

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT (FOURTH SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

SESSIONAL PAPERS/TREATIES/PROTOCOLS TRACKER 2025

The Treaties/Protocols Tracker provides an overview of the current status of all Treaties/Protocols/Sessional Papers before the National Assembly during the year—

| NO. | SUBJECT | MINISTRY OR DEPARTMENT | DATE TABLED | DEBATED AND CONCLUDED | REMARKS |
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| 1. | Sessional Paper No. 3 on the National Action Plan on Business and Human Rights | Office of Attorney General & Department of Justice | 21/09/2021 | 27/10/2022; 02/11/2022; 09/11/2022. | Adopted |
| 2. | Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2022 on the National Automotive Policy | Ministry of Trade, Investments & Industry; State Department for Industrialization | 25/05/2022 | 23/11/2022; 24/11/2022; 29/11/2022. | Adopted |
| 3. | The Amended Nairobi Convention for the Protection, Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal Environment of the Western Indian Ocean and the Protocol for the Protection of Marine and Coastal Environment of the Western Indian Ocean from Land-based Sources and Activities and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 09/11/2022 | 27/06/2023; 29/06/2023. | Adopted |
| 4. | Ratification of the Agreement Between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on Defence Co-operation and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Defence | 24/11/2022 | 11/04/2023; 12/04/2023. | Adopted |
| 5. | Sessional Paper No. 2 of 2021 on the National Agricultural Policy | Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries & Cooperatives | 08/02/2022 | 30/11/2022; 01/12/2022. | Adopted |
| 6. | The Kigali Amendments to the Montreal Protocol on Substance that Deplete the Ozone Layer and Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign Affairs | 29/11/2022 | 27/06/2023; 29/06/2023. | Adopted |
| 7. | The Accession of the Bamako Convention on the Import into Africa and the Control of the Transboundary Movement and Management of Hazardous Wastes within Africa and Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 29/11/2022 | 04/07/2023; 05/07/2023 | Adopted |

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| 8. | Ratification of African Union Treaty for the establishment of the African Medicines Agency (AMA) and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 01/12/2022 | 12/04/2023; 13/04/2023. | Adopted |
| 9. | The Defence Cooperation Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Defence | 14/02/2023 | 04/07/2023; 06/07/2023. | Adopted |
| 10. | The following three Hague Conventions on Private International Law and the accompanying memoranda on Ratification, Acceptance and Accession: (i) the Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction; (ii) the Convention on Jurisdiction, Applicable Law, the Recognition, Enforcement and Co-operation in Respect of Parental Responsibility and Measures for the Protection of Children; and (iii) the Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance. | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 14/02/2023 | 26/04/2023; 27/04/2023. | Rejected |
| 11. | Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2023 on the Kenya National Population Policy for Sustainable Development | The National Treasury | 22/02/2023 | 07/11/2023; 14/11/2023. | Adopted |
| 12. | The Minamata Convention on Mercury and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 09/03/2023 | 04/07/2023; 05/07/2023. | Adopted |
| 13. | The African Convention on Cross Border Cooperation (Niamey Convention) and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 18/04/2023 | 24/04/2024 | Adopted |
| 14. | The 1970 United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Convention on the Means of Prohibiting and Preventing the Illicit Import, Export and Transfer of Ownership of Cultural Property and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 18/04/2023 | 21/11/2023; 23/11/2023; 28/11/2023. | Adopted |
| 15. | Protocols Relating to Amendments to Article 50(a) and Article 56 of the Convention on International Civil Aviation (Chicago Convention) and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 20/04/2023 | 28/09/2023; 3/10/2023. | Adopted |
| 16. | The East African Community (EAC) Multilateral Agreement on Aircraft | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 20/04/2023 | 17/10/2023; 18/10/2023. | Adopted |

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| | Accident and Incident Investigations and the Explanatory Memorandum | | | CONCEDED | |
| 17. | Sessional Paper No. 2 of 2023 on the National Tax Policy | The National Treasury and Economic Planning | 27/04/2023 | 29/11/2023; 30/11/2023; 06/12/2023. | Adopted |
| 18. | Multilateral Convention to Implement Tax Treaty Related Measures to Prevent Base Erosion and Profit Shifting | The National Treasury | 4/05/2023 | 02/05/2024; 13/05/2024. | Adopted |
| 19. | Protocol to the Constitutive Act of the African Union Relating to the Pan-African Parliament | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 8/08/2023 | 25/09/2024; 26/09/2024; | Debate ongoing |
| 20. | Agreement on the Establishment of the International Vaccine Institute and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 23/08/2023 | 22/02/2024; 27/02/2024. | Adopted |
| 21. | Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2023 on the National Policy on Labour Migration | Ministry of Labour & Social Protection | 14/09/2023 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Labour |
| 22. | Economic Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Kenya | Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry | 6/03/2024 | 24/04/2024 | Adopted |
| 23. | Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2024 on the Power of Mercy Policy Framework | Office of the Attorney General & Department of Justice | 14/03/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs |
| 24. | Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2023 on the Kenya Policy on Public Participation | Office of the Attorney General & Department of Justice | 30/04/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs |
| 25. | Treaty Establishing the Inter-Governmental Authority on Development (IGAD) | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations |
| 26. | Agreement on the Establishment of the Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI) | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 18/06/2024 | 02/12/2024 | Adopted |
| 27. | Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies | Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry | 19/06/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water and Irrigation |
| 28. | Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2024 on the National Alternative Dispute Resolution Policy | Office of the Attorney-General & Department of Justice | 25/06/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs |

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| 29. | Sessional Paper No. 6 of 2024 on the National Aviation Policy | Ministry of Roads and Transport; State Department for Transport | 14/08/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure |
| 30. | Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2024 on the National Green Fiscal Incentives Policy Framework | Office of the Attorney-General & Department of Justice | 6/11/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Environment, Forestry and Mining |
| 31. | Agreement for the Establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation and the Explanatory Memorandum | Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs | 6/11/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning |
| 32. | Sessional Paper No. 7 of 2024 on the National Sanitation Management Policy | Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation | 13/11/2024 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water and Irrigation |
| 33. | Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2025 on the Kenya Foreign Policy | Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs | 13/02/2025 | | Referred to the Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence & Foreign Relations |