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**THE KAKAMEGA COUNTY FLAGS, EMBLEMS AND NAMES
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 2017**

A Bill for

**AN ACT of the County Assembly of Kakamega to amend the
Kakamega County Flags, Emblems and Names Act, 2015 and for
connected purposes**

ENACTED by the County Assembly of Kakamega, as follows—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the Kakamega County Flags, Emblems and Names (Amendment) Act, 2017 and shall come into operation upon publication.

Amendment of section 2 of Act No. 6 of 2015

2. The Kakamega County Flags, Emblems and Names Act, 2015 (hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act”) is amended in section 2 by inserting the following new definition in its proper alphabetical sequence—

“County Anthem” means the county anthem, the words and music of which are set out in the Third Schedule to this Act.”

Insertion of a new section 9A

3. The principal Act is amended by inserting a new section 9A immediately after Section 9

County anthem

9A. The anthem of which the words and music are set out in the Third Schedule of this Act is hereby declared to be the Kakamega County Anthem.

Insertion of a new section 9B

4. The principal Act is amended by inserting a new section 9B immediately after Section 9A—

Insulting County Anthem

9B. Any person who shows disrespect, in speech, manner or writing, to or with reference to the County Anthem commits an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding ten thousand shillings or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both.

Insertion of Third Schedule**THIRD SCHEDULE (Section 9A)**

THE KAKAMEGA COUNTY ANTHEM	WIMBO WA KAUNTI YA KAKAMEGA
ENGLISH	KISWAHILI
Kakamega County we are united in brotherhood and our solidarity to grow our economy, eradicate poverty	Twasimama sote kaunti Kakamega Kwa undugu na ushujaa wetu Kuboresha uchumi kumaliza umasikini
Bless this our country oh God we pray	Mungu ibariki kaunti yetu
Were moving forward to build our county In our pleasant environment we pride and protect our valuable resources forever, we shall protect our county	Tunasonga mbele tukijenga kaunti yetu Mazingira yetu yapendeza Na tuilinde rasilmali yetu Daima tulinde kaunti yetu
Improve on farming, let's grow our business. Let's grow our industries, improve education And nurture our talent, promote tourism Promote healthy living, for all our citizens	Tuimarishe kilimo biashara tukuze Viwanda tujenge tuboreshe elimu Michezo tukuze utalii tukuze Tuboreshe afya katika kaunti yetu
We're moving forward to build our county In peace love and unity And protect our valuable resources Forever we shall protect our county	Tunasonga mbele tukijenga kaunti yetu Kwa amani upendo na umoja Na tuilinde rasilmali yetu Daima tulinde kaunti yetu

MEMORANDUM OF OBJECT AND REASONS

These amendments are intended to give effect or operationalize the Kakamega County Flag emblem and names Act, 2015.

The amendments provide for the definition of the County Anthem and provides for penalty for person who insult the County Anthem. It also incorporates the County Anthem into the body of the Act and provide for the keys and brass the singing of the anthem.

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