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ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY ACT

[Date of assent: 2nd August, 2016.]

[Date of commencement: 19th August, 2016.]

AN ACT of Parliament to make provision for the regulation, practice and standards of engineering technologists and technicians, and for connected purposes

[Act No. 23 of 2016.]

PART I – PRELIMINARY

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Engineering Technology Act, 2016.

2. Interpretation

In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

"Board" means the Kenya Engineering Technology Registration Board established under section 3;

"Cabinet Secretary" means the Cabinet Secretary for the time being responsible for matters relating to engineering;

"candidate" means any person registered in any of the categories under section 15(1)(b);

"certified engineering technician" means a person registered as such under section 15(1)(a)(ii);

"consulting engineering technologist" means an engineering technologist registered as such under this Act;

"consulting engineering technology services" includes consultancy and advisory services relating to independent professional engineering technology works, services or goods and selling or supplying for gain or reward any plan, sketch, drawing, design, specification or other documents relating to any professional engineering technology work, service or good with a liability to be sued;

"continuing professional development" means the planned acquisition of knowledge, experience and skills necessary for the development of an engineering technologist or technician;

"engineering technician" means a person registered under this Act as such, and includes a craft person or artisan;

"engineering technologist" means a person registered under this Act as such;

"engineering technology" means part of the engineering profession in which knowledge of applied mathematical and natural science gained by higher education, experience and practice is devoted to application of engineering principles and the implementation of technology education for the professional focusing primarily on analysing, applying, implementing and improving existing