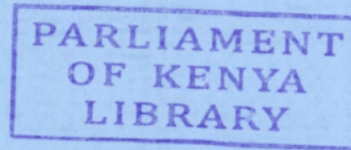


**COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF  
FRIENDSHIP GROUPS BETWEEN THE SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF  
KENYA AND THE PARLIAMENTS OF PAKISTAN, SOUTH KOREA AND  
CHINA.**



**Honourable Senators,**

I have received requests from the Parliaments of Pakistan, China and South Korea on the need to establish Parliamentary Friendship Groups between their respective institutions and the Senate of the Republic of Kenya.

**Honourable Senators,**

Parliamentary Friendship Groups are significant avenues for strengthening parliamentary diplomacy between the Senate and other Parliaments world over.

The registration forms have been placed at the chamber entrance for you to register at the earliest opportunity.

I therefore request members to join any of the proposed Parliamentary Friendship Groups.

Thank you.

**SEN. EKWEE ETHURO, EGH, EBS, MP,  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE.**

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