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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (SECOND SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  
COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

\_\_\_\_\_ (No. 074 of 2023) \_\_\_\_\_

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**ON APPOINTMENT OF SENATORS TO THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE  
ON THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL  
(NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 16 OF 2023)**

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**Honourable Members,**

1. You may recall that during the Morning Sitting of Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> September 2023, the House **rejected** Senate Amendments to the **Public Finance Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 16 of 2023)**. This decision essentially remitted the Bill to a Mediation Committee in accordance with Article 112 of the Constitution and Standing Order 149.
2. **Honourable Members,** you may further recall that, during the afternoon sitting on the same day, I notified the House that I had nominated seven Members of this House to represent the National Assembly in the Mediation Committee on the Bill. I also designated the Deputy Leader of the Majority Party, Hon. Owen Baya, CBS, MP, to Co-Chair the Committee.
3. **Honourable Members,** having conveyed the decision to the Senate, I wish to inform the House that the Senate has now nominated the following Senators to the Mediation Committee –
  - (i) Sen. (Dr.) Steve Ltumbesi Lelegwe, MP;

- (ii) Sen. Johnes Mwashesheshe Mwaruma, MP;
- (iii) Sen. (Dr.) Oburu Oginga, MP;
- (iv) Sen. Peris Pesi Tobiko, MP;
- (v) Sen. Beth Kalunda Syengo, MP; and
- (vi) Sen. Wahome Wamatangi, MP.

**4. Honourable Members,** now that the Mediation Committee is fully constituted, I urge the Hon. Owen Baya, CBS, MP, who is the Co-Chairperson of the Mediation Committee, to reach out to the Senate counterparts with a view to commencing the mediation process in accordance with Article 113 of the Constitution. The Clerk is hereby directed to facilitate the Committee.

**5.** The House is accordingly guided.

**I thank you!**



**THE HON. GLADYS BOSS, MGH, MP**  
**DEPUTY SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

*Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2023*