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KAMRA TAD-DEPUTATI

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

ABBOZZ ta' Liġi mressaq mill-Onorevoli Carmelo Abela, M.P., Ministru għall-Affarjiet Barranin u Promozzjoni tal-Kummerċ, f'isem il-Ministru għall-Ambjent, Żvilupp Sostenibbli u Tibdil fil-Klima, u moqri għall-Ewwel darba fis-Seduta tal-4 ta' Lulju, 2018.

A BILL introduced by the Honourable Carmelo Abela, M.P., Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade Promotion, on behalf of the Minister for the Environment, Sustainable Development and Climate Change, and read the First time at the Sitting of the 4th July, 2018.

ATT sabiex jemenda l-Att dwar l-Iżvilupp Sostenibbli, Kap. 521.

AN ACT ACT to amend the Sustainable Development Act, Cap. 521.

RAYMOND SCICLUNA
Skrivan tal-Kamra tad-Deputati

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ABBOZZ TA' LIĠI
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Att sabiex jemenda l-Att dwar l-Iżvilupp Sostenibbli, Kap. 521.

IL-PRESIDENT, bil-parir u l-kunsens tal-Kamra tad-Deputati, imlaqqgħa f'dan il- Parlament u bl-awtorità tal-istess, ħarget b'liġi dan li ġej:-

1. It-titolu fil-qosor ta' dan l-Att huwa l-Att tal-2018 li jemenda l-Att dwar l-Iżvilupp Sostenibbli u għandu jinqara u jinftiehem haġa waħda mal-Att dwar l-Iżvilupp Sostenibbli, hawn iżjed 'il quddiem imsejjaħ "l-Att prinċipali".

Titolu fil-qosor.

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2. Is-subartikolu (2) tal-artikolu 2 tal-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi sostitwit b'dan li ġej:

Emenda tal-artikolu 2 tal-Att prinċipali.

"(2) Fil-kuntest tas-settur privat u s-soċjetà ċivili, l-għan ta' dan l-Att hu li jqaqal kuxjenza dwar il-prinċipji tal-iżvilupp sostenibbli u li jżid il-partecipazzjoni tas-soċjetà ċivili kif ukoll dik tal-atturi soċjali fl-integrazzjoni tal-iżvilupp sostenibbli."

3. L-artikolu 8 tal-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi emendat kif ġej:

Emenda tal-artikolu 8 tal-Att prinċipali.

(a) il-paragrafu (b) tas-subartikolu (2) tiegħu, għandu jiġi sostitwit b'dan li ġej:

"(b) persuna li jkollha għarfien ta', u esperjenza fis-settur ta' Organizzazzjonijiet Voluntarju, maħtura mill-Ministru.";

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(b) minnufih wara l-paragrafu (d) tas-subartikolu (2) tiegħu, għandu jiġi miżjud il-paragrafu ġdid (e) li ġej:

"(e) persuna li jkollha għarfien ta', u esperjenza f'materji li għandhom x'jaqsmu mal-ambjent, maħtura mill-Ministru."

Emenda tal-
artikolu 9 tal-
Att prinċipali.

4. L-artikolu 9 tal-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi emendat kif ġej:

(a) il-paragrafu (b) tas-subartikolu (2) tiegħu, għandu jiġi sostitwit b'dan li ġej:

"(b) viċi president maħtur mill-Ministru.";

(b) minnufih wara s-subartikolu (3) tal-artikolu 9 tiegħu, għandu jiġi miżjud is-subartikolu ġdid (4) li ġej:

"(4) Ir-Retikolat għandu jagħmel hiltu biex iwaqqaf numru ta' sotto kumitati li jistgħu jippromwovu d-dimensjonijiet ekonomiċi, soċjali u ambjentali tal-iżvillup sostenibbli, u li għandhom jikkonsistu minn rappreżentanti tal-imsieħba soċjali, atturi u dawk b'interess speċifiku fil-qasam."

Għanijiet u Raġunijiet

L-għanijiet u r-raġunijiet ta' dan l-Abbozz huma sabiex jiġu inklużi emendi minuri fl-Att, primarjament li tiżdied il-partecipazzjoni tas-soċjeta' ċivili, kif ukoll dik ta' l-atturi soċjali fl-integrazzjoni tal-iżvillup sostenibbli.

**A BILL
entitled**

AN ACT to amend the Sustainable Development Act, Cap. 521.

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:-

1. The short title of this Act is the Sustainable Development (Amendment) Act 2018, and this Act shall be read and construed as one with the Sustainable Development Act, hereinafter referred to as "the principal Act".

Short title.

Cap. 521.

2. Sub-article (2) of article 2 of the principal Act shall be substituted by the following:

Amendment of article 2 of the principal Act.

"(2) Within the context of the private sector and civil society, the purpose of this Act is to raise awareness of the principles of sustainable development and to foster increased participation of civil society as well as that of all social actors in main-streaming sustainable development."

3. Article 8 of the principal Act shall be amended as follows:

Amendment of article 8 of the principal Act.

(a) paragraph (b) of sub-article (2) thereof, shall be substituted by the following:

"(b) a person having knowledge of and experience in the Voluntary Organisations sector appointed by the Minister;"

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(b) immediately after paragraph (d) of sub-article (2) thereof, there shall be added the following new paragraph (e):

"(e) a person with knowledge of, and experience in environmental matters appointed by the Minister."

Amendment of article 9 of the principal Act.

4. Article 9 of the principal Act shall be amended as follows:

(a) paragraph (b) of sub-article (2) thereof, shall be substituted by the following:

"(b) a deputy chairperson appointed by the Minister;"

(b) immediately after sub-article (3) of article 9 thereof, there shall be added the following new sub-article (4):

"(4) The Network shall endeavour to set up a number of sub-committees that can promote the economic, social and environmental dimensions of sustainable development and that shall consist of representatives of the social partners, actors and those with a specific interest in the area."

Objects and Reasons

The objects and reasons of this Bill are to include minor amendments to the Act, mainly to foster increased participation of civil society, as well as that of all social actors in main-streaming sustainable development.

