

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY



SECOND ASSEMBLY

THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

(THIRD SESSION)

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

No. 27 of 2019

DECLARATION OF INCOME, ASSETS AND LIABILITIES UNDER THE PUBLIC OFFICERS ETHICS ACT, 2003

Hon. Members, I have the following Communication to convey:-

DECLARATION OF INCOME, ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Hon. Members, you may be aware of the requirements of Section 26 (1) of the Public Officers Ethics Act 2003 and as revised in 2016, which provides that; *“Every public officer shall, once every two years as prescribed by section 27, submit to the responsible Commission for the public officer a declaration of the income, assets and liabilities of himself, his spouse or spouses and his dependent children under the age of 18 years.”*

In addition, Members, Section 27 of the same, Public Officer Ethics Act, 2017 provides that declaration SHALL be submitted in December of every second year, and that persons joining Public Service is required to make initial declaration within 30 days of becoming state officers and final declarations within 30 days of ceasing to hold state of Public Office.

Hon. Members, it is also worth noting that, Section 32 of the same Act provides that, and I quote; *“A person who fails to submit a declaration or clarification as required under this Part or who submits, in such a declaration or clarification, information that he knows, or ought to know, is false or misleading, is guilty of an offence and is liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding one million shillings or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year or to both.”*

Hon. Members, the Assembly is in receipt of a Communication from the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC) vide a letter ref: EACC.7/10/4 VOL.V (107) dated 27th September 2019 and received on 2nd November 2019, bringing the attention of the County Assembly Service Board, the requirements of the aforementioned provisions.

Hon. Member, the Office of the Clerk, through the Human Resource Department, has designated a Service Desk at the Charter Hall to facilitate and assist Members in

filling the Declaration of Income, Assets and Liabilities Form to ensure compliance with the law.

You are so guided.

SPEAKER'S KAMUKUNJ FOR MEMBERS

Lastly, Hon. Members, the Office of the Speaker wishes to notify and invite all Members of the Assembly to the Speaker's "*Kamukunji*" scheduled for **Tuesday, 3rd December 2019 at 10.00am** for deliberations and way forward on Assembly matters and welfare of Members. You are all requested to attend.

I thank you Hon. Members.

The Hon. John Kamangu, MCA
DEPUTY SPEAKER OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY

Tuesday, 26th November 2019