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THE BASIC EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) ACT
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AN ACT of Parliament to amend the Basic Education Act

ENACTED by the Parliament of Kenya, as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Basic Education (Amendment) Act, 2017.

2. The Basic Education Act in this Act referred to as the “principal Act” is amended in section 39 by—

(a) deleting the word “and” appearing in paragraph (i);

(b) inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (j)—

(k) provide free, sufficient and quality sanitary towels to every girl child registered and enrolled in a public basic education institution who has reached puberty and provide a safe and environmentally sound mechanism for disposal of the sanitary towels.

3. Section 88 of the Principal Act is amended in subsection (2) by—

(a) inserting the word “and” immediately after the word “development” appearing in paragraph (f);

(b) inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (f)—

(g) conditional capitation funds to facilitate the acquisition of sufficient and quality sanitary towels to every girl child registered and enrolled in a public basic education institution who has reached puberty.