

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - FOURTH SESSION THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MESSAGES

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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NOMINATION OF PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT AS CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE COMMISSION

Honourable Members,

- **1.** Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 42(1), I wish to report to the House that I have received a Message from His Excellency the President regarding the nomination of persons for appointment as Chairperson and a Member of the National Police Service Commission.
- 2. In the Message, Honourable Members, His Excellency the President conveys that, in exercise of the powers conferred by the provisions of section 6(5) of the National Police Service Commission Act, Cap. 85, he has nominated Dr. Amani Yuda Komora for appointment as the Chairperson and Ms. Angeline Yaimiton Siparo as a Member of the National Police Service Commission. The President now seeks the approval of the nominees by this House.
- 3. Honourable Members, Standing Order 45 provides that, upon receipt of a notification of nomination for appointment, such nomination shall stand committed to the relevant Departmental Committee for consideration. In this regard, I hereby refer the Message from H.E. the President, together with the Curriculum Vitae, the Report of the Selection Panel and other testimonials of the nominees to the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security for consideration.

- 4. Honourable Members, it is important to note that, whereas section 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap. 7F requires the Committee to which such nomination is referred to consider the matter and table a report in the House within twenty-eight (28) days, section 6(6) of the National Police Service Commission Act, Cap. 85 provides for a lesser period, being <u>twenty-one (21) days</u>.
- **5. Honourable Members,** in this regard, the Committee is expected to undertake the approval hearings and submit its report within the timelines provided for in the National Police Service Commission Act, Cap. 85.
- 6. However, **Honourable Members**, conscious of the fact that the House will be proceeding on a long recess on 15th August 2025, I urge the Committee to immediately commence the approval process. The Committee should notify the nominees and the general public of the time and place for holding the approval hearings and thereafter, table its report soonest to enable the House to consider the matter within the stated statutory timelines.

I thank you!

THE RT. HON. (DR.) MOSES F.M. WETANG'ULA, EGH, MP SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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