PROCLAMATION No. ----/2022

A PROCLAMATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE AMENDMENT OF THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY SERVICE RE·ESTABLISHMENT PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, it has become necessary to amend the National Intelligence and Security Service Re-establishment Proclamation No. 804/2013 to enable the Service to have additional powers and functions to carry out its mission efficiently;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with Article 55 (1) of the Constitution of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, it is hereby proclaimed as follows:

1. Short Title

This Proclamation may be cited as the "the National Intelligence and Security Service Reestablishment Proclamation Amendment Proclamation No. -----/2022"

2. Amendment

The National Intelligence and Security Service Re-establishment Proclamation No. 804/2013 is hereby amended as follows:

- 1/ Sub-articles 7,8,9,10,11,12 are added after sub-article (6) of Article (7) of the Proclamation and the existing sub-article 7 is re-numbered as sub-article (13);
 - "(7) lead and coordinate the fight against psychological warfare targeted to the country;"
 - "(8) lead and coordinate Immigration and Nationality Service; and Refugee and Returnees Service;"
 - "(9) lead the provision of response to the national security threats and disasters; and coordinate relevant bodies;"
 - "(10) establish and administer National Data Compilation and Repository in connection with its work;"
 - "(11) establish and control organizations that enable to carry out its power and duties;"
 - "(12) create awareness on national security agendas and concerns;"
- 2/ The following new sub-article (7) is added after sub-article (6) of Article 8 of the Proclamation; and existing sub-article (7) is re-numbered as sub-article(8);

- "(7) organize and lead the flow and dissemination system of intelligence and security analysis in collaboration with relevant government bodies;"
- 3/ Sub-articles (1),(2),(3),(4) and (5) of Article 11 of the Proclamation are deleted and replaced by the following new sub-articles (1) and (2);
 - "(1) a Director General and deputy Director Generals appointed by the Prime Minister; and
 - (2) The necessary staffs. "
- 4/ The following new paragraph (c) is added after paragraph (b) sub article (2) of Article 12 of the Proclamation; and the existing paragraphs (c),(d),(e),(f) and (g) are renumbered as paragraphs (d),(e),(f),(g) and (h) respectively.
 - "(c) study and submit the service's employee salary scale and benefits payment system to the government; and implement same upon approval;"
- 5/ The following new paragraph (c) is added after paragraph (b) sub article (2) of Article 13 of the proclamation and the existing paragraph (c) is re-numbered as paragraph (d);
 - "(c) income from the service provided."
- 6/ The following new sub-article (2) is added after sub-article (1) of Article 15 of the proclamation and the existing sub-article (2) and (3) are re-numbered as sub-articles (3) and (4) respectively;
 - "(2) Without prejudice to the provisions of sub-article (1) of this Article, the Service may procure goods and services, when it believes that it may be a source of security threat and directly related to intelligence and security, from single supplier or through restricted tendering"
- 7/ The following new Article 17 is added after Article 16 of the Proclamation and the existing Articles 17 to 30 are re-numbered as Article 18 to 31 respectively;

"17. Administration of Employee

"The administration of the employee of the Service shall be governed by a regulation issued by the Council of Ministers."

8/ The following new sub-article (6) is added after sub-article (5) of Article 18 of the Proclamation and the existing sub-article (6) is re-numbered as sub-article (7);

- " (6) Any employee of the Service shall not be a member of any political party or political organization, or engage in agitation campaign or any other similar activities.
- 9/ Sub-article (2) of Article 21 of the Proclamation is deleted and replaced by the following new sub-article (2) paragraphs (a) and (b);
 - "(2) Whosoever, without being an employee of the Service:
 - (a) cheats or pretends or attempts to cheat or pretend in words or action in the name of the Service, an official or employee of the Service or obstructs the peaceful movement or daily activity of a citizen or an institution; or
 - (b) disclose any information, intelligence, document, material or recorded information or its source known and obtained in the course of performance of duty or deployment of operation without permission of Director General of the Service;

shall be punishable in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Criminal Code."

- 10/ Sub-article (3) of Article 27 of the Proclamation is deleted and new sub-articles (3) and (4) are added;
 - "(3) Any person shall use and implement intelligence provided to it by the Service.
 - "(4) Whosoever intentionally or negligently fails to respect fully or partially the duties provided under sub-article (1),(2) or (3) of this Article shall be punishable in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Criminal Code."

3. Effective Date

This Proclamation shall enter into force upon the date of publication in the Federal *Negarit Gazeta*.

Done at Addis Ababa, thisday of 2022

SAHLEWORK ZEWDIE

PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERAL

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA