



REPUBLIC OF KENYA  
TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – (FOURTH SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  
COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR

*(No. 060 of 2020)*

**APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE ON  
THE COUNTY WARDS (EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT) BILL (SENATE  
BILL NO. 34 OF 2018)**

**Honourable Members,** You will recall that on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2020, the House rejected, at Second Reading, **the County Wards (Equitable Development) Bill (Senate Bill No. 34 of 2018)**. The consequence of this decision is that the Bill will be referred to the Mediation process contemplated under Articles 112 and 113 of the Constitution and Standing Order 149 of the National Assembly Standing Orders.

**Honourable Members,** I wish to notify the House that, in accordance with the provisions of Article 113 of the Constitution, and in consultation with the Leaders of the Majority and Minority Parties, I have appointed the following Members to represent the National Assembly in the Mediation Committee on the said Bill –

1. The Hon. Wafula Wamunyinyi, MP;
2. The Hon. Fred Chesebe Kapondi, MP;
3. The Hon. Moses Lessonet, MP;
4. The Hon. Sophia Abdi Noor, MP;
5. The Hon. Richard Tong'i, MP;
6. The Hon. Fred Odhiambo Ouda, MP; and
7. The Hon. Edward Oku Kaunya, MP.

The Hon. Wafula Wamunyinyi, MP will lead the National Assembly team.

**Honourable Members**, the Members are advised to liaise with their Senate counterparts so as to expeditiously embark on the process of developing a version of the Bill that may be agreeable to the two Houses within the timelines set out in Article 113(4) of the Constitution.

**I thank you!**



**THE HON. JUSTIN B. MUTURI, EGH, MP**  
**SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Thursday, October 08, 2020