Pursuant to Article 95 item 3 of the Constitution of Montenegro I hereby issue the

**DECREE**

**PROMULGATING THE LAW ON AMENDMENTS TO THE LAW ON OFFICIAL STATISTICS AND OFFICIAL STATISTICAL SYSTEM**

I hereby promulgate the **Law on Amendments to the Law on Official Statistics and Official Statistical System**, passed by the 26th Parliament of Montenegro at the tenth sitting of the first ordinary (spring) session in 2019 on 31 July 2019.

No 01-1360/2
Podgorica, 1 August 2019

The President of Montenegro,
Milo Djukanovic, m. p.

Pursuant to Article 82 item 2 and Article 91 paragraph 1 of the Constitution of Montenegro, at the tenth sitting of the first ordinary (spring) session in 2019 held on 31 July 2019 the 26th Parliament of Montenegro adopted

**LAW**

**ON AMENDMENTS TO THE LAW ON OFFICIAL STATISTICS AND OFFICIAL STATISTICAL SYSTEM**

**Article 1**

In the Law on Official Statistics and Official Statistical System (Official Gazette of Montenegro No 18/12), in Article 4 paragraph 1 item 15 shall be replaced by the following:

“15) Administrative data sources shall be data kept in accordance with the law which shall be used for regulating rights and obligations of natural and legal persons (records, registers, databases, data sets and geospatial data); “.

**Article 2**

In Article 14 paragraph 5 item 7 shall be replaced by the following:

“7) Capital Market Authority of Montenegro– 1 member; “

Item 9 shall be replaced by the following:

“9) Ministry of Health – 1 member; “.

**Article 3**

Article 35 shall be replaced by the following:

“The competent authority shall have the right to use the necessary administrative data sources, including identifiers and the data collected through continuous monitoring and observation method, for the purpose of development, production, and dissemination of official statistics.

Authorities and organizations that manage administrative data sources shall submit appropriate data and metadata to the competent authority in electronic form, in accordance with the laws governing e-government, electronic signature, electronic document, electronic trade, and IT security, for the purpose of development, production, and dissemination of official statistics. “
Article 4

This Law shall enter into force on the eighth day following that of its publication in the Official Gazette of Montenegro.

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Podgorica, 31 July 2019

The 26th Parliament of Montenegro
President,
Ivan Brajovic, m.p.