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THE INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION ACT

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NOTIFICATION OF IMPENDING VACANCIES

WHEREAS, the tenure of the Chairperson and two Members of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission is set to lapse on 17th January, 2023, having been appointed on the 18th January, 2017, *vide* Gazette Notices 399 and 400 of 2017;

WHEREAS, paragraph 1 (1) of the First Schedule of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission Act requires that at least six (6) months before the lapse of the term of the Chairperson or Member of the Commission, the President shall appoint a Selection Panel consisting of seven (7) persons for purposes of appointment of the Chairperson or Member of the Commission; and

WHEREAS, vacancies will arise in the positions of the Chairperson and two members of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission on the 17th January, 2023,

NOW therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 7A (2) of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission Act as read with Paragraph 1 (1) of the First Schedule of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission Act, I, William Samoei Ruto, President of the Republic of Kenya and Commander-in-Chief of the Defence Forces, notify of impending vacancies in the positions of:

- (i) Chairperson; and
- (ii) Two Members

of the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission on the 17th January, 2023.

Dated the 21st October, 2022.

WILLIAM SAMOEI RUTO,

President.