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NGCS Newsletter

Coordinating National Government Operations

1ST COMMITTEE MEETING OF 2024

NDIC Updates

The Prime Cabinet Secretary and Cabinet Secretary for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs H.E Dr. Musalia Mudavadi chaired the first National Development Implementation Committee (NDIC) meeting of 2024 at the Kenya Railways Headquarters in Nairobi where the government deliberated on service delivery to Kenyans. The high-level meeting that was attended by 41 Principal Secretaries saw the PSs discuss the National Government Coordination Secretariat (NGCS) report on its achievements, Summary of Projects and Programmes escalated from the Government Delivery Services Regions, the Summary of Findings for Projects, Programmes and Monitoring Across the Regions.

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NGAO meets NGCS

MEETING HOSTED BY PRIME CABINET SECRETARY

National Government Coordination Secretariat (NGCS) held a crucial meeting with Regional Commissioners where they agreed to collaborate in coordination of National Government Operations.

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HIGH LEVEL NDIC MEETING CHAIRED BY PRIME CABINET SECRETARY, H.E Dr. MUSALIA MUDAVADI



National Development Implementation Committee(NDIC) meeting in progress. cont. Pg 5.



RC's Meet PCS

NGCS AND RC'S RESOLVED TO COLLABORATE FOR BETTER DELIVERY OF SERVICES TO KENYANS



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The meeting, which was chaired by Prime Cabinet Secretary H.E Dr. Musalia Mudavadi was attended by eight Regional Commissioners, who were led by Principal Secretary, Interior and National Administration, Dr Raymond Omollo, Dr. Omollo. Dr. Omollo, Principal Secretary, Parliamentary Affairs, CPA Aurealia Rono and Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary (OPCS) Chief of Staff, Mr. Joseph Busiega co-chaired the meeting.

The meeting resolved that NGCS and NGAO will embark on quarterly accountability programmes and subsequently take stock of representation of MDAs in all regions. They affirmed that that NGAO and NGCS will work together to improve the project BETA tool rather than create a parallel process.

As a result, NGCS will consider facilitation of NGAO officers with digital tablets for BETA project as this will be a key source of information for the National Government Dashboard. NGCS noted that they will openly communicate and engage NGAO to leverage on their training and experience in coordination and monitoring government projects, programmes and policies.

The RCs who attended the meeting were Samson Macharia (Western), John Otieno (North Eastern), Flora Mworira (Nyanza), Paul Rotich (Eastern), Rhoda Onyancha (Coast), F.H Shisia (Central), Katee Mwanza (Nairobi) and Abdi Hassan (Rift Valley). Also present from Interior were Beverly Opwora (Secretary, National Administration), Jacob Narengo (Secretary, Internal Security) Liyayi Magotsi (Senior Deputy Secretary), Mohammed Barre (Secretary Peace Building) among others. NGCS was represented the Team Lead Anne Olubendi among other senior officers from OPCS and State Department of Parliamentary Affairs.

PICTORIAL

DEVELOPMENT OF RC'S VISIT REPORT, COORDINATION GUIDELINES AND PRIORITY LIST OF PROJECTS, PROGRAMMES & POLICIES



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PICTORIAL

NGCS FACT FINDING VISITS TO REGIONS & MEETING WITH RC'S IN THEIR RESPECTIVE REGIONAL OFFICES COUNTRYWIDE



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NDIC Update

HIGH LEVEL MEETING IS CHAIRED BY PRIME CABINET SECRETARY H.E DR. MUDAVADI



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the meeting also received presentation on Analysis of Prioritised Areas of Government Business Requiring Re-Organization and Streamlining Across Ministries Departments and Agencies, Government Legislative Agenda, Digital Legal Resources, Solutions for Circulars and Duplication of State Agency Mandates; Memoranda of Understanding (MOUs) in respective Ministries and Status of Budget making process, requirements and compliance.

NDIC is a high-level Committee, Chaired by H.E., Dr. Musalia Mudavadi with Head of Public Service, Mr. Felix Kosgei as the Vice-Chairman and Convenor. All Principal Secretaries are members. This was the first 2024 meeting and the second since last year. Executive Order Number 2 established the Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary as the focal point for Coordination of National Government operations, with the National Government Coordination Secretariat (NGCS) having the overarching mandate of Coordination and Oversight.

The PSs also directed NGCS to finalise the draft guidelines for a framework of coordination, oversight, supervision and management as well as a list of priority programmes, projects and policies for monitoring on the National Government Dashboard.

NDIC directed that State Agencies are required to rationalise their budgets by 30%. All commercial State Corporations were also told to commit 80% of profit after tax for payment of dividends, leaving 20% retained earnings.

All regulatory authorities should remit 90% of surplus funds of the last audited accounts as provided for in law. Subsequently, the PSs resolved that all monies generated or received in excess of the recurrent revenue budget should not be utilised without the approval of The National Treasury.

NDIC resolved to work closely with the National Government Administration Officers (NGAO) in coordinating National Government programmes, projects and policies.



Awards

NGCS CELEBRATES OUR VERY OWN DIRECTOR MATHEW NYAMWANGE, OGW, FOR WINNING 40UNDER40 AFRICA AWARD



National Government Coordination Secretariat (NGCS) Director, Mathew Nyamwange, OGW receives the Forty under 40 Africa Award after winning the Governance category.


Mr. Nyamwange was awarded for his exemplary dedication and exceptional service to the Republic of Kenya as a distinguished Delivery Expert 40Under40.



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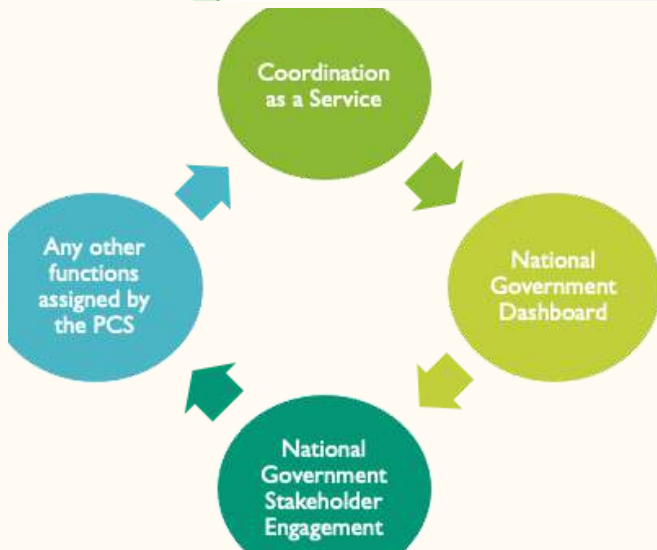
NATIONAL GOVERNMENT COORDINATION SECRETARIAT (NGCS) IS THE TECHNICAL COORDINATION ARM OF THE OFFICE OF THE PRIME CABINET SECRETARY.

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The Executive Order has established and placed under the Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary 5 agencies – “The Coordination Organs” enable execution of the mandate under the overarching role of Coordination of Government are as follows:

- 1) **The National Government Co-ordination Secretariat (NGCS)**
- 2) The Steering Committee on the Government Legislative Agenda and Parliamentary Liaison
- 3) The National Development Implementation Committee (NDIC)
- 4) The National Government Development – Regional Management Implementation Oversight Committees
- 5) The National Government Development – County Management Implementation Oversight Committees



Functions

Relationship Matrix

