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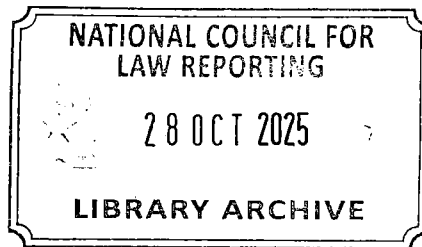
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**THE WILDLIFE CONSERVATION AND
MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2025**

No. 24 of 2025

Date of Assent: 15th October, 2025

Date of Commencement: 4th November, 2025

**AN ACT of Parliament to amend the Wildlife
Conservation and Management Act**

**ENACTED by the Parliament of Kenya, as
follows—**

1. This Act may be cited as the Wildlife Conservation and Management (Amendment) Act, 2025.

Short title.

2. Section 18 of the Wildlife Conservation and Management Act (hereinafter referred to as the “principal Act”) is amended by inserting the following new subsection immediately after subsection (1)—

Amendment of
section 18 of Cap.
376.

“(1A) Where a claim launched under the Act relates to injury, death or any form of loss or damage occasioned by any of the marine wildlife species specified under Part A of the Third Schedule to the Act, the relevant Community Wildlife Conservation and Compensation Committee shall be comprised of the following additional members—

- (a) a representative from the Kenya Coast Guard Service appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for internal security;
- (b) a representative from the Kenya Fisheries Service Department appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for fisheries; and
- (c) a representative from the Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for science, technology and innovation.”

3. The Third Schedule to the principal Act is amended in Part A by inserting the following new words immediately after the word “Buffalo”—

Amendment of
the Third
Schedule to Cap.
376.

“Shark
Stone fish
Whale
Sting ray.”