

**Act 20**

*National Youth Council  
(Amendment) Act*

**2015**

**THE NATIONAL YOUTH COUNCIL (AMENDMENT)  
ACT, 2015.**

**An Act to amend the National Youth Council Act, Cap. 319 to exempt elections at youth committees lower than the district youth committee from the requirements of article 68(1) of the Constitution that the election should be held by secret ballot; and to provide for related matters.**

DATE OF ASSENT: 24th August, 2015.

*Date of Commencement:* 16th October, 2015.

BE IT ENACTED by Parliament as follows:

**1. Amendment of the National Youth Council Act, Cap. 319.**

The National Youth Council Act, Cap. 319 is amended in section 8 as follows—

- (a) in subsection (8) by substituting for the word “council”, the word “committee”;
- (b) by inserting immediately after subsection (8), the following—

“(8a) Elections for the village, parish or ward, subcounty, division or town youth committee shall be by the electorate lining up behind the candidates nominated for the office, their representatives, portraits or symbols.”

**2. Amendment of section 27A of the principal Act.**

Section 27A of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) by substituting for the word “four”, the word “five”.