

**Proclamation No. 82/1994**

Proclamation to Provide for the Amendment of the Political Parties Registration Proclamation

WHEREAS it has become necessary to amend the Political Parties Registration Proclamation No. 46/1993;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Article 9 (d) of the Transitional Period Charter,  
it is hereby proclaimed as follows:

**1. Short Title**

This Proclamation may be cited as the "Political Parties Registration Amendment Proclamation No. 82/1994."

**2. Amendment**

The Political Parties Registration Proclamation No. 46/1993 is hereby amended as follows:

1. The word "Commission" appearing in sub-article 5 of Article 2 is hereby deleted and replaced by the phrase: "National Election Board";
2. Part Six of the Proclamation (Articles 32, 33 and 34) is hereby deleted.
3. Article 34, 36, 37, 38 and 40 of the Proclamation are renumbered as Articles 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37, respectively.
4. The following new Article 38 is inserted after Article 37.

"38. Office of Registration

The National Election Board established under Article 3 of the Electoral Law of Ethiopia Proclamation No. 64/1993 shall register political parties in accordance with this Proclamation and shall implement this Proclamation as the Office of Registration."

5. Article 41 of the Proclamation is renumbered as Article 39 and shall read as follows:

"39. Transitory Provision

A Political organization, established prior to this Proclamation shall fulfil the requirements prescribed herein and register in accordance with this Proclamation within three months from the day the National Election Board officially announces the commencement of registration hereunder.

6. Article 42 of the Proclamation is renumbered as Article 40.

**3. Effective Date**

This Proclamation shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the Negarit Gazeta.

Done at Addis Ababa this 28<sup>th</sup> day January, 1994.

MELES ZENAWI  
PRESIDENT OF THE TRANSITIONAL GOVERNMENT OF ETHIOPIA