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## **CERTIFICATE OF GENDER AND EQUITY COMPLIANCE OF THE NATIONAL BUDGET FRAMEWORK PAPER AND THE SECTOR BUDGET FRAMEWORK PAPERS FINANCIAL YEAR 2019/2020**

Pursuant to Section 14 of the Equal Opportunities Commission Act (2007) and Section 9 (6) (a) and (b) of the Public Finance Management Act (2015), the Commission is delighted to recommend issuance of the Certificate of Compliance with Gender and Equity requirements to the National BFP FY 2019/2020-2023/2024 and the 16 Sector whose Budget Framework Papers for the Financial Year 2019/2020 met the requirements.

Overall, the **National BFP (FY 2019/2020-2023/2024)** compliance with Gender and Equity Requirements was **61%**. The Commission also assessed the 18 sector BFPs of which 16 passed the assessment (50% minimum) and these include: Agriculture 64.3%; Accountability 63%; Legislature 68%; Public Administration Sector 53.3%; Justice, Law and Order 70.3%; Security 55%; Works and Transport 50%; ICT Sector 56.7%; Trade and Industry 56%; Education 75%; Health 70.7%; Water and Environment 62.7%; Social Development 78%; Public Sector Management 59%; Science, Technology and Innovation 50.5% and Tourism 54.7%. Sectors whose BFPs were found to be non-compliance with gender and Equity Requirements include; Lands, Housing and Urban Development 32% and Energy and Mineral Development 45%.

The purpose of this letter therefore, is to recommend issuance of a gender and equity certificate for the National Budget Framework Paper for the FY 2019/2020-2023/2024 and the 16 sectors whose BFPs met the gender and equity requirements. A summary Preliminary Report is herein attached.

The Commission is committed to and shall continue working with all sectors to enhance Gender and Equity planning and budgeting as a strategy to redress imbalances and to promote equal opportunities for all in the country's concerted effort to attain a lower middle income status by 2020.

Sylvia Muwebwa Ntambi  
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