

**AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 6, SUB-SECTION 6.1 OF AN ACT  
CREATING THE FORESTRY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF 1976**

*It is enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Republic of Liberia in  
Legislature assembled:*

**Section 1.** Section 6 of An Act Creating the Forestry Development Authority of 1976, under the caption "Board of Directors", is hereby amended to revise sub-section 6.1, to read as follows:

**Composition: The formulation of policies and direction of management of the Forestry Development Authority shall be vested in and exercised by a Board of Directors consisting of:**

- a) One representative each from the ministry responsible for agriculture, the ministry responsible for labor, and the ministry responsible for lands, who shall be designated by the minister of the respective ministries but shall not be below the rank of a deputy minister.
- b) Four Liberian citizens: (i) representative of the Liberian business sector; (ii) a person knowledgeable in forest operations; (iii) a representative of civil society; and (iv) an experienced individual with background/knowledge in agriculture or forestry, who shall serve as chairperson of the Board; all of whom shall be appointed by the President with the consent of the Senate.
- c) The Managing Director of the Authority shall serve as secretary of the Board but shall not be considered a member of the Board.

**Section 2:** That Section 6.4 of the Act creating the Forestry Development Authority of 1976 is hereby repealed.

**Section 3.** This Act shall take effect immediately upon publication in hand-bills.

**ANY LAW TO THE CONTRARY NOTWITHSTANDING.**