

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

ACT

No. 47 of 2026

Date of Assent: 4th June, 2026

An Act to amend the Green Economy and Climate Change Act.

[12th June, 2026

ENACTED by the Parliament of Zambia.

Enactment

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Green Economy and Climate Change (Amendment) Act, 2026, and shall be read as one with the Green Economy and Climate Change Act, 2024, in this Act referred to as the principal Act.

Short title and commencement

Act No. 18 of 2024

(2) This Act shall come into operation on the expiry of the term of office, or removal by the Minister, of the members of the Technical Committee holding office prior to the enactment of this Act, after which the Minister shall appoint the members of the Technical Committee in accordance with this Act.

2. Section 8 of the principal Act is amended by the deletion of subsection (1) and the substitution therefor of the following:

Amendment of section 8

(1) There is established the Green Economy and Climate Change Technical Committee consisting of the following part-time members appointed by the Minister:

(a) the Chairperson, who shall be a person with knowledge and experience in matters relevant to this Act;

- (b) a representative of the ministry responsible for agriculture;
 - (c) a representative of the Attorney-General;
 - (d) a representative of the Zambia Environmental Management Agency;
 - (e) three representatives from non-governmental organisations engaged in green economy and climate change;
 - (f) a representative from academia; and
 - (g) three representatives from the private sector with knowledge and experience in carbon markets, green economy and climate change.
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