



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – (FOURTH SESSION)

THE SENATE

MESSAGE

ON THE APPROVAL OF THE MEDIATED VERSIONS OF THE LAND LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 55 OF 2015) AND THE COMMUNITY LAND BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 45 OF 2015)

**Hon. Senators,**

I wish to report to the Senate that, pursuant to Standing Order 40 (3) and (5), I received the following Message from the Speaker of the National Assembly, on 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2016, regarding the Approval, by the National Assembly, of the Mediated versions of the Land Laws (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2015) and the Community Land Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2015)-

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

**WHEREAS**, the Senate, on Wednesday, June 15, 2016 rejected the Land Laws (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2015) and the Community Land Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2015) at Second Reading, the impact of which the said Bills were referred to a Mediation Committee;

**AND WHEREAS**, the National Assembly, by way of resolution passed on Thursday, August 4, 2016 considered the report of the Mediation Committee and **approved** the mediated versions of the said Bills;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in accordance with the provisions of Article 113 of the Constitution and Standing Order 150 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby **convey** the said decision of the National Assembly to the Senate.”

**Hon. Senators,**

I wish to inform you that the said Bills have since been Assented to by H.E the President.

I thank you.



**SEN. DAVID EKWEE ETHURO, E.G.H., M.P.**  
**SPEAKER OF THE SENATE**

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