



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

**TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – (FIFTH SESSION)
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR

_____ (No. 029 of 2021) _____

GUIDANCE ON BIOMETRIC CHAMBER ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION

Honourable Members,

Further to the guidance I issued yesterday, I wish to notify the House that beginning next week, which is **Tuesday, 29th June 2021**, registration for Chamber attendance will be done solely through **biometric registration** devices located in the Chamber.

Subsequently, all forms of manual registrations that have so far been undertaken through the Office of the Serjeant-at-Arms, shall stand suspended at the rise of the House this evening.

Honourable Members, in view of the expected use of the biometric registration system, the Office of the Serjeant-at-Arms is hereby directed to ensure the availability of sufficient sanitization equipment adjacent to the biometric registration devices. Further, to avoid congestion at the entrance to the Chamber, during the short recess, the Clerk of the National Assembly will be expected to make necessary arrangements to ensure that sufficient biometric registration devices are installed at appropriate locations on both sides of the Chamber.

I hasten to add that the elderly Members, those with disability and Members with medical conditions who may require exemption from this requirement will be considered on case by case basis.

The House is accordingly guided.

I Thank You, Honourable Members.

**THE HON. JUSTIN B.N. MUTURI, EGH, MP
SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

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