

## TWELFTH PARLIAMENT - (FIFTH SESSION) THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

## **COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR**

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## ADDRESS BY HER EXCELLENCY THE HON. SAMIA SULUHU HASSAN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA

## Honourable Members,

The Speakers of the Houses of Parliament have received a request from the Office of the President to allow Her Excellency, Hon. Samia Suluhu Hassan, President of the United Republic of Tanzania to address a Joint Sitting of the Houses of Parliament on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> May 2021. Her Excellency President Samia Suluhu Hassan is in the Country for a two-day State Visit.

Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of the National Assembly Standing Order 25, I wish to inform the House that following consultations, the Speaker of the Senate and I, have acceded to the request for a Joint Sitting. In this respect, I wish to invite all Hon. Members of the National Assembly to a Joint Sitting of the Houses of Parliament which will be held on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2021 in the National Assembly Chamber, Main Parliament Buildings at 2.30 pm, for purposes of an Address by Her Excellency the President.

In line with the Ministry of Health guidelines on COVID-19, the total available seats for occupancy in the Chamber will be one hundred and twelve (112), whereby twenty four (24) have been allocated to Members of the Senate while eighty eight (88) will be occupied by Members of the National Assembly, on a first-come basis save for seats reserved for House Leadership. In this regard, Honourable Members shall be duly informed of the sitting arrangements.

Further, all Members are hereby advised to remove all their motor vehicles from the parking at the courtyard 'commonly referred to as the Minister's parking' by the end of the day today.

**Honourable Members,** as we are aware, as per the Calendar of the House, the House is not scheduled to sit for the ordinary sittings on Wednesday, May 05, 2012, therefore, the National Assembly will adjourn immediately after the Address by Her Excellency, President Samia Suluhu Hassan.

I thank you!

THE HON. JUSTIN B.N. MUTURI, EGH, MP SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY Tuesday, May 4, 2021