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PETITION

TO THE HONOURABLE HOUSE MEMBERS, GARISSA COUNTY ASSEMBLY.

The petition of the undersigned residents of Garissa County.

1) Lack of Public participation

Despite being an act of parliament and enshrined in the constitution of the Republic of Kenya, there is lack of public participation in key decisions that directly or indirectly touches or impacts the lives of the people of Garissa county.

The ACT of Parliament provides a general framework for effective public participation; to give effect to the constitutional principles of democracy and participation of the people under Articles 1(2), 10(2), 35,

69(1)(d), 118, 174(c) and (d), 184(1)(c), 196, 201(a) and 232(1)(d) of the Constitution; and for connected purposes.

2) Rampant corruption and lack of transparency and accountability in the county and the deliberate disregard by the administration not to address and curb the menace. These will have adverse negative effects on the people since wanton misappropriation of public funds slows or impedes growth and development. This petition is intended to draw the attention of the honorable members about the gross misappropriation of funds and rampant corruption at the county government of Garissa.

3) Inappropriate and brazen employment.

It's a confirmed report that nearly the entire county work force were recruited in to offices by blatantly violating the recruitment and laid down rules guarding the procedure as stipulated in the constitution. Most staffs including some senior ones are known to be holders of fake or unauthenticated or not genuine academic papers. It's our strong believe that these papers were used to secure county jobs.

Whereupon the undersigned, humbly pray and call upon the county assembly to promote, facilitate and prioritize public participation of all the key decisions undertaken by the county government and also investigate and probe about the gross misappropriation of funds and rampant corruption at the county government of Garissa.

Public participation is vital and the views of the people is used as the basis over which issues of priority is identified and addressed.

Therefore, this petition seeks to guide and advance and facilitate and agitate for public participation in governance processes and in particular to- give effect to the principles of public participation as provided in the constitution of the Republic of Kenya.

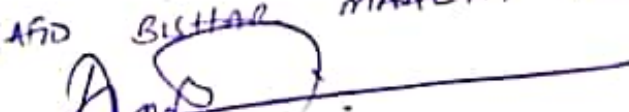
Promote democracy and participation of the people in accordance with Article 10 of the Constitution;

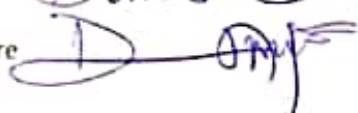
Promote transparency and accountability in decision making; enhance public awareness and understanding of governance processes; promote community ownership of public decisions; and promote public participation and collaboration.

The issue of inappropriate recruitment process and use of forged academic papers used to secure the jobs must be interrogated, probed and serious investigation be commenced to reach a logical conclusion and actions be taken against those found to have bent the law to satisfy their own selfish partisan interests.

And it is our prayer that the assembly will consider this petition with the seriousness and utmost respect deserved.

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