



Comparative Legal Frameworks in Ethiopian Regions: A Contemporary Perspective

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Abstract

This Policy Brief examines the comparative legal frameworks in Ethiopian regions, focusing on contemporary developments. No empirical data was collected; instead, the analysis relies on legal documents from various regions of Ethiopia and comparative legal research methodologies. A notable finding is that while some regions have adopted uniform tax codes, others still rely heavily on traditional practices with significant variations in application. The current system demonstrates both strengths and weaknesses, particularly in terms of compliance and enforcement across different regions. Policy recommendations include promoting standardization through regional legal councils and enhancing cross-regional collaboration to address disparities effectively.

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