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THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON DEFENCE AND FOREIGN RELATIONS

REPORT ON THE VETTING OF MAJOR GENERAL PHILIP WACHIRA KAMERU, NOMINEE FOR THE APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR GENERAL, NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

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## PREFACE

Hon. Speaker,

1. The Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations is established pursuant to Standing Order 216 (1) and mandated *inter-alia*; to –
  - a) *investigate, inquire into and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management, activities, administration, operations and estimates of the assigned Ministries and departments; and*
  - b) *vet and report on appointments where the Constitution or any law requires the National Assembly to approve, except those under Standing Order 204 (Committee on Appointments).*

Hon. Speaker,

2. In executing its mandate, the Committee oversees the following Ministries and Departments:
  - i. Ministry of Defence;
  - ii. Ministry of Foreign Affairs;
  - iii. East African Affairs; and,
  - iv. National Intelligence Service.
3. According to Schedule II of the Standing Orders, the Committee is mandated to consider the following subjects:
  - i. Defence;
  - ii. Intelligence;
  - iii. Foreign Relations;
  - iv. Diplomatic and Consular Services;
  - v. International Boundaries;
  - vi. International Relations; and,
  - vii. Agreements, Treaties and Conventions.

Hon. Speaker,

4. The Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations comprises the following Members: -

1. Hon. Ndungu Gethenji, M.P. - Chairperson
2. Hon. Elias Bare Shill, M.P. - Vice Chairperson
3. Hon. Jakoyo Midiwo, MGH, M.P.
4. Hon. Katoo Ole Metito, EGH, MGH, M.P.
5. Hon. Adan Keynan, CBS, M.P.
6. Hon. Christantus Wamalwa, M.P.
7. Hon. Nyiva Mwendwa, EGH, M.P.
8. Hon. Maj-General (Rtd.) Joseph Nkaiserry, MGH, CBS, M.P.
9. Hon. Gonzi Rai, MGH M.P.
10. Hon. Joel Onyancha, MGH, M.P.
11. Hon. Richard Onyonka, M.P.
12. Hon. Wafula Wamunyinyi, M.P.
13. Hon. Lekuton Joseph, M.P.
14. Hon. Joseph Kiuna, M.P.
15. Hon. Yusuf Hassan, M.P.
16. Hon. Joseph Gitari, M.P.
17. Hon. David Pkosing, M.P.
18. Hon. Col (Rtd.) Ali Dido Rasso, MBS, M.P.
19. Hon. Beatrice Nyaga, HSC, M.P.
20. Hon. John Lodepe Nakara, M.P.
21. Hon. Roselinda Soipan, M.P.
22. Hon. Annah N. Gathecha, M.P.
23. Hon. David Wafula, M.P.
24. Hon. Elisha Busienei, M.P.
25. Hon. Abass S. Mohammed, M.P.
26. Hon. Ibrahim Sane, M.P.
27. Hon. Joyce Wanjalay Lay, M.P.

28. Hon. Dennitah Ghati, M.P.

29. Hon. Ken Obura, M.P.

Hon. Speaker,

Section 7 of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012 states that –

*(1) There shall be a Director-General of the Service who shall, with the approval of the National Assembly, be appointed by the President”*

*(2) The President shall nominate a person for appointment as the Director-General and submit the name of the nominee to the National Assembly.*

On the 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2014, in your communication, you informed the House that a Message from H. E. the President by way of letter dated 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2014, H. E. the President had nominated Major General. Philip Wachira Kameru for the Position of Director General of the National Intelligence Service for approval by the House pursuant to Section 7 (1) and (2) of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012.

Subsequently, you referred the Message from H. E. The President containing the name of the nominee together with his curriculum vitae to the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations to conduct the vetting and table its report.

The Committee held its sitting on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014 where the nominee appeared and was vetted. In conducting the vetting exercise, the Committee made reference to the Constitution, the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011, the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012 and the National Assembly Standing Orders. During the exercise, the nominee made his submission on why he should be appointed to the position of the Director General of the National Intelligence Service.

The Committee, in compliance with the Constitution and other legal requirements and established procedures for vetting, ensured its meetings were open to the public and covered by the media. The Committee also placed notifications in the mainstream print

media, on Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2014, inviting the public to submit memoranda, in tandem with the law.

Hon. Speaker,

The Committee takes this opportunity to thank the Offices of the Speaker and the Clerk of the National Assembly for the logistical support accorded to it during the vetting exercise. The Committee is also grateful to the media for their coverage of the proceedings of the Committee, thus enhancing accountability and transparency of the vetting exercise.

Hon. Speaker,

The Committee deliberated on the nominee's bio-data, curriculum vitae, submissions made by the nominee and the oral submissions during the vetting hearing at the sitting held on Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2014. Due to the nature of the subject of intelligence, the Committee conducted part of the hearing in a closed session.

The Committee came up with several findings during the vetting exercise. The observations, findings and conclusions guided the Committee in making its final recommendations. The recommendations of the Committee were agreed upon by the Members during the adoption of the Report on Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2014.

Hon. Speaker,

On behalf of the Committee, and pursuant to Article 124(4) (b) of the Constitution, Section 8 of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012, Section 8 (1) of the Schedule to the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011, and Standing Order No. 199(6), it is my pleasant duty to Table the Report of the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations, on the vetting of Major General Philip Wachira Kameru for appointment as the Director General of the National Intelligence Service.

Signed:

Hon. Ndung'u Gethenji, M.P.  
Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations

Date: ...10<sup>th</sup> September, 2014...

## 1.0 BACKGROUND

- a) Establishment of the Office of Director General, National Intelligence Service and nomination

Section 7 of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012 states that – “*There shall be a Director-General of the Service who shall, with the approval of the National Assembly, be appointed by the President*”

- b) Qualification for appointment as the Director-General

Section 8 of the National Intelligence Service Act provides that—“

- (1) *A person is qualified for appointment as the Director-General if the Person –*

- a) Is a citizen of Kenya;*
- b) Holds a degree from a university recognized in Kenya;*
- c) Has knowledge and at least fifteen years experience in intelligence;*
- d) has knowledge and at least fifteen years experience in intelligence or national security;*
- (d) has served in a senior management position in the Service or public service for at least ten years; and*
- (e) meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.*

- (2) *A person is not qualified for appointment as Director-General if that person —*

- (a) is a member of Parliament, a member of a county assembly, a governor or a deputy governor;*
- (b) has, in the immediate preceding period of five years, served as a Member of Parliament, a member of a county assembly, a governor, a deputy governor, a trade union official or held an office in a political party;*
- (c) holds dual citizenship;*
- e) has been convicted of a criminal offence and has been sentenced to imprisonment for a term exceeding six months without an option of a fine;*
- f) has previously been removed from office for contravening the provisions of the Constitution or any other written law; or*
- g) is an undischarged bankrupt.*

- c) Functions and powers of the Director-General of the National Intelligence Service

Section 9 of the National Intelligence Service provides that:

- (1) The Director-General shall —*
- (2)*

- (a) *be responsible for the overall, management and administration of the Service;*
- (b) *be responsible for the overall operational control of the Service;*
- (c) *be the principal advisor to the President and Government on national security based on security intelligence and counter intelligence to enhance national security;*
- (d) *report to the President, the National Security Council and the Cabinet Secretary on threats and potential threats to national security and national interests as is appropriate;*
- (e) *take all necessary steps to ensure that the actions of the Service are limited to what is necessary for the proper performance of its functions under the Constitution, this Act or any other written law and that no information is gathered or disclosed by the Service except in so far as may be necessary for the proper performance of its functions;*
- (f) *ensure that the Service is not, in the performance of its functions, influenced by considerations not relevant to such functions and that no act is performed that could give rise to any reasonable suspicion that the Service is concerned in furthering, protecting or undermining the interests of any person, particular section of the population or of any political party or other organization in Kenya;*
- (g) *as far as is reasonably practicable, take steps to ensure that classified information, intelligence collection methods, Service operations, sources of information and identity of members of the Service are protected from disclosure otherwise than in the strict performance of the 'functions of the Service under the Constitution and this Act;*
- (h) *participate in the formulation of national intelligence policy and strategy;*
- (i) *make recommendations to the Cabinet Secretary on the formulation of the policy and implement the national intelligence policy and strategy;*
- (j) *ensure effective utilization of resources as required by Article 201 of the Constitution;*
- (k) *undertake education, training and development of members of the Service;*
- (l) *oversee the development of mechanisms to ensure that members of the Service discharge their functions and exercise of their powers in accordance with the Constitution, this Act and any other written the law;*
- (m) *administer, control and manage the Service as a disciplined civilian service;*
- (n) *put in place mechanisms, steps and systems —*
  - (i) *to ensure that the members of the Service are not unduly influenced in the performance of the functions of the Service;*
  - (ii) *to ensure that the Service is impartial in the execution of its functions;*
  - (iii) *to prevent disclosure of the operations of the Service;*
  - (iv) *to prevent disclosure of classified information;*
  - (v) *to protect the identity of sources of information to the Service;*
  - (vi) *to protect the identity of members of the Service;*
  - (vii) *to prevent unauthorized access to the premises of the Service; and*
  - (viii) *to prevent interference with any installations of the Service; and*



- (o) perform any other lawful function as may be assigned by the President or the Cabinet Secretary or any other written law.
  - (2) The Director-General shall have all the powers necessary or expedient for the performance of his or her functions under the Constitution, this Act or any other written law.
  - (3) The Director-General may, in writing, delegate any power or assign any function conferred upon him or her under this Act or any other written law to a member of the Service.
  - (4) The delegation of a power or assignment of a function under subsection (3) shall not prevent the Director-General from exercising the power or discharging the function in question in person.
- d) Term of Office for the Director General of the National Intelligence Service

Section 9 of the National Intelligence Service states that:

*10. (1) The Director-General shall hold office for a term of five years and may be eligible for re-appointment for one further term.*

*(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1) the President shall remove the Director: General from office on the following grounds—*

*(a) violation of the Constitution, this Act or any other written law including contravention of Chapter Six;*

*(b) gross misconduct whether in the performance of the office holders functions or otherwise;*

*(c) if the Director-General is convicted*

- e) Issues for consideration in conducting the Approval hearing

In conducting the Approval hearing, the Committee was guided by Article 73 (2)(a) (b)(c) and (e), and Article 124 (4) of the Constitution, the National Intelligence Service Act, 2014 and the provisions of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011.

1. Article 73 of the Constitution provides that:

(2) The guiding principles of leadership and integrity include—

*(a) selection on the basis of personal integrity, competence and suitability, or election in free and fair elections;*

*(b) objectivity and impartiality in decision making, and in ensuring that decisions are not influenced by nepotism, favouritism, other improper*

- motives or corrupt practices;*  
(c) *selfless service based solely on the public interest, demonstrated by—*  
(i) honesty in the execution of public duties; and,  
(ii) the declaration of any personal interest that may conflict with public duties;

- (d) accountability to the public for decisions and actions; and  
(e) discipline and commitment in service to the people.

2. Article 124 (4) of the Constitution provides that:

When a House of Parliament considers any appointment for which its approval is required under this Constitution or an Act of Parliament –

- (a) The appointment shall be considered by a committee of relevant House;  
(b) The committee's recommendation shall be tabled in the House for approval;  
and  
(c) The proceedings of the committee and the House shall be in public.

f) Message from H.E. the President

On the 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2014, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1), the Speaker of the National Assembly conveyed a Message to the House from H.E. the President that he had nominated Major General Philip Wachira Kameru as the Director General of the National Intelligence Service. Section 7 of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012 states that, *"There shall be a Director-General of the Service who shall, with the approval of the National Assembly, be appointed by the President"*.

Following the conveyance of the message from H. E. the President , the Speaker of the National Assembly forwarded the name of the nominee and his curriculum vitae to the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations to conduct Approval hearings.

g) Clearance Requirements

On 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2014, the Clerk of the National Assembly wrote to the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC) seeking information on the integrity of the nominee. Two (2) other letters were written to the Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA), the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB), respectively, requesting for

information on whether the nominees were tax compliant and whether they owed any loans to the loans Board. Another letter was written to the Criminal Investigation Department on the conduct of the nominee. The nominee was also required to present his certificates/letters of clearance/compliance from the above organizations.

#### h) Notification to the Nominee

On Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2014, the Clerk of the National Assembly, pursuant to Section 6(3) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011, notified the nominee of the time and place for holding the Approval hearings.

#### i) Notification to the Public

Section 6 (9) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011, provides that *“any person may, prior to the approval hearing, and by written statement on oath, provide the Clerk with evidence contesting the suitability of a candidate to hold the office to which the candidate has been nominated”*.

On 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2014, the Committee, through the Clerk of the National Assembly, placed notifications in the print media informing the general public of the intention by the National Assembly to conduct an Approval hearing, pursuant to Article 118 (1) (a) (b) and (2) of the Constitution, Standing Order 198 (1) and Section 6 (4) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, which allow public participation in Committee proceedings. The Clerk of the National Assembly gave notification to the public to submit memoranda to his office, on the suitability or otherwise of the nominee, by Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2014, at 5.00pm.

#### j) Committee Meetings

The Committee carried out the vetting exercise on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2014. A total of three (3) sittings were held. The Committee’s first business was to formulate questions on the vetting in line with the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No.33 2011, and examine Memoranda so far received.

#### k) Due Submission of Memoranda

By Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2014 the Committee had received one (1) memoranda from the public from one Maj. (Rtd) Stanley Muigai Kiama of P. O. Box 58037-00200 Nairobi on behalf of Kenya Veterans Association (KVA), dated 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2014 in support of the nomination of Major General. Philip Wachira Kameru as Director General of the National Intelligence Service.

The memoranda was a written statement on oath (affidavit) commending the nomination and recommending the appointment of Major General Philip Wachira Kameru and in part stated as follows:

- i. THAT the Petitioner is the Secretary General of the Kenya Veterans Association (KVA), and has full authority to make this declaration on behalf of the Members of KVA.
- ii. THAT indeed there could not have been a better choice for this crucial office that is at the very heart of our National Security.
- iii. THAT there is no doubt that the nominee is a man of integrity, well educated, disciplined, patriotic, loyal and a people person and above all, a man who can be relied upon to produce fair, correct and uncompromised intelligence reports to all his clients.

#### l) Clearance Letters

Further, the Committee received letters from the Kenya Revenue Authority, indicating that the nominee was tax compliant, and the Higher Education Loans Board, stating that the Board was not owed any loans by the nominee. The letter from the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission also stated that the Commission has no outstanding issues or ongoing investigations against the nominee.

The nominee also presented the following;

- i. The Kenya Revenue Authority Tax compliance Certificate;
- ii. The Higher Education Loans Board Certificate of clearance;
- iii. Certificate of Good Conduct from the Criminal Investigations

Department;

- iv. Certificate of clearance from a Credit Reference Bureau; and
- v. Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission Self Declaration Form.

## 2.0 VETTING OF NOMINEE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR GENERAL, NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

### The Vetting Process

On Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014, the Committee held two sessions with the nominee for the position of Director General of the National Intelligence Service, Major General. Phillip Kameru. One was open to both the media and the public, then the Committee moved to a closed session. In conducting the vetting exercise, the Committee was guided by, among other documents, the Constitution, the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011 and the National Assembly Standing Orders.

The Committee examined the nominee using the guidelines provided for in the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011. The Committee also considered the following in vetting the nominee: -

- i. Academic qualifications
- ii. Employment record and work experience
- iii. Professional association
- iv. Public office, political activities and affiliations
- v. Potential conflict of interest
- vi. Suitability to the position
- vii. Tax compliance
- viii. Integrity

## 2.1 MAJOR GENERAL. PHILIP WACHIRA KAMERU – NOMINEE FOR THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

Major General. Philip Wachira Kameru appeared before the Committee on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014, at 9.00am. The Committee having heard his submissions during the meeting, made the following observations on his nomination to the position of Director General, National Intelligence Service:-

### a. Personal Background

He was born on 11<sup>th</sup> January, 1958 in Nyeri County. He is married with two children.

### b. Academic Background

He holds three (3) Masters Degrees; A Master of Science in Security Management (from Leicester University, UK), a Master of Science in National Resources Strategy (from National Defence University- USA), and a Master in International Studies (from the University of Nairobi). He also holds a Diploma in Telecommunications Engineering and has attended various Military Courses during his service.

### c. Professional Experience

Major General. Philip Wachira Kameru has been working in the military for the last thirty six (36) years. He is currently serving as the Director of Military Intelligence (DMI) of Kenya Defence Forces, a position he has held for the last seven (7) years. He began his career in the military as a telecommunication officer and thereafter moved to the Intelligence and National Security

Other positions he has held previously include;

- i. Deputy Director of Military Intelligence, 2006 - 2011
- ii. Colonel Collection Defence Headquarters, 1994 -1997
- iii. Colonel Army Programmes- Defence Headquarters,2002-2004
- iv. Corps Commander Kenya Army Corps of Signal, 2001-2002
- v. Senior Director Staff, Directing Staff College, - 1999-2001
- vi. Commandant School of Military Intelligence (SOMI), 1996-1999

- vii. Staff Officer One, Security Department of Defence -1993-1993, and
- viii. School of Signals Commandant – 1986-1987

d. Achievements

It is during his tenure as DMI that the KDF has done and continues to do a commendable job by its troops in AMISOM because of timely intelligence. He is decorated with eleven medals among them, 1<sup>st</sup> Class Order of the Burning Spear (CBS).

- e. He has fully complied with his tax obligations to the State and has never been dismissed from office for contravention of provisions of Article 75 of the Constitution which deals with conduct of state officers.
- f. He has never been adversely mentioned in any investigatory report of Parliament or any Commission of Inquiry.
- g. He is not a member of any political party and does not expect any conflict of interest to arise.
- h. He has been involved in charity work in the community.
- i. He has never been charged in a court of law for any offence.

On key competencies and leadership qualities, Major General Kameru stated that having been at the helm of the Military Intelligence for seven (7) years now and with his thirty six (36) years of service in the military, he is competent enough to provide the relevant advice and reports required for decision making. He is also able to provide a robust direction in leadership at the National Intelligence Service.

He added that he has gained extensive leadership, operational and administrative experience that can certainly be useful in the direction and management of National Intelligence Service.

### 3.0 COMMITTEE FINDINGS

The Committee having considered the curriculum vitae of the nominee, and having heard his oral submission during the vetting exercise, at the sitting held on 9<sup>th</sup> September, 2014, made the following findings:-

- i. The nominee has the requisite abilities, qualifications and experience, and

qualifies for appointment as Director General of the National Intelligence Service as provided for in Section 8 (1) of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012.

- ii. The nominee exhibited impressive knowledge of topical issues touching on the National Intelligence docket.
- iii. The nominee was keen on making positive proposals on how to move the National Intelligence Service forward.
- iv. The nominee was suitable for the position of Director-General of the National Intelligence Service.

#### 4.0 RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMITTEE

Having considered the suitability, capacity and integrity of the nominee, and pursuant to Section 7 of the National Intelligence Service Act, 2012 and Section 8 (2) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act No. 33 of 2011, the Departmental Committee on Defence and Foreign Relations therefore recommends that this House approves the nomination and subsequent appointment of Major General. Philip Wachira Kameru to serve as Director General of the National Intelligence Service.

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APPENDIX (1) - COMMITTEE MINUTES

MINUTES OF THE 71<sup>ST</sup> SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON DEFENCE AND FOREIGN RELATIONS HELD ON TUESDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2014 IN COUNTY HALL, MINI CHAMBER, AT 9.00 AM.

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Present

1. Hon. Ndungu Gethenji, MP - Chairperson
2. Hon. Elias Bare Shill, MP - Vice-Chairperson
3. Hon. Jakoyo Midiwo, MGH, MP
4. Hon. Katoo Ole Metito, EGH, MGH, MP
5. Hon. Adan Keynan, CBS, MP
6. Hon. Chrisanthus Wamalwa, MP
7. Hon. Nyiva Mwendwa, EGH, MP
8. Hon. Maj-General Joseph Nkaisery, MGH, CBS, MP
9. Hon. Gonzi Rai, MGH, MP
10. Hon. Joel Onyancha, MGH, MP
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12. Hon. Wafula Wamunyinyi, MP
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20. Hon. Beatrice Nyaga, MP
21. Hon. John Lodepe Nakara, MP
22. Hon. Roselinda Soipan, MP
23. Hon. Annah Nyokabi Gathecha, MP
24. Hon. Col. (Rtd) Ali Dido Rasso, MP
25. Hon. Ibrahim Sane, MP
26. Hon. Joyce Wanjaloh Lay, MP
27. Hon. Dennitah Ghati, MP
28. Hon. David Pkosing, MP

Absent With Apology

1. Hon. Yussuf Hassan, MP

In Attendance

Kenya National Assembly

1. Florence Abonyo-Atenyoo - Director, Committee Service, N/A

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| 2. Rachael Kairu | - | Senior Clerk Assistant |
| 3. Esther Nginyo | - | Third Clerk Assistant  |
| 4. Douglas Katho | - | Third Clerk Assistant  |

MIN. NO 218/2014      PRELIMINARIES

The meeting commenced with a word of prayer by Hon. Elias Bare Shill, MP.

MIN. NO. 219/2014      VETTING OF THE NOMINEE FOR DIRECTOR GENERAL,  
NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE – MAJ. GEN. PHILIP  
WACHIRA KAMERU

Maj. Gen. Philip Wachira Kameru appeared before the Committee on Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014 in line with the Public Appointment (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011. The Hon. Nkaissery, Hon. Dido Rasso and Hon. Joseph Kiuna declared their interest in the matter pursuant to the Standing Order No. 90.

The nominee in his introductory remarks stated that he is the current Director of the Military Intelligence, a position he has held for the last seven years. He also elaborated that he has been working in the military for the last thirty six (36) years. And that he is married with two children.

The following were discussed under this agenda:-

**A. Academic, Professional and Personal Background**

In respect of his academic background the nominee informed the Committee as follows: -

- i. He has trained extensively in the Armed forces, having began his career in the military as a telecommunication officer and thereafter moved to the Intelligence and National Security. He has three Masters Degrees:-
  - a) Masters in Security Management from Leicester University,
  - b) Masters in International Studies from University of Nairobi,
  - And,
  - c) Masters in National Security Resourcing from, National Defence University, USA.
- ii. He has served as the Commandant of the Military Intelligence, Commandant of the Military Signals College, a military intelligence officer among other positions.
- iii. He has never been charged in a Court of Law, has no potential conflict of interest, and has fully complied with his tax obligation.
- iv. He has never been dismissed from office for contravention of the provisions of Article 75 of the Constitution.
- v. He also stated that he owns a house in Kiambu and depends entirely on his income from the Ministry of Defence.

**B. Key Competencies and Leadership Quality.**

Major General Kameru stated that having been at the helm of the Military Intelligence for seven years now, he is competent enough to provide the relevant advice required in decision making, and a clear direction in leadership at the National Intelligence Service. He stated that he has gained extensive leadership, operational

and administrative experience that can certainly be useful in the direction and management of National Security Intelligence.

C. On the Strategy to Motivate Current NIS staff and his first tasks if appointed as DG, NIS

Major General Kameru requested that he answers the question on the strategy that he will employ to motivate the current NIS staff to be stated in camera. In his contribution to this item, he reiterated that personality always affects the operations of an organization. He undertook to address issues in a timely manner and especially in the review of the terms and conditions of the service of serving staff. He will engage with officers with a view to coming up with robust and dynamic legislative proposals that if approved by Parliament will open up avenues for the different security agencies to be compelled to work together.

D. On the linking of his skills and qualifications and ability to address some of the key issues at NIS:-

The Major-General stated that many are times when there is lack of understanding of the mandate of the NIS by the executing officers. This has always arisen especially where there has been a lapse in security resulting in blame-games. He will be able to reverse youth radicalization by involving all stakeholders. He stated that national security is about the sovereignty of a state and encompasses not only the national security organs but also the military and all other stakeholders. Major-Gen Kameru cited example of timely and well-thought out intelligence information that has made the Kenya Defence Forces troops to carry out a commendable job in the AMISOM.

E. On his Readiness to take up the challenge especially having worked entirely with the Military and now getting into the Civilian entity:-

Major-Gen. Kameru re-affirmed that National Intelligence Service is a disciplined civilian organisation and to his understanding, KDF and the Military operations are somehow similar and not very different. He has been working and collaborating with officers in the National Intelligence Service during his time at the Military Intelligence. He has adequate experience and familiarity of its operations.

F. On Economic Intelligence and Devolution

Major General Kameru clarified to the committee that intelligence is classified in such a manner that it allows both economic, social, security and most importantly democratic development. Devolution is a step that the people of Kenya made a decision on when the Constitution was enacted in 2010. He undertook to uphold the spirit of the Constitution so as to ensure that intelligence gathered makes it possible for the devolved governments to operate in a conducive environment.

G. On Counter Intelligence and Information

Major General Kameru informed the Committee that information is gathered through various sources. This information is then relayed to the analysts who will then make judgments and thereafter provide a accurate action on such information. He intends to take a multi-agency approach in counter-intelligence information, so as to seal all the gaps that may arise in trying to collect such information.

#### H. On the Identity and Accountability and Recruitment of NIS Officers

Major-General Kameru stated that the National Intelligence Service Act and the Constitution of Kenya will be the guiding laws to his approach in ensuring accountability and also coordination in NIS operations. He also stressed on capacity in carrying out the intelligence work as being more important, rather than education. Intelligence officers need a very careful guidance and capacity building with relevant training to tackle the challenges of identity in public places, and accountability. He undertook to inform the Committee on how to carry out this mandate at a later meeting if the Committee approves his nomination.

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MIN.NO.220/2014

VETTING OF THE NOMINEE FOR NOMINEE FOR UN

HABITAT- HON. PROF. AMB. SAMSON KEGENGO ONGERI

Hon. Prof. Samson Ongeri appeared before the Committee on 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014 in line with the Public Appointment (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011. He informed the Committee that;

- i. He has served in the public service for long in various capacities with dignity, integrity and with the best of his ability.
- ii. He studied at Gesusu Primary and Intermediate School in Nyamira and later proceeded to Bugema Missionary College in Uganda. He was awarded a scholarship to India where he did a pre-medical course at the University of New Delhi and later proceeded to study medicine at the University of Bombay. He later proceeded to the University of London where he earned a Diploma in Child Health. He later got a scholarship to study at the Edinburg University.
- iii. In the public service, he has served as a medical doctor of health during which he was instrumental in setting the Renal Department of the Kenyatta National Hospital. He successfully conducted the first kidney transplant in Kenya.
- iv. He was the Chairman Kenya Amateur Athletics Association where he was instrumental in building of the current Nyayo Stadium. He also served as the Chairman of the University of Nairobi Postgraduate Programs, and the University Council. He has also served as the Chairman at the Kenya National Trading Corporation and the Kenya Industrial Estate.
- v. He has served as a Member of Parliament representing Nyaribari Masaba Constituency for three terms.
- vi. He has served as a Cabinet Minister in the Ministries of Foreign Affairs, Education, Health, Local Government and Technical Training and Applied Technology.
- vii. He was appointed as a Permanent Representative, Kenya Mission to the United Nations Environmental Programme where he was instrumental in defending the setting up of a Permanent Office of the UNEP in Nairobi.
- viii. He was also instrumental in establishment of the UN Habitat in 1975 as a human settlement foundation focusing on issues of habitation, security electricity and water.

- ix. He intends to work towards negotiating for an opportunity of establishing UN Habitat Headquarters in Kenya, which will enhance job creation and foreign exchange earnings.
- x. On the issue of age, he stated that it is not a limitation to him as his productivity was good and that he is still strong to offer enormous contribution to the nation.
- xi. He embraces servant leadership and respect for higher authority and as such he would work well with other officers in the Ministry owing to the fact that he once served as a Minister for Foreign Affairs.
- xii. He intends to give the country visibility at the UN Habitat in terms of infrastructure, environment, afforestation and housing issues. He further intends to push for the slum upgrading program in partnership with UN Habitat.

MIN.NO.221/2014      ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 1.50 p.m. until Tuesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014 at 2.30pm.

Signed.....

Chairperson

MINUTES OF THE 80<sup>TH</sup> SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON  
DEFENCE AND FOREIGN RELATIONS HELD ON FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2014 IN THE  
MINI CHAMBER, COUNTY HALL, AT 9:15AM.

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PRESENT

1. Hon. Ndungu Gethenji, MP - Chairperson
2. Hon. Elias Bare Shill, MP - Vice-Chairperson
3. Hon. Katoo Ole Metito, EGH, MGH, MP
4. Hon. Adan Keynan, CBS, MP
5. Hon. Chrisanthus Wamalwa, MP
6. Hon. Nyiva Mwendwa, EGH, MP
7. Hon. Maj. Gen. oseph Nkaissery, MGH, CBS, MP
8. Hon. Gonzi Rai, MGH, MP
9. Hon. Joel Onyancha, MGH, MP
10. Hon. Richard Onyonka, MP
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18. Hon. Annah Nyokabi Gathecha, MP
19. Hon. Col. (Rtd) Ali Dido Rasso, MP
20. Hon. Ibrahim Sane, MP
21. Hon. Joyce Wanjaloh Lay, MP
22. Hon. Dennitah Ghati, MP
23. Hon. David Pkosing, MP

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY

1. Hon. Jakoyo Midiwo, MGH, MP
2. Hon. Wafula Wamunyinyi, MP
3. Hon. Yussuf Hassan, MP
4. Hon. Ken Obura, MP
5. Hon. Joseph Gitari, MP
6. Hon. John Lodepe Nakara, MP

## IN ATTENDANCE

### Kenya National Assembly

1. Rachael Kairu - Senior Clerk Assistant
2. Mainah Wanjiku - Second Clerk Assistant
3. Douglas Katho - Third Clerk Assistant
4. Gertrude Chebet - Third Clerk Assistant
5. Halima Hussein - Third Clerk Assistant
6. Emma Essendi - Legal Counsel

### MIN.NO 266/2014      PRELIMINARIES

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 15:50pm and a word of prayer was said by Hon. Bar Shill, MP.

### MIN.NO 267/2014      CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed as true record.

### MIN.NO 268/2014      MATTERS ARISING

- a) Regarding Min. 219 (c) question arose on whether the proceedings that took place in camera should be included in the minutes. Members agreed that since the information that was given by the Nominee was not sensitive according to their opinion, it should remain in the minutes.
- b) On Min. 222 regarding the duplication of the contents of the minutes in the report, Members agreed that parts K-P be removed from the Report since they had already been captured in the minutes which would form part of the Report.

### MIN.NO 269/2014      ADOPTION OF THE VETTING REPORT FOR MAJ. GEN. PHILIP WACHIRA KAMERU

The Committee Members were taken through the vetting report of Maj. Gen. Philip Wachira Kameru. Having come from a different background, a member raised a dissenting view on the approval of the nominee. Having come from a military background, the member felt that his appointment risks demotivating the officers working in the NIS who were aiming at progression in their careers. He also mentioned the fact that even the Director of Immigration has a military background and wondered whether there was an intention to militarize government departments. He further added that parliament should not be used as a rubberstamp.

Members were informed that that should not arise since the predecessors of that office have all had a military background



Members further agreed that nominees should be judged by their qualifications, experience, and integrity in addition to all the other provisions in the NIS Act, 2012 which the nominee had met.

Members further observed that the mandate of the Committee was not to decide who is appointed. The mandate of the Committee was to vet the nominees presented to it.

Having failed to convince the Member with a dissenting opinion to approve the nominee, members agreed that the word “unanimously” should be deleted from the Committee’s recommendations in the Report.

MIN.NO 270/2014      ADJOURNMENT

There being no other Business, the Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 5:20 p.m. until Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

Signed  \_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson

APPENDIX (2) -CORRESPONDENCES.



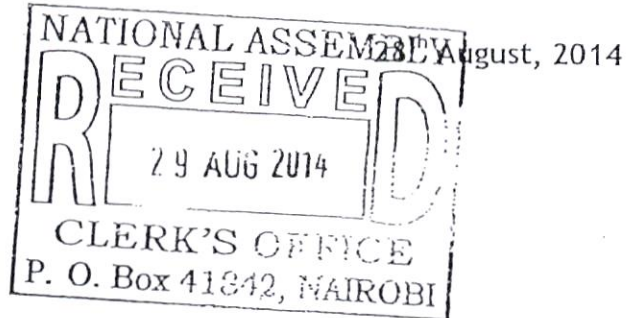
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Mr. Justin N. Bundi CBS,  
Clerk, National Assembly,  
P.O Box 41842-00100,  
NAIROBI



Dear *Justin*,

RE: VETTING OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE, AMBASSADORS AND HIGH COMMISSIONERS.

We acknowledge with appreciation receipt of your letter regarding the vetting of nominees for appointment as Director General for the National Intelligence Service, Ambassadors and High Commissioners.

Please find a list confirming the loan status of the applicants with the Board.

## 1. Nominee for the Position of the Director General of the National Intelligence Service

S/NO	NAME	ID NO.	STATUS	YEAR OF CLEARANCE
1	Maj. Gen. Philip Wachira Kameru	0403059	Non Beneficiary	N/A

## 2. Nominees for the Positions of Ambassadors & High Commissioners

### New Appointees

S/NO	NAME	ID NO.	STATUS	YEAR OF CLEARANCE
1	Amb. Prof. Sam Ongeri	4831549	Non Beneficiary	N/A
2	Amb. Chirau Ali Mwakwere	1870113	Non-Beneficiary	N/A
3	Hon. Robinson Githae	4826738	Cleared Cert No 29411	Aug. 2011
4	Hon. Kiema Kilonzo	9146003	Non-Beneficiary	N/A



5	Mr. Richard Opembe	6425145	Non-Beneficiary	N/A
6	Mr. Mohammad Mohammed	0039325	Non-Beneficiary	N/A
7	Ms. Lucy Chelimo	20904459	Cleared Cert No 43629	Jan/2013
8	Dr. Geroqe Masafu	0995809	Cleared Cert No 73181	Aug. 2014
9	Prof. Julius Bitok	13208910	Cleared Cert No 22084	Oct. 2010
10	Mr. Joseph Magut	10747846	Cleared Cert No 9665	Aug. 2006
11	Mr. Isaac Njenga	11674611	Currently repaying	N/A
12	Mr. Sheikh Dor	2263416	Non- Beneficiary	N/A
13	Ms. Sophie Kadzo Kombo	10830849	Non- Beneficiary	N/A
14	Maj. Gen (Rtd) Jeoff Otieno	4830643	Cleared Cert No 73346	July 2010
15	Dr. Stephen Ndungu Karau	4875499	Cleared Cert No 73385	Feb. 2000
16	Ms. Rukia Subow	0037954	Non-Beneficiary	N/A

#### Other Ambassadors in Missions

S/No	NOMINEE	ID	STATUS	YR OF CLEARANCE
17	Amb. Mohamed Gello	3017562	Cleared Cert No 45503	Feb. 2013
18	Amb. Jean Kamau	3962854	Cleared Cert No 30967	Oct. 2011
19	Amb. Josephat Maikara	9148209	Non-Beneficiary	N/A

#### Ambassadors in Headquarters

S/No	NOMINEE	ID	STATUS	YR OF CLEARANCE
20	Amb. Lazarus Ombayi Amayo	7337721	Non-Beneficiary	N/A
21	Amb. John Lanyasunya	4436800	Cleared Cert No 45150	Feb.2013
22	Amb. Solomon Karanja Maina	0967507	Non-Beneficiary	N/A
23	Amb. Ali Abbas	4828280	Cleared Cert No 44965	Feb.2013

#### Newly Appointed Diplomat.

S/NO	NAME	ID NO.	STATUS	YEAR OF CLEARANCE
24	Mr. Richard Lemoshira	6425145	Non-Beneficiary	N/A

We kindly request you to encourage the applicants to seek their clearance and compliance certificates from HELB as part of testimonials and conformity to Chapter Six of the Constitution of Kenya.

We wish to thank you most sincerely for allowing us to provide you this information as this kind of collaboration goes a long way in assisting HELB finance needy Kenyans pursuing higher education now and in the future.

Yours *sincerely,*



CHARLES M. RINGERA  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER & BOARD SECRETARY



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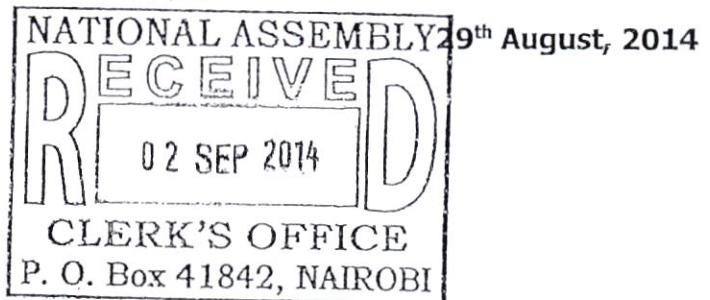
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Justin N. Bundi, CBS  
Clerk of the National Assembly  
P. O. Box 41842 - 00100  
**NAIROBI**

Dear Sir,



### VETTING OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE, AMBASSADORS AND HIGH COMMISSIONERS

Reference is made to your letter Ref. NA/DC.C/DFR/2014/ (56) dated 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 on the above matter.

1. Nominee for the Position of the Director General of the National Intelligence Service

We confirm we have no outstanding issues or ongoing investigation against the nominee for the position of Director General, National Intelligence Service, whose details are as given below.

S/No	Nominee	Position	
	Maj. Gen. Philip Wachira Kameru	Director General of the National Intelligence Service	

2. Nominees for the Positions of Ambassadors & High Commissioners

We also confirm that we have not outstanding issues or ongoing investigations against the nominees for the positions of Ambassadors and High Commissioners whose details are given below

S/No	Nominee	Mission	
1.	Mr. Richard Opembe	Dublin, Ireland	
2.	Mr. Mohammud Mohamed	Riyadh, Saudi Arabia	
3.	Ms. Lucy Chelimo	Ottawa, Canada	
4.	Dr. George Masafu	Kinshasa, DRC	
5.	Prof. Julius Bitok	Khartoum, Sudan	

S/No	Nominee	Mission	
6.	Mr. Joseph Magut	Berlin, Germany	
7.	Mr. Isaac NJenga	Windhoek, Namibia	
8.	Mr. Sheikh Dor	Muscat, Oman	
9.	Ms. Sophie Kadzo Kombo	Lusaka, Zambia	
10.	Maj. General (Rtd) Jeoff Otieno	Cairo, Egypt	
11.	Dr. Stephen Ndungu Karau	Geneva, Switzerland	
12.	Ms. Rukia Subow	Tehran, Iran	

However, we confirm that we have matters in which **Amb. Prof. Sam Ogeri, Amb. Chirau Ali Makwere, Hon Robinson Githae and Hon Kiema Kilonzo** are adversely mentioned.

Though the Commission is yet to finalize its investigations in to the allegations, preliminary findings are that the candidates are not likely to be found culpable.

We further confirm that we have no outstanding matters or ongoing investigations against nominees for the positions of other Ambassadors to Missions, Ambassadors in Headquarters and the newly appointed diplomat to Harare, Zimbabwe, Mr. Richard Lemoshira.

#### Other Ambassadors in Missions

S/No	Nominee	Mission	
13.	Amb. Mohamed Gello	Seoul, Korea	
14.	Amb. Jean Kamau	Bangkok, Thailand	
15.	Amb. Josephat Maikara	Luanda, Angola	

#### Ambassadors in Headquarters

S/No	Nominee	Mission	
16.	Amb. Lazarus Ombayi Amayo	London, United Kingdom	
17.	Amb. John Lanyasunya	Algiers, Algeria	
18.	Amb. Solomon Karanja Maina	Tokyo, Japan	
19.	Amb. Ali Abbas	Kuwait City, Kuwait	

#### Newly Appointed Diplomat

S/No	Nominee	Mission	
20.	Mr. Richard Lemoshira	Harare, Zimbabwe	

Please note that absence of records in our database is not a guarantee of absolute integrity of the nominees.

Yours faithfully,

  
**Michael K. Mubea**  
 Deputy Secretary/CEO – Technical Services  
 For: Secretary/Chief Executive Officer

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2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2014



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The Clerk  
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## VETTING OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT AS DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE, AMBASSADORS AND HIGH COMMISSIONERS

Your letter Ref. NA/DC.C/DFR/2014/ (57) dated 26th August, 2014 and our letter Ref: CDT/MST/HQ/68 dated 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 on Clearance of Candidates for the appointment as Director General for the National Intelligence Service, Ambassadors and High Commissioners refers.

Attached is an additional list of tax compliant applicants.

The applicants not appearing on the list should be referred to KRA offices.

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**New Appointees**

NO	NAME OF APPLICANT	PIN NO	STATUS
1	Dr. Karau Stephen Ndungu	A000104701Q	Compliant
2	Yakub Mohamed Dor Mohammed	A001102275C	Compliant

**Ambassadors in Headquarters**

NO	NAME OF APPLICANT	PIN NO	STATUS
3	Amayo Lazarus Ombayi	A000097510E	Compliant
4	Mohamed Abdi Gello	A003817878T	Compliant

**Newly Appointed Diplomat**

NO	NAME OF APPLICANT	PIN NO	STATUS
5	Lemoshira Richard Moi	A003283968B	Compliant

APPENDIX (3) – MEMORANDA RECEIVED

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

IN THE MATTER OF: SECTION 6 OF THE PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS (PARLIAMENTARY APPROVAL) ACT, 2011

IN THE MATTER OF: THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE ACT

AND

IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NOMINATION, VETTING AND APPOINTMENT OF MAJOR-GENERAL PHILIP WACHIRA KAMERU AS DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE

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CLERK'S OFFICE  
P. O. Box 41842, NAIROBI

WRITTEN MEMORANDA

I, MAJOR (RTD) STANLEY MUGAI KIAMA of Post Office Box 58037-00200 Nairobi in the Republic of Kenya doth hereby MAKE OATH an DECLARE as follows:-

1. THAT I am the Secretary General of the Kenya Veterans Association and I have full authority for make this Declaration on my behalf and on behalf of our Members.
2. THAT I take this opportunity to congratulate His Excellency the President and Commander-in-Chief of the Kenya Defence Forces for his wisdom in nominating MAJOR-GENERAL PHILIP WACHIRA KAMERU to the position of DIRECTOR GENERAL, NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE.
3. THAT indeed there could never have been a better choice for this crucial office that is the very heart and soul of our National Security.
4. THAT I have personally known the nominee since the year 1979 when both of us were young Cadet Officers at the Internationally acclaimed KDF ACADEMY, LANET and later when we worked in the Military Intelligence Corps of the KDF then Kenya Armed Forces which I served with equal distinction for a total of 7 years between 1982-1988.
5. THAT there is no doubt that the nominee is a man of impeccable integrity, well educated, disciplined, patriotic, a loyal and people person and above all, a very honest

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man who can be relied upon to produce fair, correct and uncompromised intelligence reports to **ALL** his clients.

6. **THAT** we, the Kenya Veterans Association, have previously appeared before this Committee following the shocking and daring Westgate Mall Terrorists Attack which occurred on 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2013 where in our presentation, we highlighted the lack of Co-operation between the various National Agencies and consequently recommended among others, the establishment of a National Inter-Agency Command Centre manned by personnel from the various Security Agencies.
7. **THAT** in our oral presentation to this Committee, we expressed our concern at the obvious shortcomings of the intelligence process of gathering analysis and dissemination that led to that unfortunate "Surprise" terror attack right in the heart of our nation's Capital City.
8. **THAT** it was clear that the problem of Intelligence squarely lay in the area of ANALYSIS and DISSEMINATION where the consumers of intelligence were receiving raw, unprocessed and unanalyzed GENERAL INFORMATION which was not actionable.
9. **THAT** I am aware that the outgoing Director General and his predecessor had minimal training and experience in the field of intelligence where an Officer's Career in intelligence is sharpened through collection, analysis and dissemination with the consumer receiving timely, reliable and actionable intelligence which can be acted upon promptly.
10. **THAT** we are confident that the nominee once approved by this Honourable House and confirmed to the Office of Director General, an immediate change will be visible and our country will be secured from both the external and internal threats since intelligence consumers will be assured of reliable and actionable intelligence from the NIS.
11. **THAT** as we wholeheartedly recommend the appointment of MAJOR-GENERAL PHILIP KAMERU, we also hereby urge this August House to consider appointing Military retirees to other relevant positions in the service of the Government of the Republic of Kenya. Indeed due to the exigencies of Military service and the requirement of top physical fitness, Military Personnel are retired from active service earlier than their Counter Parts in the Civil Service in order to pave way for younger personnel. These retired personnel though no longer fit for active military service are nevertheless fit and available for other non-combat military and security related duties which would go a long way in enhancing National Security.

12. THAT sometime last year, a Military Veterans Bill was introduced in the House. It would appear that the same has for some unknown reasons been shelved. We shall appreciate it if this Committee assumes ownership of the Bill and ensures that the same is debated and passed with or without amendments for common good.

13. THAT what is deponed to herein above is within my knowledge and is true.

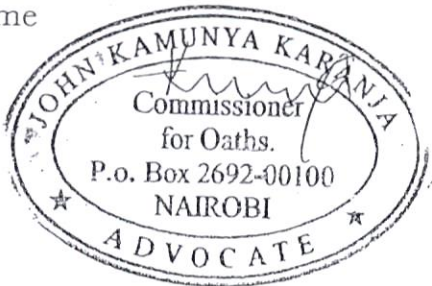
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this.....<sup>18</sup>..... day of September..... 2014

*Stanley Muigai Kiama*  
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DEPONENT

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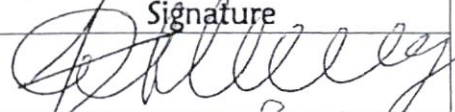
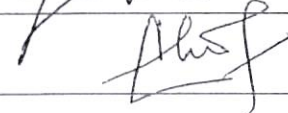
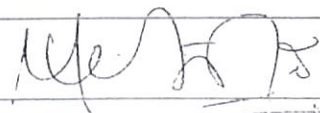

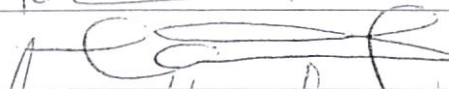


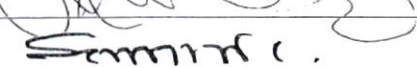



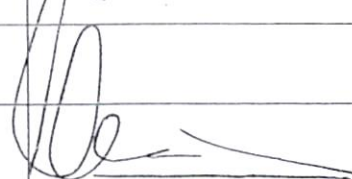
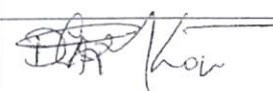

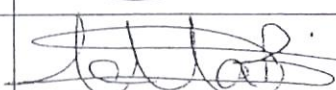
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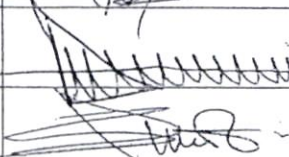
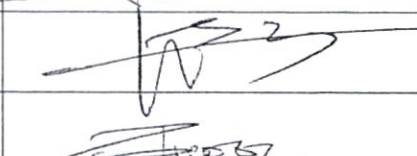
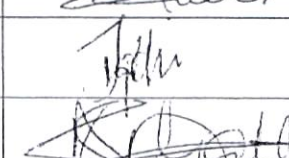

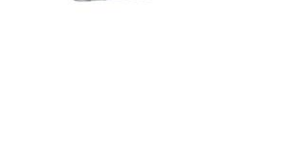



## ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – SECOND SESSION

Attendance for the meeting held on – ..... 09/09 ..... 2014

3:30 PM (AFTERNOON)

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON VETTING OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL AND AMBASSADOR

	Member	Signature
1.	Hon. Ndungu Gethenji, M.P. - Chairperson	
2.	Hon. Elias Bare Shill, M.P. - Vice Chairperson	
3.	Hon. Adan Keynan, CBS, M.P.	
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