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REF: NLC/8/5

DATE: 23nd February, 2015

Charles Nyachae Chairperson, Commission for Implementation of the Constitution, Parklands Plaza, Chiromo Lane, Westlands <u>NAIROBI</u>

Dear

RE: AGREED TIMELESS FOR DEVELOPMENT AND REVIEW OF THE LAND RELATED LAW REQUIRED TO BE ENACTED BY 26TH AUGUST, 2015

Reference is made to your letter Ref: CIC/3/1/1/Vol. 1 dated 5th, February, 2015 on the above subject matter.

Attached herewith please find the Land Use Planning Draft Bill, 2015 with inclusion of a Concept Paper and the Investigation and Adjudication of Historical Land Injustices Draft Bill, 2015 which also comprises the issues and recommendation report for your action.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours

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Charles Nyachae

Chairperson, Commission for Implementation of the Constitution Parklands Plaza, Chiromo Lane, Westlands **NAIROBI** 21st April, 2015



Dear

SUBMISSION OF DRAFT BILL ON HISTORICAL LAND INJUSTICES

Reference is made to your letter dated 16th April, 2015 regarding the above subject. This is to inform you that we submitted to your office The Draft Investigation and Adjudication of Historical Land Injustices Bill on 25th March, 2015. The forwarding letter signed by the Commission Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Tom Chavangi and the draft bill including the Draft-Physical Planning Bill was received in your office the same day.

am glad to resubmit the Issues and Recommendation Report that informed Drafting of the Bill and another copy of the Draft Investigation and Adjudication of Historical Land Injustices Bill for your further processing. The Draft Bill starts from page 98 to page 130 of the attached document.

Yours Sincerely

MAMMA MUHAMMAD A. SWAZURI PHD, OGW CHAIRMAN

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8th May, 2015

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Dear

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: DRAFT BILL ON HISTORICAL LAND INJUSTICES

Thank you for your letter dated 30th April, 2015 on the above subject. I do confirm that the constitutional requirement for public participation in the development of The Draft Investigation and Adjudication of Historical Land Injustices Bill was fulfilled. The Commission through a task force formed to develop the bill held public participation are in twenty eight venues where members of the public from forty six counties gave their views. Due to time constraints and security challenges, the task force did not visit Mandera County

Enclosed kindly find copies of advertisements which actualized the requirement for public participation. The first advert dated 27th August 2014 invited the public to give views, comments, and proposals on what the bill should contain in respect of Historical Land Injustices. The second advert dated 18th September 2014 invited the public to attend and participate in public consultation meetings in various counties. The task force visited the Counties shown in the advert and used the views collected to draft the Issues and Recommendations Report and the Draft Bill. Selected citizen Participation questionnaires and copies of attendance registers in some counties are enclosed as examples of actual citizen participation.

I note however that because of the period allowed by the law - Section 15 of The National Land Commission Act – the Commission was unable to validate the draft bill and for that reason requested Parliament for amendment of the said section to give the Commission additional one year to complete this process. The commission has not received indication from parliament if this request will be granted.

We appreciate your continued support.

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