



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**TWELFTH PARLIAMENT - (FOURTH SESSION)**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**NOTIFICATION FROM THE SPEAKER**

*(Standing Order 42(2))*

*(No.05 of 2020)*

**SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT ON NOMINATION OF PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITIONS OF HIGH COMMISSIONERS AND AMBASSADORS**

**WHEREAS** on Thursday, October 15, 2020, the House resolved that upon receipt of any name of a person nominated for appointment to a state or public office from the President or any other office in the National Executive, the Speaker shall forthwith refer such Message to the relevant Committee for consideration, without having to recall the House. Further, Standing Order 42(5) of the National Assembly Standing Orders requires the Speaker to cause the transmission of any Message received from the President at a time when the House is not in Session to every Member and later report such Message to the House at its next sitting;

**IT IS NOTIFIED** to all Members of the National Assembly that, on **Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2020, I** received a Message from H.E. the President regarding nomination for appointment of sixteen (16) persons to the positions of High Commissioners and Ambassadors in Embassies/High Commissions/Missions of the Republic of Kenya abroad as follows:-

<b>Cluster</b>	<b>Station</b>	<b>Name</b>
<b>High Commissioners</b>	Canberra	Amb. John Tipis
	Ottawa	Ms. Immaculate Wambua
	Pretoria	Amb. Catherine Mwangi
<b>Ambassadors</b>	United Nations - New York	Amb. Martin Kimani
	UNHABITAT - Nairobi	Amb. Jean Kimani

Addis Ababa	Amb. Jean Kamau
Bangkok	Mr. Linday Kiptiness
Berlin	Amb. Tom Amolo
Brasilia	Amb. Lemarron Kaanto
Bujumbura	Amb. Daniel Wambura
Harare	Ms. Stella Munyi
Juba	Maj. Gen. (Rtd.) Samuel Nandwa
Khartoum	Maj. Gen. (Rtd.) Ngewa Mukala
Moscow	Amb. Benson Ogutu
Tehran	Mr. Joshua Gatimu
Tokyo	Amb. Tabu Irina

**IT IS FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT** in furtherance to the provisions of Article 132(2)(e) of the Constitution and sections 3 and 5 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act (No.33 of 2011), H.E. the President now seeks the approval of the National Assembly of the said persons to the respective offices;

**NOW THEREFORE,** in keeping with the provisions of the House resolution of October 15, 2020 and Standing Order 42(2) -

- (a) upon resumption of the House on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2020 in accordance with its Calendar(Regular Sessions), I shall convey the Message from H.E the President to the assembled House.
- (b) the Message now stands referred to the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations to commence necessary vetting processes as contemplated under the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act and Standing Order 45 (*Committal of public appointments to Committees*); and
- (c) the Clerk is hereby required to transmit this Notification to all Members of the National Assembly.

  
**THE HON. JUSTIN B.N. MUTURI, EGH, MP**  
**SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Friday, October 16, 2020