PROCLAMATION No.934/2016

APROCLAMATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE AMENDMENT OF RIGHTS AND BENEFITS OF OUTGOING HEADS OF STATE AND GOVERNMENT, SENIOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT AND JUDGES

WHEREAS, it has become necessary to amend the Rights and Benefits of Outgoing Heads of State and Government, Senior Government Officials, Members of Parliament and Judges Proclamation number 653/2009;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Article 55(1) of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopian Constitution, it is hereby proclaimed as follows:

1. Short Title

This Proclamation may be cited as the “Rights and Benefits of Outgoing Heads of State and Government, Senior Government Officials, Members of Parliament and Judges (amendment) Proclamation No.934/2016”.

2. Amendment

The Rights and Benefits of Outgoing Heads of State and Government, Senior Government Officials, Members of Parliament and Judges Proclamation No. 653/2009 is hereby amended as follows:

1/ The word “parliament” appearing anywhere in the proclamation is hereby replaced by the word “Federal Houses”

2/Sub-article (7) of Article 2 of the Proclamation is deleted and replaced by the following new sub-article (7):

7/ ‘Member of Parliament’ include the Speaker, the Deputy Speaker and any member of the House of Peoples Representatives of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia and member of the House of Federation working permanently in the standing committees of the House of Federation;”

3/ The following new sub-article (8) is added after sub-article (7) of Article 2 of the Proclamation and the existing subsequent sub-articles are renumbered as sub-articles (9), (10), (11), (12), (13), (14), (15), (16), (17), (18), (19) and (20):

8/ ‘Member of Standing Committee’ means member of the House of People’s Representatives of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia or member of the House of the Federation working permanently in a standing committee;”

4/ The following new Article 57 is added after Article 56 of the Proclamation and the existing subsequent Articles are renumbered as Article 58, 59 and 60:
3. Effective Date

This Proclamation shall enter into force on the date of publication in the Federal Negarit Gazette.

Done at Addis Ababa, this 16th day of February 2016.

MULATU TESHOME (DR.)
PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA