PUBLIC PETITION

Y RESIDENTS OF CHEPARERIA WARD ALONG KAPENGURIA –LODWAR (A1) INTERNATIONAL HIGHWAY



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## LESSERU-KITALE-MARICH PASS (A1)

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED residents of Pokot South Constituency, Chepareria Ward,

Draw the attention of the House to the following:-

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1. THAT, aware that the Northern Corridor Transport Improvement Project and in particular Lesseru-Kitale-Marich Pass (A1) is currently under design by Kenya National Highways Authority (KeNHA)

Kitale-Marich Pass section was built to Bitumen standard from 1971 to 1985.

- 2. THAT, the road traverses sharp bends and hilly terrain and it has not been properly maintained.
- 3. THAT, the Kitale-Marich Pass section is a renowned black spot which has occasioned fourty seven (47) fatalities and one hundred and ninety eight (198) injuries.
- 4. THAT, efforts by the former Member of Parliament to have this matter addressed by the relevant authorities have not been successful.
- 5. THAT, we hereby confirm that the issues in respect of which this petition is made are not before any court of Law, constitutional or legal body.

THEREFORE, your humble petitioners PRAY that Parliament through the Departmental Committee Transport, Housing and Public Works ensures that:-

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- a) the Kenya National Highways Authority (KeNHA) considers realignment of the road at Kamatira Hills from Sakat Shopping Centre to Lounon Market.
- b) the gradient is done at the internationally accepted standard of five per cent(5%),
- c) the realignment is done within the ongoing design and should not wait any longer.

And your **PETITIONERS** will ever pray.

Presented by,

Hon.David Pkosing Losiakou, M.P POKOT SOUTH CONSTITUENCY Date: