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THE DIVISION OF REVENUE ACT No. 16 of 2017

Date of Assent: 21st June, 2017
Date of Commencement: 7th July, 2017

ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS

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EQUITABLE SHARE OF REVENUE RAISED NATIONALLY BETWEEN THE NATIONAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2017/18.

THE DIVISION OF REVENUE ACT, 2017

AN ACT of Parliament to provide for the equitable division of revenue raised nationally between the national and county governments in 2017/18 financial year, and for connected purposes

ENACTED by Parliament of Kenya, as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Division of Revenue Act, 2017.

Short title.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires—

Interpretation

"Cabinet Secretary" means the Cabinet Secretary for the time being responsible for matters relating to finance;

"revenue" has the meaning assigned to it under section 2 of the Commission on Revenue Allocation Act, 2011;

No. 16 of 2011.

3. The object and purpose of this Act is to provide for the equitable division of revenue raised nationally between the national and county levels of government for the financial year 2017/18 in accordance with Article 203 (2) of the Constitution.

Object and purpose of the Act

4. Revenue raised by the national government in respect of the financial year 2017/18 shall be divided among the national and county governments as set out in the Schedule to this Act.

Allocations to national and county governments.

5. (1) If the actual revenue raised nationally in the financial year falls short of the expected revenue set out in the Schedule, the shortfall shall be borne by the national government, to the extent of the threshold prescribed in Regulations by the Cabinet Secretary.

Variation in revenue.

(2) If the actual revenue raised nationally in the financial year exceeds the projected revenues set out in the Schedule, the excess revenue shall accrue to the national government, and may be used to reduce borrowing or pay debts.

SCHEDULE

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ALLOCATION OF REVENUE RAISED NATIONALLY BETWEEN THE NATIONAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2017/18

Type/Level of allocation	Amount in KSh.	Percentage (%) of 2013/14 audited and approved Revenue i.e. KSh. 935,653 Million
A. Total Shareable Revenue (B+C+D)	1,560,275,840,000	
B. National Government*	1,238,343,840,000	
C. Equalization Fund	7,727,000,000	
D. County Government (1+2)	314,205,000,000	33.58%
1. County Equitable Share	302,000,000,000	32.28%
2. Conditional Allocations	12,205,000,000	
2.1 Leasing of Medical		
Equipment	4,500,000,000	
2.2 Compensation for User		
Forgone	900,000,000	
2.3 Level 5 hospitals	4,200,000,000	
2.4 Construction of County		
Headquarters	605,000,000	
2.5 Rehabilitation of Youth		
Polytechnics	2,000,000,000	
E. Additional County		
Conditional Allocations (not		
part of sharable revenue)	31,476,018,499	
3. Allocation from fuel levy		
(15%)	11,068,192,369	
4. Conditional Allocations		
(loans & grants)	20,407,826,130	
F. Total County Allocations (D+E)	345,681,018,499	36.95%

Source: National Treasury/ House Resolution on Budget & Appropriation Committee Report of the Budget Policy Statement 2017

^{*}The National Government Share includes KSh. 3,400 million which is a special grant to the National Health Insurance Fund (NHIF) for free maternal health care, to be disbursed as re-imbursements.