

## **REPUBLIC OF KENYA** THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND PLANNING

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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## THE FISCAL BUDGET FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2022/2023

In pursuit of openness and accountability in financial matters as spelt out in Article 201 of the Constitution, the National Treasury hereby invites Government Departments and Agencies, the private sector, non-governmental organizations and individuals to submit proposals on economic policy measures. The proposals will be considered by the Cabinet Secretary National Treasury and Planning in preparation of the National Fiscal Budget for the Financial Year 2022/23.

The proposals should resonate with the Economic Recovery Strategy which aims at supporting sustainable economic recovery and inclusive growth during this period of COVID-19. In addition, the proposals may include measures on regulatory reforms, revenue administration reforms, and any other measures that may enhance macroeconomic stability and implementation of programs and projects under the Government's Economic Recovery Strategy that aims to reposition the economy on an inclusive and sustainable growth trajectory. The proposals should resonate with the "Building Back Better" theme. The submissions should be specific on the proposed amendment to the law, supported by a statement on the issue to be addressed and a clear justification for the proposed amendment.

Cognizant that year 2022 is an election year, there is need to fast-track the National Fiscal Budget process to ensure smooth government operations. It is therefore imperative that the process of preparing the Finance Bill, 2022 begins early enough to ensure that the Finance Act, 2022 is enacted before Parliament breaks in preparation for the General Elections. In this regard, the preparation of the Finance

Bill, 2022 will commence in August, 2021. Completion and submission of the Bill to the National Assembly will be in January 2022.

In order to facilitate timely consultations and adequate consideration, your proposals may be forwarded in writing to the undersigned or through the email *[budgetproposals@treasury.go.ke]* not later than **30<sup>th</sup> August, 2021.** 

## HON. (AMB.) UKUR YATANI CABINET SECRETARY/ THE NATIONAL TREASURY & PLANNING

9<sup>th</sup> July, 2021