



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
TWELFTH PARLIAMENT - (SIXTH SESSION)
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

_____ (No. 003 of 2022) _____

**ON NOMINATION OF PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT AS
AMBASSADORS, HIGH COMMISSIONERS AND PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVES**

Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 42(2), I wish to report to the House that, on **Wednesday, 4th May, 2022**, I received a Message from His Excellency the President conveying his nomination **of twenty-two (22) persons for appointment as Ambassadors, High Commissioners and Permanent Representatives.**

Honourable Members, the Message conveyed in part that, having exercised his powers under the provisions of Article 132(2)(e) of the Constitution is seeking the National Assembly's approval of the following persons for appointment to the offices of Ambassadors, High Commissioners and Permanent Representatives to the stations specified hereunder-

Ambassadors		
S/No	Name	Station
1.	Mr. Clement Nzomo Kiteme	Angola
2.	Ms. Mary Mugwanja	Austria
3.	Prof. Bitange Ndemo	Belgium

Ambassadors		
S/No	Name	Station
4.	Ms. Muthoni Gichohi	China
5.	Amb. Gathoga Chege	Cuba
6.	Dr. Caroline Wanjiru Karugu	Denmark
7.	Amb. Salim Salim	Djibouti
8.	Maj. Gen. A. G. Matiri	Egypt
9.	Amb. Galma Boru	Indonesia
10.	Mr. Paul Ndung'u	Mozambique
High Commissioners		
11.	Mr. Michael Sialai	Namibia
12.	Maj. Gen. Andrew Ikenye	Nigeria
13.	Ms. Margaret Shava	Netherlands
14.	Ms. Amina Abdalla	Sultanate of Oman
15.	Amb. Nyambura Kamau	Pakistan
16.	Mr. Boniface N. Mwilu	Qatar
17.	Amb. Michael Oyugi	Spain
18.	Maj. Gen. (Rtd) Thomas Chepkuto	Somalia
19.	Mr. Leonard Boiyo	Turkey
20.	Maj. Gen. (Rtd) George Owinow	Uganda
Permanent Representatives		
21.	Prof. Richard Bosire	Ambassador/Permanent Representative to the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO).
22.	Maj. Gen. (Rtd) Charles Gituai	Ambassador/Permanent Representative to the Inter-Government Authority for Development (IGAD).

Honourable Members, you will also recall that, on 2nd February, 2022 the House resolved 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, the Speaker shall forthwith refer such Message to the relevant Committee for consideration, without having to recall the House.*

In this regard, **Honourable Members,** during the recess period, I did notify all Members of receipt of the names and refer the same to the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations in accordance with the provision of Standing Order No.45(1) ***(Committal of Messages to Committees).***

The Committee is required to commence necessary vetting processes as contemplated under the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act and Standing Order 45 (*Committal of public appointments to Committees*) and thereafter table its report for consideration by the House within the statutory timelines.

I thank you.



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

Tuesday, 10th May, 2022