

## REPUBLIC OF KENYA



**Resolutions of the Nakuru Peace Agreement between the Luo and Nandi Communities of Kisumu and Nandi Counties attended by National and County Government Officials held at Water Buck Hotel, Nakuru.**

**Tuesday 19th June, 2018**

### **PREAMBLE:**

We the representatives of Kisumu County and Nandi County including the Governors, Members of Parliament, Elders, government officials and other representatives held deliberations at the Water Buck Hotel, NAKURU on 19th June, 2018 with facilitation from the Ministry of Interior and Coordination of National Government jointly with the Peacebuilding and Conflict Management Directorate/National Steering Committee on Peacebuilding and Conflict Management to address the Kisumu-Nandi Border Conflict.

We reaffirm our commitment to peaceful co-existence between our communities.

**We do hereby RESOLVE THAT:**

**This Community Peace Agreement shall apply to context-specific agreements and declarations and shall apply in unique circumstances as entered into by the communities in the stated locality.** The two communities will also use existing alternative dispute resolution mechanisms to resolve arising conflict issues.

**1.1 On Political Incitements:**

- a) Politicians and leaders to desist from inciting their respective communities and issuing threats whenever they feel aggrieved.
- b) The National Government will take appropriate legal action against inciters.

**1.2 On Boundary Disputes and Insecurity:**

- a) The institutions mandated by law and in accordance with the Constitution must be left to handle boundary issues.
- b) The Government intends to provide peace and security to Kenyans, it does not matter which part of the country one resides in.

**1.3 On Stock Theft:**

- a) Security agencies to follow-up on animal recovery, ensure return of stolen livestock to their owners and arrest of criminals involved.
- b) Peace committee members and communities are encouraged to share information with their respective security and national government administrative officers.

**1.4 On Anticipated Attacks and Retaliatory Attacks:**

- a) The National Government shall take stern action against culprits involved.
- b) Leaders from both communities are encouraged to engage in inter-communal dialogues to reduce existing tensions and avert further attacks and counter-attacks.

**1.5 On Cross-Border Exchange Programs:**

- a) The National Government and County Government will initiate and facilitate cultural and economic programs along the common borders of Kisumu/Nandi counties.

Finally, all present at this forum commit ourselves to reach out to all actors in the implementation of this Nakuru Peace Agreement as contained herein in the presence of H. E. Hon. Prof. Anyang' Nyong'o Governor Kisumu County and H. E. Hon. Stephen Sang Governor Nandi County.

Witnessed by:

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GOVERNOR KISUMU COUNTY

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*Dated this 19th day of June, 2018 at Water Buck Hotel, NAKURU*

