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MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

APPOINTMENT OF THE LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE FOR THE 2010 INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ATHLETICS FEDERATIONS (IAAF) SENIOR AFRICAN ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. It is notified for general information that following the successful bid by Kenya to host the 2010 Confederation of African Athletics (CAA) Senior Athletics Championships ("the Championships") in Nairobi, the Minister for Youth Affairs and Sports has appointed Committees to be known as the Steering Committee and Local Organizing Committee for the Championships consisting of:-

(a) Steering Committee—

Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports,
Chairman, Athletics Kenya,
Chairman, National Olympic Committee of Kenya,
Chairman, Kenya National Sports Council,
Secretary for Sports,
Commissioner for Sports,
Chief Executive Officer, Sports Stadia Management Board,
The Chief Executive Officer of the Local Organizing Committee

(b) Local Organizing Committee—

Isaiah Kiplagat	— Chairman
Wilson Lang'at (Prof.)	— Vice-Chairman
David S. Okeyo	— C.E.O.
John Velzian	— Director, Technical
Representative (MOYAS)	— Director, Procurement
Dr. Alef K. Wanjama	— Director, Medical
Joseph I. Kinyua	— Director, Finance
Peter M. Angwenyi	— Director, Media (Spokesperson)
Mwanulu Issa	— Director, Communications
Col. Michael Ranginya	— Director, Protocol
Police Headquarters Representative	— Director, Security
Patrick Kiage	— Director, Legal
Benjamin K. Sogomo	— Director, Commerce
Fatma Awale	— Director, Volunteers
Sue Omanga	— Director, Marketing
Gordon Oluoch	— Commissioner for Sports
Brig. (Rtd.) Chris Kutto	— Director, Operations/Logistics
Agnes O. Nyakiba	— Director, Human Resource

2. The Chairman of each Committee shall chair the meetings of the committee and in their absence, the Vice-Chairman shall chair and in the absence of both, the members present shall elect a member of the Committee to chair the meeting.

3. The functions of the Steering Committee shall be to offer the best possible organizational framework, meeting international standards for hosting the Championships in Nairobi.

4. The term of Office for the Committees and Secretariat:

The Committees and the Secretariat shall be in office with effect from 1st July, 2009 until ninety (90) days from the end of the championships.

5. Winding up of the event:

Upon the completion of its work in accordance with the governing regulations, the Committees shall organize an event to express appreciation to the Government and supporters, and well-wishers and show appreciation to local participants.

6. The Secretariat:

- (a) The Secretariat of the Committee shall be based at Nyayo National Stadium, Nairobi, Swimming Complex 115, P.O. Box 3405-00506, Nyayo Stadium, Nairobi, Kenya and shall consist of:

- A Chief Executive Officer appointed by the Minister responsible for Sports, who shall be responsible for carrying out the functions set out in paragraph (3), and
- Such number of staff as shall be deemed appropriate by the Committee, who shall be provided by the Ministry.

- (b) The Secretariat of the Committee under the general direction of the Chief Executive Officer shall be responsible for—

- (i) Providing appropriate background briefing to the committee and the Sub-committees;
- (ii) Supervising and controlling the day to day operation of the committee and sub-committees;
- (iii) Preparing the Committee's report and disseminating information deemed relevant by the Committee.
- (iv) Recommending the hiring of technical staff or any other such staff which may be deemed appropriate for the purpose of the Committee;

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">(v) Preparing the budgets and accounts of the Committee and the Sub-committees;(vi) Ensuring, in consultation with the Chairman of the Committee and the Chairman of the Finance and Fundraising Sub-committees prudent management of all funds of the Committee;(vii) Overall co-ordination of all activities of the Sub-committees;(viii) Co-ordinating the activities of the Committees and in particular ensuring liaison with the Chairman of the Committee and Directors of the various Sub Committees;(ix) Matters relating to protocol, public relations and procuring consultancy services for the Committee and the Sub-committees; | <ul style="list-style-type: none">(x) Organizing and co-ordinating travel and accommodation for members of the Committee and Sub-committees;(xi) Setting up the games administration centre;(xii) Communicating with CAA and other partners in consultation with the Chairman and Athletics Kenya,(xiii) Performing such other assignments as may be assigned from time to time by the Committee in the exercise of its mandate. <p>7. Gazette Notice No. 9612 of 2009 is revoked.</p> <p>Dated the 28th September, 2009.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">HELLEN J. SAMBILI,
<i>Minister for Youth Affairs and Sports.</i></p> |
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