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THE NAIROBI ICPD 25 SUMMIT

Hon. Members, I wish to make a communication regarding the ICPD 25 Summit in Nairobi City County.

Hon. Members, as you may be aware, from 12th to 14th November 2019, the Governments of Kenya and Denmark and UNFPA are co-convening the Nairobi Summit on ICPD25, a high-level conference to mobilize the political will and financial commitments centered around achieving the need for family planning information, zero preventable maternal deaths, zero sexual & gender-based violence and harmful practices against women and girls. The summit will be taking place in at the Kenyatta International Conference Centre with accreditation of the same at the Chatter Hall.

Hon. Members, the Summit aims to bring everyone together: heads of state, ministers, parliamentarians, thought-leaders, technical experts, civil society organizations, grassroots organizations, young people, business and community leaders, faith-based organizations, indigenous peoples, international financial institutions, people with disabilities, academics and many others interested in the pursuit of sexual and reproductive health and rights.

Accordingly Hon. Member, you have all been invited to attend the summit for the interest of your electorates. You are requested to visit the Public Relations Departments for your accreditation.

Lastly Hon. Members, following the directions I gave earlier, on the appointment of the new Assembly Leadership from the Majority side and in particular, by the Jubilee Coalition, allow me to make reference and citation to the earlier mentioned Communication by the Senate Speaker on 20th March 2018 on replacement of the then Senate Minority Leader, Sen. Moses Wetangula with Sen. James Orengo.

Allow me to quote the communication Hon. Members, by the Senate Speaker, Hon. Ken Lusaka, and I quote;

"Hon. Senators will recall that on that occasion, I made an elaborate assessment of the facts of the matter and the governing constitutional and legal provisions, including the relevant provisions of the Standing Orders. In the end, I made a determination of this matter as follows-

That I found and held that on the basis of the letter of the Senate Minority Whip of Thursday, 15th March, 2018 and the minutes and signatures appended thereto, the criteria and threshold set out at Standing Order No.20(4) had been met and Sen. Moses Wetangula had accordingly been validly removed from the office of the Senate Minority Leader"

You are so guided !

I thank you Hon. Members.

The Hon. Beatrice Elachi, CBS SPEAKER OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY

Thursday, 7th November 2019