



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT - (FIFTH SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MESSAGES

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

_____ (No. 05 of 2021) _____

**ON NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF MEMBER
OF THE INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES
COMMISSION (IEBC)**

Honourable Members,

Pursuant to Standing Order 42(1), I wish to report to the House that I have received a Message from His Excellency the President conveying his nomination of persons for appointment to the position of Member of the Independent and Boundaries Commission (IEBC).

His Excellency the President, having received the Report of the Selection Panel for the Appointment of Commissioners of the IEBC and in accordance with the procedure set out in Section 7A of the Independent and Electoral Boundaries Commission Act, 2011 (Act No. 9 of 2011) as read together with the First Schedule to the Act and Sections 3 and 5 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act (Act No. 33 of 2011), is now seeking the approval of the National Assembly on the appointment of the following nominees—

- 1. Ms. Juliana Whonge Cherera**
- 2. Mr. Francis Mathenge Wanderi**
- 3. Ms. Irene Cherop Masit**
- 4. Mr. Justus Abonyo Nyang'aya**

Honourable Members, Standing Order 45 (1) requires that, upon receipt of notice of nomination for appointment of a person to such office, the nomination shall stand committed to the relevant Departmental Committee of the House for consideration. Further, section 8(1) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act (Act No. 33 of 2011), requires the National Assembly to consider the nominations within **Twenty Eight (28) days**.

In this regard, **Honourable Members**, pursuant to the provisions of the said law and paragraph (3) of Standing Order 42 relating to *Messages from the President*, I hereby refer the Message, together with the Curriculum Vitae of the four nominees to the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs for the Committee to undertake the necessary approval hearings.

The Committee should expeditiously notify the nominees and the general public of the time and place for holding the approval hearings, and upon conclusion of the hearings, table its Report in the House in good time to enable the House to consider the matter within the stipulated timelines preferably before the long recess which in accordance with the calendar of the National Assembly is scheduled for **20th August, 2021**.

I thank you!


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

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 2021