

# Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission



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### **SUBJECT: Statements on Election Malpractices**

The Commission is concerned about statements on election malpractices in the country. Such utterances are unacceptable and reckless in a democratic society such as ours, and IEBC urges all Kenyans to ignore or disassociate with them.

While IEBC will constitute the Electoral Code of Conduct Enforcement Committee as prescribed under Article 84 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, read together with Section 110 of the Elections Act, the Committee has jurisdiction only during the election period in accordance with judgment of Hon. Sabina Chege Supreme Court petition No. 23 (E026) of 2022. It should be noted that the IEBC has not declared any elections. Further, there is no gazettelement or declaration that has been made to warrant such desirous political utterances and propaganda. The country is not on a campaign period at the moment.

IEBC is now fully constituted and will engage with stakeholders including the political parties and leaders to discuss means and ways of restoring trust and confidence in our electoral processes and outcomes.

The Commission urges all stakeholders particularly those in the political arena to refrain from acts including speeches likely to erode trust and confidence in our electoral processes, and instead work with us to reinforce and strengthen that trust and confidence.

IEBC assures members of the public and stakeholders that it shall safeguard its independence and impartiality while discharging its constitutional mandate and its functions as well as remain committed to ensuring free, fair and credible elections in accordance with the laws of Kenya and best practices. Further, the Commission remains steadfast in its commitment to strengthening Kenya's democracy.

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