



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

UASIN GISHU COUNTY GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT

BILLS, 2023

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THE UASIN GISHU COUNTY BURSARY AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT FUND DISBURSEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2023.

An Act of County Assembly of Uasin Gishu to amend The Uasin Gishu County Bursary and Skill Development Support Fund Disbursement Act, 2014, to make further provisions for procedures and guidelines for efficient disbursement of fees, bursaries, skill development support and such other related matters.

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It is Enacted as follows: -

1. This Act may be cited as Uasin Gishu County Bursary and Skill Development Support Fund Disbursement (Amendment) Act, 2023 and shall come into operation upon publication in the County or the Kenya Gazette.

2. The purpose of the bill is to amend the Uasin Gishu County Bursary and Disbursements Act, 2014 hereinafter referred to as “The Principal Act”.

3. Section 11(i)(a) of the Principal Act is amended by deleting the phrase “three (3)” and replacing with the phrase, “five (5)” after the words, “appraisal Committee”.

Section 11(ii)(b) of the Principal Act is amended by deleting the phrase, “competitively elected by the area residents in a forum convened by the Ward Education Committee and the members so elected shall be appointed by the County Public Service Board who shall set the terms of engagement and allowances payable under Section 17 set out hereinafter” and adding the following new sections therein Section 12-21 to read:

12. A vacancy shall occur in the ward appraisal committee upon-
- Commencement of a new County Assembly Member term;
 - Dissolution of a ward appraisal committee;
 - Removal of a member of ward appraisal committee.

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el 13. Upon the occurrence of a vacancy in a ward appraisal committee the CECM in charge of education matter shall constitute a selection panel.

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iel 14. The selection panel shall consist of-
a) The Coordinator in charge of Education matters in the ward who shall be the chairperson
b) The Ward administrator who shall be the secretary
c) Three persons nominated by the ward office considering gender and special interest group.

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lications 15. The selection panel shall within fourteen (14) days of its first meeting invite applications from persons who qualify for appointment to a ward appraisal committee in accordance with guidelines issued by CECM in charge of Education matters

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plicants 16. The selection panel shall, within fourteen (14) days of receiving applications, consider the applications and shall select six applicants taking into account the criteria provided for in Section 11(ii)(b) excluding the Ward Administrator and Ward Office Assistant.

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ndidates 17(1) The Ward Administrator shall within seven days of selection process referred to in Section 16 submit the names of the successful candidates together with the report of the selection panel to CECM for Education for appointment.

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ember 19. A person shall be qualified to be appointed to a ward appraisal committee if that person-
a) Is a citizen of Kenya;
b) Is ordinarily a resident and a voter within the Ward;
c) Is able to read and write and communicate in English and Kiswahili;
d) Meets the requirement of chapter six of the constitution and;
e) Is available to participate in activities of a Ward appraisal committee

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office 20. A member serving in the Ward Appraisal Committee may be removed if the Member:

- a) resigns;
- b) is found guilty of gross misconduct;
- c) is in a violation of chapter six of the constitution;
- d) Is mentally or physically incapacitated;
- e) dies;
- f) is found guilty of a criminal offence under Kenyan legislation;
- g) Is adjudged bankrupt.

21. All current members of the Ward Appraisal Committee shall be bound by the provisions of this Act upon its enactment.

4. Section 14 of the Principal Act is amended by deleting the entire Section.

5. Section 21(1)(a) of the Principal Act is amended by:

Deleting the number “30%” and replacing with the phrase, “At least 10% (ten percent)”

To read, “At least 10% (ten percent) of the fund shall go towards supporting students pursuing post-secondary education in tertiary institutions and students pursuing skill-based learning in recognized and registered institutions”.

Section 21(1)(b) of the Principal Act is amended by:

Deleting the number “70%” and replacing with the phrase, “At least 10% (ten percent)”

To read, “At least 10% (ten percent) of the fund shall be for secondary school students”.

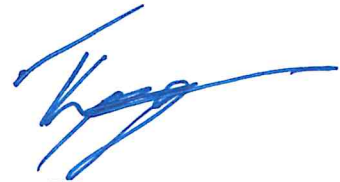
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MEMORUNDUM OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The County Bursary and Skill Development Support Fund Disbursement Act, 2014 hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act” is proposed to be amended to give provision for how funds are allocated to each category of students and further providing for the procedure of selecting the Ward Appraisal Committees, their qualifications, term of office and removal from office.

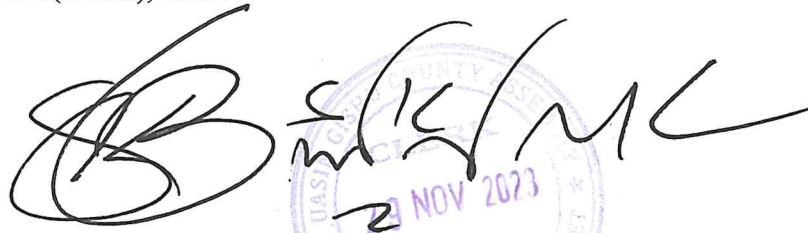
Dated this 29 of Nov2023



Hon. Thomas Yego,

CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

I certify that this printed impression is a true copy of the Act passed by the County Assembly on the(date).....(month), 2023.



Clerk of the County Assembly.



Presented for assent in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of Kenya and County Governments Act on the(date) at the hour of.....



County Assembly Speaker.

