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PRESS RELEASE

We take this opportunity to thank His Excellency Rtd. Brigadier Julius Maada Bio for fulfilling his manifesto promise by approving The Gender Empowerment Bill 2021 presented through the dynamic leadership of the Minister of Gender and Children's Affairs.

It has been a long journey getting here and as we Congratulate Manti Tarawalli, we extend thanks and appreciation to all who through diverse ways contributed to this historic event; the Female Parliamentary Caucus, Members of Parliament, The Women's Forum - The National Women's Umbrella Sierra Leone, Development Partners including international and local organizations, other women's organisations, the He4She Campaigners, Feminist organizations, Girls and Young Women's groups and the entire women of Sierra Leone for sustained advocacy.

The Bill when passed will fast track our Vision 2030 Agenda and The Sustainable Development Goals. With due consideration, its four (4) key areas

Women's Forum endorses and supports the Bill and appeals to Parliament to accept and enact the Bill into law for the benefit of all of mama Salone.



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