



SUMMARY OF NIM'S 7 POINT COMPREHENSIVE CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM AGENDA

1

Reduce excessive powers of the President and deconcentrate executive power to key independent institutions to reduce abuse of authority where there are conflicts of interest (2nd Chamber?) (No more 1-man 1000 President).

Articles; 78, 5(2) (C)(3), 44(6)

2

Strengthen independent Constitutional bodies to provide equitable balance of power for adequate checks and balances. Stop appointment of ministers from legislative or judiciary (No more kokofu football between executive and legislative or judiciary).

Articles; 108, 70, 216, 225,286.

3

Entrench a long-term National Development plan in the Constitution to ensure focus, continuity, and enhanced national cohesion for development (No more discontinued projects and judgement debt).

Articles; 86, 87, 178, 179, 180, 181,182.

4

Remedy Public Service inefficiency and culpability in corruption by defining clearly who is a public servant, setting highest standards and ensure meritocracy and integrity (No more who you know)

Articles; 288, 62

5

Remedy ineffective decentralization of local government and enhance their viability as semi-autonomous bodies by upscaling local government to regional level; enhance accountability by election of DEC/MCE through universal suffrage on non-partisan basis. (No more taking community for granted by imposition of leadership)

Articles; 23, 55, 63, 70, 71, 87, 241, 256, 261, 267, 243(1), 55 (3).

6

**CURRICULUM REFORM - Restore civic and cultural education from Pre-school to University,
Institute Mandatory military service to arrest declining patriotism and enhance discipline. (No more dadaba and vigilante protocol recruitments).**

Articles; 41, 231.

7

Broaden political space for more inclusive and proportional representation by enacting electoral reforms that permit formation of coalition governments where no candidate gets more than fifty percent of the votes cast.

Article 63 (3)