



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT - (FIFTH SESSION)

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR**

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**THE SECOND PARLIAMENTARY FORUM FOR COMMITTEES OF
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Honourable Members,

As you may be aware, the National Assembly is scheduled to hold the second Parliamentary Forum for Committees of the National Assembly on Monday, 15th November, 2021 from 9.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. at the Parliament Gardens. Further, on Tuesday, 16th November, 2021, there will be the broadcasting of a documentary titled, '**A House Defying Covid-19**' as well as presentations by Chairpersons of Committees on key milestones.

Honourable Members, Rt. Hon. Martin Ngoga, MP, Speaker of the East African Legislative Assembly (EALA) will grace the occasion as the Chief Guest.

Honourable Members, Committees remain a critical source of the core business of the House besides being a key link with stakeholders and the general public through the many public participation processes.

Honourable Members, it is for this reason that the Liaison Committee has organized the Second Parliamentary Forum for Committees of the National Assembly to enable Committees to showcase their work, to foster outreach and to encourage citizen engagement in a wide range of activities of committees.

During the said forum, Chairpersons of the Committees will make presentations regarding the mandates of their respective Committees, highlighting key milestones and sharing reflections on the challenges faced during the period under review.

Honourable Members, Committees' Performance Reports for the period October 2019 – 2021 will also be launched. These reports will be drawn from the Annual Progress Reports to be shared with members of the public.

To this end, **Honourable Members,** I take this opportunity to invite all Members and to notify Committee Leaderships that due to the importance of this event in the Calendar of the National Assembly and to accord Honourable Members to participate in the activity, ALL Committee meetings and activities scheduled for Monday 15th November, 2021 are hereby suspended.

The House and Committees are accordingly guided.

I thank you!



**THE HON. MOSES CHEBOI, CBS, M.P.,
THE DEPUTY SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Thursday, November 11, 2021