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Dear Mr. Speaker

**RE: GLOBAL ALLIANCE CONFERENCE FOR PARLIAMENTARIANS REPRESENTING PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

The Senate of the Parliament of Kenya, under the auspices of its Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare whose mandate among others, is to consider all matters related to persons with disabilities, intends to convene an international conference for Parliamentarians representing persons with disabilities from at least seventy-three (73) countries on **23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2015**.

The objective of the conference is to share country experiences, interrogate the institutional, policy and legislative frameworks in place *vis-à-vis* the challenges that persons with disabilities face. Among the expected outcome of the conference is consensus building on long-term policy and legislative interventions to address challenges facing persons with disabilities and also use the event as a platform to launch a Global Alliance for Parliamentarians with Disability.

In this regard, I wish to invite your parliament to send a maximum of four parliamentarians representing persons with disability. Please take note that delegates will be expected to cater for their travel and accommodation costs. We would be grateful to receive your feedback on confirmations as well as the list of persons that will participate, indicating their nature of disability if any, on or before 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2015 to enable us plan accordingly.

Please accept Honorable Speaker, the assurance of my highest regards and consideration.

Yours

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David Ekwee Ethuro', written over a horizontal line.

**SEN. DAVID EKWEE ETHURO, EGH, MP,  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE.**

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