



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

MESSAGES
MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

_____ (No. 005 of 2024) _____

ON

**NOMINATION OF PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE OFFICES
OF CABINET SECRETARIES**

Honourable Members,

1. Standing Order 42(1) relating to 'Messages from the President' provides that-
"The Speaker shall read to the House any message from the President delivered to the Speaker for communication to the House".
2. In this regard, I wish to convey to the House that this afternoon, I have received a further Message from His Excellency the President, notifying the nomination of various persons for appointment to the Offices of Cabinet Secretaries. The names are **in addition** to the ones I conveyed to the House yesterday.
3. In the Message, **Honourable Members**, His Excellency the President conveys that, in exercise of powers conferred on him by Articles 152(2) of the Constitution, as read together with sections 3 and 5 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, he nominates various persons for appointment to the aforementioned offices.
4. For clarity, Article 152(2) of the Constitution states and I quote -
"152 (2) The President shall nominate and, with the approval of the National Assembly, appoint Cabinet Secretaries."

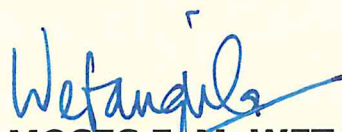
5. The names of persons submitted to this House for approval for appointment as Cabinet Secretaries are as follows—

	NOMINEE	MINISTRY/OFFICE
(1)	Hon. John Mbadi Ng'ongo, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, The National Treasury and Economic Planning
(2)	Hon. Salim Mvurya Mgala, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Investments, Trade & Industry
(3)	Ms. Rebecca Miano, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife
(4)	Hon. James Opiyo Wandayi, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Energy and Petroleum
(5)	Hon. Onesimus Kipchumba Murkomen, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Youth Affairs, Creative Economy & Sports
(6)	Hon. Hassan Ali Joho, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs
(7)	Hon. (Dr.) Alfred Nganga Mutua, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection
(8)	Hon. Wycliffe Ambetsa Oparanya, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Co-operatives and Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) Development
(9)	Hon. Justin Bedan Njoka Muturi, EGH	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Public Service & Human Capital Development

(10)	Ms. Stella Soi Lang'at	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Gender, Culture, The Arts & Heritage
------	------------------------	---

6. In view of the foregoing and pursuant to the provisions of section 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, of 2011 as read together with Standing Order 42(3), I hereby refer the Message from the President, together with the curriculum vitae of the nominees to the Committee on Appointments.
7. **Honourable Members**, section 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011 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**. It is therefore imperative that the Committee on Appointments **consolidates** the names contained in the two lists and immediately commences the process of consideration of the nominees.
8. The Committee is expected to immediately notify the nominees and the general public, commence the necessary approval hearings and table its report in the House soonest, to enable the House consider the nominees within the stipulated timelines.

I thank you!



THE RT. HON. (DR.) MOSES F. M. WETANG'ULA, EGH, MP
SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Wednesday, 24th July, 2024

