

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT

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SESSIONAL PAPERS/TREATIES/PROTOCOLS TRACKER 2025

The Treaties/Protocols Tracker provides an overview of the current status of all Treaties/Protocols/Sessional Papers before the National Assembly during the year—

S/No.	SUBJECT	MINISTRY OR DEPARTMENT	DATE TABLED	DEBATED AND CONCLUDED	REMARKS
1.	Sessional Paper No. 3 on the National Action Plan on	Office of Attorney	21/09/2021	27/10/2022;	Adopted
	Business and Human Rights	General & Department		02/11/2022;	
		of Justice		09/11/2022.	
2.	Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2022 on the National Automotive	Ministry of Trade,	25/05/2022	23/11/2022;	Adopted
	Policy	Investments &		24/11/2022;	
		Industry;		29/11/2022.	
		State Department for			
		Industrialization			
3.	The Amended Nairobi Convention for the Protection,	Ministry of Foreign &	09/11/2022	27/06/2023;	Adopted
	Management and Development of the Marine and Coastal	Diaspora Affairs		29/06/2023.	
	Environment of the Western Indian Ocean and the				
	Protocol for the Protection of Marine and Coastal				
	Environment of the Western Indian Ocean from Land-				
	based Sources and Activities and the Explanatory				
	Memorandum				
4.	Ratification of the Agreement between the Government of	Ministry of Defence	24/11/2022	11/04/2023;	Adopted
	the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic			12/04/2023.	
	of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern				

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	Ireland on Defence Co-operation and the Explanatory Memorandum				
5.	Sessional Paper No. 2 of 2021 on the National Agricultural Policy	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries & Cooperatives	08/02/2022	30/11/2022; 01/12/2022.	Adopted
6.	The Kigali Amendments to the Montreal Protocol on Substance that Deplete the Ozone Layer and Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign Affairs	29/11/2022	27/06/2023; 29/06/2023.	Adopted
7.	The Accession of the Bamako Convention on the Import into Africa and the Control of the Transboundary Movement and Management of Hazardous Wastes within Africa and Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	29/11/2022	04/07/2023; 05/07/2023	Adopted
8.	Ratification of African Union Treaty for the establishment of the African Medicines Agency (AMA) and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	01/12/2022	12/04/2023; 13/04/2023.	Adopted
9.	The Defence Cooperation Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Defence	14/02/2023	04/07/2023; 06/07/2023.	Adopted
10.	 The following three Hague Conventions on Private International Law and the accompanying memoranda on Ratification, Acceptance and Accession: the Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction; the Convention on Jurisdiction, Applicable Law, the Recognition, Enforcement and Co-operation in Respect of Parental Responsibility and Measures for the Protection of Children; and the Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance. 	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	14/02/2023	26/04/2023; 27/04/2023.	Rejected
11.	Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2023 on the Kenya National Population Policy for Sustainable Development	The National Treasury	22/02/2023	07/11/2023; 14/11/2023	Adopted

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12.	The Minamata Convention on Mercury and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	09/03/2023	04/07/2023; 05/07/2023	Adopted
13.	The African Convention on Cross Border Cooperation (Niamey Convention) and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	18/04/2023	24/04/2024	Adopted
14.	The 1970 United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) Convention on the Means of Prohibiting and Preventing the Illicit Import, Export and Transfer of Ownership of Cultural Property and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	18/04/2023	21/11/2023; 23/11/2023; 28/11/2023	Adopted
15.	Protocols Relating to Amendments to Article 50(a) and Article 56 of the Convention on International Civil Aviation (Chicago Convention) and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	20/04/2023	28/09/2023; 3/10/2023.	Adopted
16.	The East African Community (EAC) Multilateral Agreement on Aircraft Accident and Incident Investigations and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	20/04/2023	17/10/2023; 18/10/2023	Adopted
17.	Sessional Paper No. 2 of 2023 on the National Tax Policy	The National Treasury and Economic Planning	27/04/2023	29/11/2023; 30/11/2023; 06/12/2023	Adopted
18.	Multilateral Convention to Implement Tax Treaty Related Measures to Prevent Base Erosion and Profit Shifting	The National Treasury	4/05/2023	02/05/2024; 13/05/2024	Adopted
19.	Protocol to the Constitutive Act of the African Union Relating to the Pan-African Parliament	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	8/08/2023	25/09/2024; 26/09/2024;	Debate ongoing
20.	Agreement on the Establishment of the International Vaccine Institute and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	23/08/2023	22/02/2024; 27/02/2024	Adopted
21.	Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2023 on the National Policy on Labour Migration	Ministry of Labour & Social Protection	14/09/2023		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Labour

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22.	Economic Partnership Agreement between the European Union and the Republic of Kenya	Ministry of Investments, Trade & Industry	6/03/2024	24/04/2024	Adopted
23.	Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2024 on the Power of Mercy Policy Framework	Office of the Attorney General & Department of Justice	14/03/2024		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs
24.	Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2023 on the Kenya Policy on Public Participation	Office of the Attorney General & Department of Justice	30/04/2024		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs
25.	Treaty Establishing the Inter-Governmental Authority on Development (IGAD)	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	04/06/2024	30/04/2025 27/05/2025	Adopted
26.	Agreement on the Establishment of the Global Green Growth Institute (GGGI)	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	18/06/2024	02/12/2024	Adopted
27.	Agreement on Fisheries Subsidies	Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry & Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs	19/06/2024	03/06/2025 04/06/2025	Adopted
28.	Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2024 on the National Alternative Dispute Resolution Policy	Office of the Attorney- General & Department of Justice	25/06/2024		Referred to the Departmental Committee on

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					Justice & Legal Affairs
29.	Sessional Paper No. 6 of 2024 on the National Aviation Policy	Ministry of Roads and Transport; State Department for Transport	14/08/2024		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure
30.	Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2024 on the National Green Fiscal Incentives Policy Framework	Office of the Attorney- General & Department of Justice	6/11/2024		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Environment, Forestry and Mining
31.	Agreement for the Establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign & Diaspora Affairs	6/11/2024	03/04/2025; 08/04/2025	Adopted
32.	Sessional Paper No. 7 of 2024 on the National Sanitation Management Policy	Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	13/11/2024	29/05/2025 03/06/2025	Adopted
33.	Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2025 on the Kenya Foreign Policy	Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs	13/02/2025	23/04/2025; 24/04/2025	Adopted
34.	Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany on a Comprehensive Migration and Mobility Partnership	Ministry of Labour & Social Protection	4/03/2025		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Labour
35.	Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement between the Republic of Kenya and the United Arab Emirates and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry	11/03/2025		Referred to the Departmental Committee on

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				CONCLUDED	Trade Industry & Cooperatives
36.	Agreement establishing the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs	29/04/2025	01/07/2025	Adopted
37.	Agreement under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the Conservation and Sustainable Use of Marine Biological Diversity of Areas beyond National Jurisdiction and the Explanatory Memorandum	1	29/04/2025	04/06/2025 05/06/2025	Adopted
38.	Agreement establishing the Shelter Afrique Development Bank and the Explanatory Memorandum	Ministry of Foreign and Diaspora Affairs	29/04/2025		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Finance & National Planning
39.	Agreement between the Governments of the Republic of Kenya and the Republic of Singapore for the Elimination of Double Taxation with respect to Taxes on Income and on the Prevention of Tax Evasion and Avoidance	1	27/05/2025		Referred to the Departmental Committee on Finance & National Planning