



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – (FOURTH SESSION)

THE SENATE

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

MESSAGE FROM THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ON THE APPROVAL OF THE
CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL (NATIONAL
ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2 OF 2015)

Honorable Senators,

I wish to report to the Senate that, pursuant to Standing Order 40 (3) and (4), I received the following Message from the Speaker of the National Assembly regarding the passage by the Assembly of the Constitution of Kenya Amendment (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 2 of 2015)-

“PURSUANT to the provisions of standing orders 41(1) and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby convey the following message from the National Assembly-

WHEREAS, the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 2 of 2015) was published *vide* the Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 3 of January 09, 2015 as a Bill originating in the National Assembly to amend the Constitution of Kenya with a view to prohibiting Courts from interfering with matters being proceeded with or pending consideration before Parliament, County Assemblies and their Committees;

AND WHEREAS, the National Assembly considered and passed the said Bill on April 27, 2016 **without amendments** in the form attached hereto;

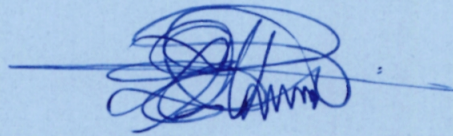
NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(4) of the Constitution and Standing Order 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby forward the said Bill to the Senate for consideration".

Honourable Senators,

Standing Order No. 148 requires that a Bill which originates in the National Assembly be proceeded with by the Senate in the same manner as a Bill introduced in the Senate by way of First Reading in accordance with Standing Order No. 129.

I therefore direct that the Bill be listed for First Reading in the Order Paper of Thursday, 2nd June, 2016.

I thank you.



SEN. DAVID EKWEE ETHURO, EGH, EBS, M.P.
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

31st May, 2016