



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT (FOURTH SESSION)**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**NOTIFICATION FROM THE SPEAKER**

*[Pursuant to Standing Order 42(2)]*

\_\_\_\_\_ (No. 004 of 2025) \_\_\_\_\_

**ON**

**NOMINATION OF PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO VARIOUS  
DIPLOMATIC OFFICES**

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**WHEREAS**, the House, by a resolution passed on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2025, ordered that, upon receipt of any name of a person nominated for appointment to a State or public office from the President or any other office in the National Executive during the Short or Long Recesses of the Fourth Session, **the Speaker shall forthwith refer such Message to the relevant Committee for consideration, without having to recall the House**, and report such fact to the House on resumption;

**WHEREAS**, on Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> March 2025, being a period during the short recess, I received a Message from His Excellency the President, seeking parliamentary approval of nominees for appointment to various Diplomatic Offices;

**FURTHER WHEREAS**, in the Message, His Excellency the President conveyed that, in exercise of powers conferred by the provisions of Article 132(2)(e) of the Constitution, he nominated the following **four (4)** persons for appointment as **Ambassador, Permanent Representative, and Consuls-General** —

#### **A. AMBASSADOR**

<b>NO.</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>STATION</b>
1.	Eng. Peter Kiplagat Tum, CBS	Kinshasa, Democratic Republic of Congo

#### **B. PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE**

<b>NO.</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>STATION</b>
1.	Ms. Susan Nakhumicha Wafula, EGH	Permanent Mission of Kenya to the United Nations Habitat, Nairobi

#### **C. CONSULS-GENERAL**

<b>NO.</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>STATION</b>
1.	Mr. James Buyekane Muhati, CBS	Guangzhou, People's Republic of China
2.	Mr. Abdi Dubat Fidhow, CBS	Arusha, United Republic of Tanzania

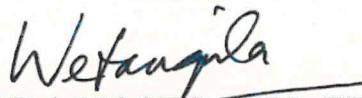
**NOTING THAT**, section 3 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap. 7F provides that an appointment under the Constitution or any other law for which the approval of Parliament is required **shall not be made unless the appointment is approved or deemed to have been approved by Parliament;**

**FURTHER NOTING THAT**, section 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act (Cap. 7F) provides that, unless otherwise provided in law, the Committee to which nominations are referred shall consider the matter and table a report in the House for debate and decision **within twenty-eight (28) days;**

**NOW THEREFORE**, in accordance with the provisions of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap. 7F and in furtherance of the resolution passed by the House on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2025 on consideration of business received during the recess period, it is **NOTIFIED** to all Members of the National Assembly and the general public as follows—

- (1) **THAT**, the Message from His Excellency the President, together with the Certificate of Presidential nominations, *curriculum vitae* and other testimonials of the nominees now stand referred to the **Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations** to undertake the necessary approval hearings;
- (2) **THAT**, the Committee is expected to immediately commence the approval process and, thereafter, table its report on or before **Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2025**, to enable the House to consider the nominees within the statutory timelines; and
- (3) **THAT**, the Clerk is hereby required to transmit this Notification to all Members of the National Assembly, and facilitate the Committee to undertake the necessary approval hearings on the nominees referred to it for consideration.

**I thank you.**



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

Thursday, 27<sup>th</sup> March 2025

