REPUBLIC OF KENYA



ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY - (FOURTH SESSION)

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR REGARDING THE SIXTH LEADERSHIP RETREAT OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Honourable Members,

I wish to notify you that the National Assembly has planned a two-day Retreat for the Leadership of the House under the theme of *"Lessons Learnt and consolidating the Gains."* The Retreat will be held from **18th to 21st February**, **2016** at the Serena Beach Hotel in Mombasa.

The Retreat is held with a view to availing an opportunity for the Majority and Minority Party office holders, Members of the House Business Committee, Committee Chairpersons and Parliamentary Service Commissioners to review progress made in fulfilling our Constitutional mandate. The highlight of the Retreat will be discussions with the Chairperson of the Independent Electoral & Boundaries Commission (IEBC), the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury, and the offices of the Registrar of Political Parties and Political Parties Dispute Tribunal on the preparations for the next Parliament. This will include consideration of the administrative, legal, and budgetary requirements which ought to be facilitated by Parliament to ensure free and fair elections in 2017. The Secretary to the Parliament of South Africa has also been invited. Thereafter, the resolutions of the retreat will presented to the House next week.

I thank you.

THE HON. JUSTIN B. N. MUTURI, EGH, MP <u>SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY</u> <u>February 17, 2016</u>