



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - THIRD SESSION (2024)

IN THE MATTER OF ARTICLES 2(5) & (6) AND 118 (1)(b) OF THE CONSTITUTION AND SECTION 8 OF
THE TREATY MAKING AND RATIFICATION ACT, 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER OF CONSIDERATION BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF: -
THE TREATY ESTABLISHING THE INTER-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITY ON DEVELOPMENT (IGAD)

INVITATION TO SUBMIT MEMORANDA

WHEREAS, Article 118(1) (b) of the Constitution requires Parliament to facilitate public participation and involvement in the legislative and other business of Parliament and its Committees;

AND WHEREAS, the **Treaty Establishing the Inter-Governmental Authority on Development (IGAD)** was tabled in the House on 4th June 2024 and committed to the **Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence, and Foreign Relations** for consideration and reporting to the House;

FURTHER, WHEREAS the purpose of the Treaty is to replace the Agreement Establishing the Inter-Governmental Authority on Development dated 21st March 1996 in order to widen and deepen cooperation to achieve sustainable development;

NOW THEREFORE, in compliance with Articles 118(1)(b) and 2(5) & (6) of the Constitution as well as Section 8 of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, 2012, the **Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations** hereby invites members of the public and stakeholders to submit memoranda on the Treaty.

The full text of the Treaty and the accompanying Memoranda to Parliament may be accessed at www.parliament.go.ke/the-national-assembly/house-business/paper-laid.

The memoranda should be addressed to the **Clerk of the National Assembly, P.O. Box 41842-00100, Nairobi**; hand-delivered to the **Office of the Clerk, Main Parliament Buildings, Nairobi**; or emailed to cna@parliament.go.ke; to be received **on or before Wednesday, 11th September 2024 at 5.00 p.m.**

S. NJOROGE, CBS
CLERK OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
Thursday 29th August 2024