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GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3235

THE TAX APPEALS TRIBUNAL ACT

(No. 40 of 2013)

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 4(1) of the Tax Appeals Tribunal Act, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury appoints—

ERASTUS MWANIKI GITHINJI

to be the Chairperson of the Tax Appeals Tribunal, for a period of five (5) years, with effect from the 15th April, 2020.

Dated the 15th April 2020.

UKUR YATANI

Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 3236

COVID-19 ICT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

APPOINTMENT

IT IS notified for the information of the general public that the Cabinet Secretary for ICT, Innovation and Youth Affairs has for purposes of co-ordinating ICT specific responses to the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond, appoints the COVID-19 ICT Advisory Committee.

1. The Advisory Committee shall comprise—

Mercy Wanjau — Chairperson

Peter Njonjo - Vice-Chairperson

Members

Joseph Sitienei (Dr.) Ory Okolloh Shikoh Gitau (Dr.) Hilda Moraa Fernando Wangila (Dr.) Mahmoud Noor Kevin Atibu

Secretariat

James Njeru (Dr.) Mercy Tepla Alvin Amuyunzu Rahab Juma Augustus Munywoki John Kiria

- 2. The Terms of Reference of the Advisory Committee are to-
- (a) develop and implement a framework for identifying, supporting and scaling local ICT solutions that can support the country in its efforts to combat the Covid-19 pandemic effects;
- (b) establish an enabling environment that will stimulate economic development through ICTs and increase digital employment by supporting enterprises, workers, investments and skills development;
- support the National and County Emergency Response Committees on Covid-19 on any matters that may require intervention by ICTs;
- (d) co-ordinate innovators, academia, the private sector and wellwishers on utilization of solutions that address the effects of the pandemic and beyond;
- (e) examine the effects and impact of Covid-19 on the lives and socio-economic activities of Kenyans and advice on key ICT initiatives to respond to the pandemic, in order to mitigate the effects of pandemics on individual livelihoods, communities and the economy, with particular regard to —
 - (i) scaling of local innovations and products;
 - job creation and sustainability of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises;
 - (iii) realization of the digital economy as envisioned in the blueprint and Vision 2030;
 - (iv) consumer protection;
 - (v) quality of life and resilience of all Kenyans;
 - (vi) ubiquitous digital learning;
 - (vii) universal access to communications services; and
 - (viii) universally affordable connectivity.

- (f) propose appropriate policy and regulatory interventions that include intellectual property rights and the implementation of sandboxing to fast-track the adoption of innovations;
- (g) advice on the role of technology in delivery of value to humanity including the role of ICTs in exporting labour and innovations, stimulating and growing all sectors of the economy post Covid-19.
- 3. In the performance of its functions, the Advisory Committee –
- (a) shall hold such number of meetings in such places and at such times as the Advisory Committee shall, in consultation with the Cabinet Secretary, consider necessary for the proper discharge of its functions;
- (b) shall review official reports, policy, legislation or any document related to the Terms of Reference;
- (c) shall hold consultative meetings with sector stakeholders and members of public;
- (d) may carry out or cause to be carried out such studies or research as may inform the Advisory Committee on its mandate; and
- (e) may co-opt such other persons, who possess the appropriate competencies as are necessary for the performance of the Terms of Reference.
- 4. The Advisory Committee shall regulate its own procedure.
- 5. The term of office of the Advisory Committee shall be for a duration of six months, and the Cabinet Secretary may, where necessary, extend the said term for such period as he may deemed necessary.
- 6. The Advisory Committee shall prepare and submit to the Cabinet Secretary, its work plan and progress report between the first and fourth week of its appointment respectively, and its final report within six months from the date of its appointment.
- 7. The Secretariat of the Advisory Committee shall be based at Communications Authority of Kenya, CA Centre, Waiyaki Way, Nairobi.

JOE MUCHERU,

Cabinet Secretary for ICT, Innovations and Youth Affairs.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 3237

THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ACT

(No. 17 of 2012)

THE ELEGEYO/MARAKWET COUNTY ASSEMBLY STANDING ORDERS

SPECIAL SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

PURSUANT to Standing Order No. 30 of the Elgeyo/Marakwet County Assembly Standing Orders, it is notified for the information of Members of County Assembly of Elgeyo/Marakwet and the general public that the County Assembly shall have a special sitting on Wednesday, 22nd April, 2020 at 10.00 a.m. and 23rd April, 2020 at 10.00 a.m. and Wednesday, 29th April, 2020 at 10.00 a.m. at the County Assembly Chambers in Iten for purposes of laying the Elgeyo/Marakwet County Supplementary Budget, 2020 Estimates.

Dated the 17th April, 2020.

SABULEI PHILEMON,

Speaker, County Assembly of Elgeyo/Marakwet.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3238

THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ACT

(No. 17 of 2012)

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF LAMU STANDING ORDERS

SPECIAL SITTING OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

PURSUANT to Standing Order No. 26 (1) of the Lamu County Assembly Standing Orders, on the request of the Leader of Majority with support of the requisite number of members of County Assembly, I have convened a special sitting of the County Assembly of Lamu on Thursday, 23rd April, 2020 at the County Assembly chambers in Lamu at 10.30 a.m.

The business to be transacted at the sitting shall be:

- (a) Consideration of the Approval of the Supplementary Budget of 15th April, 2020.
- (b) Consideration of the fiscal strategy paper.

In accordance with Standing Order No. 26 (4) of the County Assembly of Lamu Standing Orders, the business specified above shall be the only matters to be transacted before the County Assembly during the special sitting, where upon the County Assembly shall stand adjourned thereafter.

Dated the 16th April, 2020.

ABDU KASSIM AHMED, Speaker, County Assembly of Lamu.