

**POLITICAL PARTIES (REGISTRATION AND REGULATION)  
(AMENDMENT) BILL, 2025**

*(Member's Bill No. 2 of 2025)*

**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT ON OBJECTS OF AND  
REASONS FOR THE BILL**

The Bill seeks to amend the Political Parties (Registration and Regulation) Act (Cap 173) to allow political parties to strengthen their institutional, operational and human development through capacity building and training, particularly with the assistance of donor organisations local or foreign, without contravening the Act.

**Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.**

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**MEMBER OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

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**ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS**

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1. Short title
2. Insertion of new paragraph in section in 29A (5)

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**A BILL**

**FOR**

**AN ACT TO AMEND THE POLITICAL PARTIES (REGISTRATION AND REGULATION) ACT (CAP 173).**

**ENACTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**Short title**

**1.** This Act may be cited as the Political Parties (Registration and Regulation) (Amendment) Act, 2025.

**2.** The Political Parties (Registration and Regulation) Act is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the definition of “donation” in section 29A(5) a semi-colon and the following new paragraph —

“any contribution, donation or assistance for the sole purpose of human capacity improvement, capacity development, capacity building, and training of members of a political party shall not be considered as a contravention of the section.”