

# **UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI**

## **INTERNAL MEMO**

**FROM: ACADEMIC REGISTRAR**

**DATE: 12/2/2021**

**TO: STAFF AND STUDENTS**

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### **ELECTRONIC ELECTION OF DEAN – SCHOOL OF LAW**

The Electronic Election of the Dean School of Law is set to be held on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2021. The following were nominated for the elections:

Prof. Winifred Kamau  
Prof Bernard Sihanya

There are two candidates in the contest for the post of Dean.

(a) **PROF. WINFRED KAMAU**

Proposed by	-	Prof. Albert Mumma - Professor
Seconded by	-	Dr. Nancy Baraza - Senior Lecturer
	-	Dr. Muthomi Thiankolu – Lecturer

(b) **PROF. BERNARD SIHANYA**

Proposed by	-	Dr. Wamuti Ndegwa - Lecturer
Seconded by	-	Dr. Jackson Bett - Senior Lecturer
	-	Dr. Florence S. Jaoko - Lecturer

The two candidates have been properly nominated and in accordance with the relevant statute, are qualified to contest for the position of Dean.

The Electoral Commission and ICT Team held a meeting on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2021 at 10.00 a.m to brief the Candidates and Agents on the electoral process.

There was a follow up meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021 of the Candidates, their Agents and the Retuning Officer to resolve the dispute on nomination and verification of the nomination documents. The meeting finally resolved the matter and agreed that the elections for Dean will proceed.

(i) **Verification of the Voters Register**

**Voters Register**

Verification of the Voters Register would officially commence on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021 from 8.00 a.m and end on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2021 4.00 p.m and submitted to the Academic Register. The final Voters Register will be circulated on 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021.

The Dean and Chairmen of Departments are requested to facilitate the verification process as per Statute XIX. All the candidates will be required to submit written approvals for the verified Voters Register to be used for election purposes.

(ii) **Mock Election**

To be held on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2021 between 8.00 to 4.00 p.m.

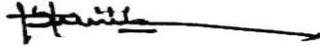
(iii) **Voting on the Election Day**

Voting will begin at 8.00 a.m to 4.00 p.m on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2021

(iv) **Announcement of Results**

The Dean shall convene a virtual School Board meeting at 4.30 p,m on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2021 for announcement of the results.

Please find Procedure for Virtual Election of Deans which was approved by the University Senate held on 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2020, information on persons qualified to vote and instructions on how to cast electronic vote for your ease of reference.



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