

THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY THIRD ASSEMBLY - SECOND SESSION **MESSAGES**

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR ON THE NOMINATION OF APPOINTMENT TO THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY SECRETARY AND HEAD OF COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE

Hon. Members,

Standing Order 45 (1) relating to Messages from the Governor provides that: -

"The Speaker shall read to the County Assembly any message from the Governor or the Senator of the County delivered to the Speaker for communication to the County Assembly."

Further Section 44 (2) (b) of the County Governments Act, 2012 provides: -

"The County Secretary shall be nominated from persons competitively sourced under paragraph (a) by the governor and, with the approval of the county assembly, appointed by the governor."

In this regard Hon. Members, I wish to convey the following Message from His Excellency the Governor, regarding the nomination of a person for appointment as the County Secretary.

NOMINEE TO THE POSITION OF COUNTY SECRETARY AND HEAD OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Hon. Members,

In the Message, His Excellency the Governor, conveys that, pursuant to Section 44 (2) (a) of the County Governments Act, 2012, an advertisement was made on 11th January, 2023 by a Selection Panel for the position of the County Secretary and Head of Public Service.

Hon. Members, the Said panel shortlisted fourteen (14) applicants who were interviewed on the 31st January 2023 and thereafter the successful applicants' names were forwarded to H.E. the Governor for consideration and nomination.

Subsequently, Hon. Members, in exercise of the powers conferred to him by Section 44 (2) (b) of the County Governments Act, 2012, H.E. the Governor, conveys that he has nominated Dr. Jairus Musumba, PhD for appointment to the position of County Secretary and Head of Public Service.

Hon. Members,

His Excellency the Governor now seeks the approval of the County Assembly on the nominee for appointment to the said position.

Hon. Members,

Standing Order 48 requires that upon receipt of notification of nomination for appointment under Section 44 of the County Governments Act, such nomination shall stand committed to the Select Committee on Appointments. Therefore, Hon. Members, I hereby refer the name of the nominee to the Select Committee on Appointments for vetting and reporting to the House within the statutory timelines and in accordance with the relevant laws and Standing Orders.

> The Hon. Kennedy O. Ng'ondi, MCA SPEAKER, NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

Tuesday, 14th February, 2022