



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (SECOND SESSION)
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MESSAGES

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

_____ *(No. 004 of 2023)* _____

**ON NOMINATION OF A PERSON FOR APPOINTMENT AS THE
SOLICITOR-GENERAL OF THE GOVERNMENT OF KENYA**

Honourable Members,

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 42, I wish to report to the House that I have received a Message from His Excellency the President regarding the nomination of a person for appointment as the Solicitor-General of the Government of Kenya.

2. In the Message, His Excellency the President conveys that, in exercise of powers conferred by section 9(1) of the Office of the Attorney-General Act, 2012, as read together with sections 3 and 5 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, the President has nominated **Hon. Shadrack John Mose** for appointment as the Solicitor-General, having received the report of the Public Service Commission on the recruitment of the Solicitor-General. The President now seeks the approval of the nominee by this House.

3. In accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 45, I hereby refer the Message from H.E. the President, together with the *Curriculum Vitae* and the report of the Public Service Commission, to the **Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs** for consideration.

Honourable Members,

4. Section 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2012 provides that, unless otherwise provided in law, the Committee to which such nomination is referred shall consider the matter and table a report in the House **within twenty-eight (28) days**. In this regard, the Committee is expected to immediately commence the approval process, notify the nominee and the general public of the time and place for holding the approval hearings, and thereafter, upon conclusion of the hearings, table its report **on or before Thursday, March 9, 2023**, to enable the House to consider the matter within the statutory timelines.

I thank you!


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SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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