



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (THIRD SESSION)
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
MESSAGES

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

_____ *(No. 026 of 2024)* _____

**APPROVAL OF THE MEDIATED VERSIONS OF THE NATIONAL
RATING BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 55 OF 2022) AND
THE WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.
33 OF 2023)**

Honourable Members,

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(4), I wish to report to the House that I have received two (2) Messages from the Senate, regarding the approval of the Mediated Versions of two (2) National Assembly Bills by the Senate.
2. **Honourable Members,** the two (2) Messages convey that on 19th November 2024, the Senate considered and approved the mediated versions of **the National Rating Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2022)** and **the Water (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 33 of 2023)**.
3. **Honourable Members,** you will recall that the two (2) Bills were committed to respective mediation committees pursuant to Article 112(2)(b) of the Constitution, following the National Assembly's rejection of Senate amendments to the Bills.

4. You will further recall that the House considered and approved the mediated versions of the Water (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 33 of 2023) and the National Rating Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2022) on 16th October 2024 and 13th November 2024, respectively.
5. In this regard, **Honourable Members**, the approval of the mediated versions of the two (2) Bills by both Houses of Parliament now concludes their bicameral consideration in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(5) of the Constitution.
6. I will now proceed to present the two (2) Bills to His Excellency the President for Assent in accordance with the provisions of Article 113(3) of the Constitution.

I thank you!


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