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# CONTINUOUS EXCLUSION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (PWDS) IN MIGORI COUNTY BUDGET

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TO: THE CLERK SENATE

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Dear Sir,

## RE: CONTINUOUS EXCLUSION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (PWDS) IN MIGORI COUNTY BUDGET

We the undersigned, concerned citizens of Kenya, residents of Migori County and especially persons with various types of disabilities AWARE

THAT Article 54(1) (b) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides for rights of persons with disabilities (PWDs).

**THAT** persons with disabilities are entitled to reasonable access to educational institutions and facilities for persons with disabilities that are integrated into the society to the extent compatible with the interest of the person.

**THAT Article 10(2) (b)** of the **Constitution of Kenya 2010** recognizes human dignity, equity, social justice, inclusivity, equality, human rights, non-discrimination and protection of the marginalized in Public Service and Governance.

WHEREAS, Article 56 provides that the state SHALL put in place measures to ensure affirmative action programmes designed to ensure minority and marginalized groups participate and are represented in governance and other spheres of life and Article 185 vests legislative authority and oversight functions of the County to the County Assembly.

Ms. Kavata. Kindly facilitate the Petition

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**THAT** the County Government of Migori in its County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP) 2018-22 outlined to develop socio-economic programmes geared towards promotion of gender and disability programmes in its county development agenda.

**THAT** budget approved since the Financial Year 2013/2014 to date has not provided for specific budget lines to demonstrate substantial efforts by the County Government in implementing disability mainstreaming programmes. This exclusion has exposed the persons with disabilities (PWDs) to low levels of living standard and serious negative economic impact by the County Government of Migori.

**THAT** among strategies identified to facilitate achievement of this socioeconomic pillar were developing gender mainstreaming programmes, improve access to social protection funds for the vulnerable groups, establish and increase access to women and persons with disabilities (PWDs) funds.

**THAT** efforts to have this matter addressed with the relevant National and County Governments' agencies have not produced any positive result despite our continuous follow-ups.

**THAT** the matter in this petition is not pending before any Court of Law or other constitutional or legal body.

#### **NOW THEREFORE**, we **PRAY** that the Senate:

- 1. Investigate the issues raised in the petition and provide appropriate measure to resolve the matter.
- 2. Recommends the creation and inclusion of social protection programmes for persons with disabilities (PWDs) in the County.
- 3. Make any other recommendation that it deems fit in the circumstance of this matter.

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