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Honorable Members,

My Office is in receipt of a Message Ref. NCCG/GOV/CA/015/2026 dated 18th February 2026 from His Excellency the Governor formally notifying the County Assembly the execution of a Cooperation Agreement between Nairobi City County Government and the National Government for promotion of social and economic development in the Capital City.

Honorable Members,

His Excellency the Governor now beseeches the County Assembly to exercise its Constitutional oversight role over the said Agreement.

In view of the foregoing, Hon. Members, based on established practice, I guide that the Agreement be processed through an Ad Hoc Committee.

Therefore, I commit the Cooperation Agreement between Nairobi City County Government and the National Government to an *Ad-Hoc* Committee that shall be established by this County Assembly pursuant to the Standing Orders to undertake the following: -

- i) Study the said Cooperation Agreement and un-pack its contents and implications;
- ii) The role of the County Assembly as far as implementation of the Agreement is concerned;
- iii) The impact of the Agreement on the Budget making process for the FY 2025/2026 and FY 2026/2027;
- iv) Conduct a public participation on the Cooperation Agreement guided by all relevant laws; and
- v) Table a report in the County Assembly recommending for the approval of the Agreement or otherwise.

Honorable Members, may I now direct as follows: -

- 1) That since we have limited time before the commencement date of the Agreement, the Majority and Minority Whips presents to my office, the names of Members to be part of the Committee as soon as practicable, but not later than Friday 20th February 8.00 a.m. While tabling the names, the Whips should ensure that the Membership comprise of the Speaker as the Chairperson, Majority Leader as the Vice Chairperson, Minority Leader, the

Deputy Speaker and Six (6) members from the Majority Coalition and Five (5) Members from the Minority Coalition; and

- 2) The Clerk to facilitate the Gazettement of a Special Sitting on Friday 20th February 2026 at 9.30 a.m to consider and approve the appointment of Members to the said Ad Hoc Committee.



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

Thursday, 19th February, 2026