure of the City based on delegation of the concerned body;

16. Offer training on transport service of the City as well as traffic system to the concerned bodies.

12. Article 36 of the Proclamation is fully cancelled and substituted by the following:—

36. Women, Children and Youth Affairs Bureau

The Bureau shall have the following powers and functions:-

1. Follow up whether the overall rights and security of women, children and youth are respected in the implementation of policies and law in the City Government; follow up that gender and youth issues are included in the plans of the executive and municipal service organs and other organs of the city Government;

2. Conduct investigation, in cooperation with the concerned bodies, upon receiving compliant of violation of the rights of women, children and youth and ensure that measures are taken by the appropriate organ;

3. Cause mobilization and awareness created regarding women, children and youth affairs and gender and equality;

4. Organize and provide educational, professional and additional skills training that strengthen the capacity of women and the youth;

5. Facilitate the establishment of women and youth organizations and their access to credit and saving services in collaboration with appropriate organs;

6. Provide the necessary support for the establishment and strengthening of associations advocating for the rights and welfare of women, children and the youth;

7. Work in coordination with concerned bodies to enable women and the youth effectively participate in and benefit from political, economic and social activities of the City Government;

8. Establish agreement with different Non-Governmental organizations operating in the City on women children and youth related projects that are formulated from the perspective of the development strategy; follow up the implementation thereof; submit report to the concerned body;
9. Coordinate the activities of joint effort for solving social problems of mothers, children and the youth; follow up implementation of same.

10. Work in coordination with other organs in giving special attention to women and youth with disabilities so as to cause them considered in all development works and enhance their capacity of protection from different violence, maintaining their social, economic and political interests.

11. Devise mechanism for the proper application of affirmative measures in the City; follow up implementation;

12. Study ways of improving life condition of mothers; implement the same in cooperation with concerned bodies.

13. Administer and direct the youth center and orphanage of the City Government; cause their extension and capacity built.

14. Article 65 (1) (i) of the Proclamation is cancelled

15. Article 65 (1) (j) of the Proclamation is cancelled and substituted by the following:-

j) Women, Children and Youth Affairs Office

16. Following sub-article (2) of Article 65 of the Proclamation the following new sub-article (3) is added:

3) Sub-City Sport Office is hereby established being accountable to the Chief Executive of the Sub-City;

17. Article 75 (1) (G) of the Proclamation is cancelled.

18. Article 75 (1) (H) of the Proclamation is cancelled and substituted by the following:-

h) Women, Children and Youth Affairs Office

19. Following sub-article (5) of Article 75 of the Proclamation the following new sub-article (6) is added:-

6) Wereda Sport Office is hereby established being accountable to the Chief Executive of the Wereda;

Miscellaneous Provisions

3. Inapplicable Laws

No proclamation, regulation, directive or traditional practice inconsistent to this proclamation shall have effect with respect to matters provided for by this proclamation.

4. Transfer of Rights and Obligations

1. The right and obligations of the Women’s and Children Affairs Bureau and the Youth and Sport Bureau relating to youth affairs are hereby transferred to the Women, Children and Youth Affairs Bureau.

2. The rights and obligations of the Youth and sport Bureau other than those relating to the youth affairs are hereby transferred to the Addis Ababa Sport Commission.
5. Transitional Provisions

Organs responsible for leading the implementation of the ongoing capacity building programs shall be designated by the Cabinet consistent with the Federal Government.

6. Effective Date

This Proclamation shall enter into force on the 12th day of November 2011.

Done at Addis Ababa
This 12th day of November, 2011

Kuma Demeksa
Mayor of Addis Ababa City