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Press Release

MUDA VADI ON OFFICIAL VISIT TO UNITED KINGDOM

Kenya's Prime Cabinet Secretary, H.E. Hon. Dr Musalia Mudavadi, EGH., will make a three-day official visit to the United Kingdom beginning Sunday September 10, 2023.

The visit comes on the back of a visit to Kenya by United Kingdom's Minister of State in the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, the Rt. Hon. Andrew Mitchell to co-launch the Ksh28bn **Nairobi Railway City project, with Mudavadi.**¹

The iconic climate-resilient urban development project is the first one of its kind in Africa and will provide seamless integration to the city's transport nodes through an expanded Central Station, new bus rapid transit (BRT) lines and stations as well as a revamped matatu termini that will allow the city's residents clear transit pathways in and out of the CBD

In London, the highlights of the Prime Cabinet Secretary's official visit will include;

1. **Meeting with Oxford Management Policy (OPM)** at the Kenya High Commission to receive a **Report** on "*Rapid Thicker Diagnostic for Kenya*". OPM assists low- and middle-income countries achieve growth and reduce poverty through public policy reform.
2. **Meeting Boston Consulting Group (BCG) partners** at the Kenya High Commission to discuss partnerships in business strategy, empowering organizations to grow, build sustainable competitive advantage, and drive positive societal impact. BCG is the lead implementing partner for **FCDO's Growth Gateway programme which facilitates two-way trade and investment between the UK and Low Middle Income Countries**, and Kenya is one of the six priority countries for this programme.
3. **Meeting with Huw Merriman, MP & Minister of State (Rail & HS2)** for a reaffirmation of Her Majesty's Government (HMG) and GOK's joint commitment to partnering on Nairobi Railway City (NRC)
4. **Meeting with Network Rail Chair- Lord Peter Hendy.**

And visits to the London Bridge and Kings Cross Station.

The Prime Cabinet Secretary is accompanied by among others, the Principal Secretary for Transport, Kenya Railways Chairman and Managing Director. From his office are the Secretary, Government Programmes and Projects Delivery, the Head of Government Delivery Services and the Policy and Strategy Advisor.

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¹ <https://www.businessdailyafrica.com/bd/opinion-analysis/columnists/how-the-nairobi-railway-city-project-will-lift-transport--4306744>