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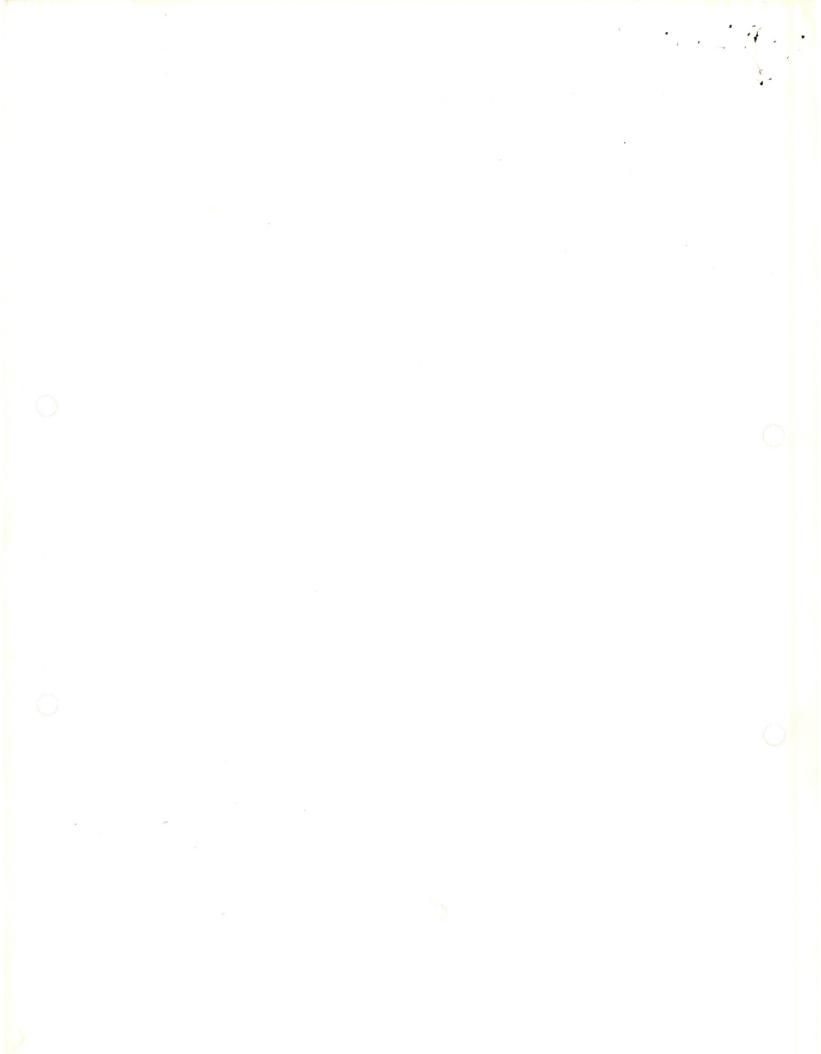
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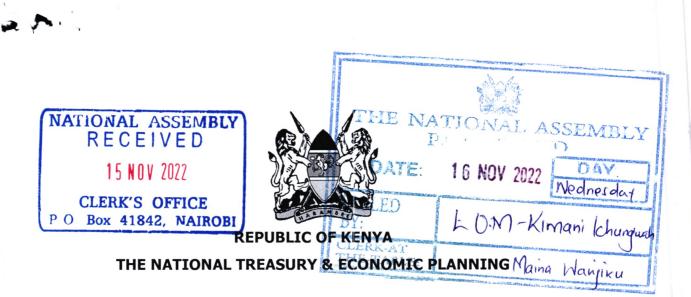
STATEMENT BY THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING ON STATUS OF DISBURSEMENT OF NATIONAL GOVERNMENT -CONSTITUENCY DEVELOPMENT FUNDS FOR THE FY 2022/23

This is in reference to the above subject matter.

Attached please find a statement from the National Treasury and Economic Planning on the above subject for your information and sharing with the National Assembly.

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Statement by The National Treasury and Economic Planning on the Status of Disbursement of National Government Constituencies Development Fund (NG-CDF) for the Financial Year 2022/2023

- 1. The National Government Constituencies Development Fund (NG-CDF) was allocated **Ksh. 44,289,900,000** in the Financial Year **2022/2023.**
- 2. So far, The National Treasury and Economic Planning is yet to disburse any amounts in the current Financial Year.
- 3. As you are aware, the Supreme Court ruling in Petition No. 1 of 2018 delivered on 8th August 2022 made a declaration that the CDF Act of 2013 was unconstitutional. Based on this, the National Treasury referred the matter to the Attorney General vide letter Ref: NT/LEGAL/463 dated 17th August 2022 (*Copy attached*) requesting for legal opinion on the way forward in view of the appropriated 2022/2023 budget.

The National Treasury and Economic Planning is yet to receive the response from the Attorney General on this matter.

4. The National Treasury and Economic Planning remains committed to timely disbursement of NG-CDF. However, as you are aware, significant resources have been directed towards mitigation of the ongoing drought ravaging the Country. Subject to the opinion of the Attorney General, the National Treasury and Economic Planning will embark on a disbursement plan aimed at disbursing Ksh. 2 Billion on a weekly basis.

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