e-PASSPORT

This is to notify Kenyans in the Nordics that the Government of the Republic of Kenya through the Department of Immigration (Kenya) started issuing e-Passports with effect from **1st September, 2017**. Holders of valid current passports will be allowed to use them up to and including **31st August, 2019** after which they will be rendered invalid. Kindly, note the following:-

1. Applicants for e-passports are required to submit their applications on e-citizen platform at www.ecitizen.go.ke. Consequently, they are required to present themselves in person for biometrics data capture at the Immigration Head Office, Nyayo House- Nairobi;

2. Plans are ongoing with a view to launching the e-passport processing system in designated Kenyan missions abroad, including the biometric equipment. The system will be programmed in a manner as to conform with local enabling tools such as telephone numbers and payment modalities; and

3. In the meantime, applicants are advised to continue applying for passports as before until the new system is installed and launched in designated Kenyan Missions around the world.

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