



# MINISTRY OF INFORMATION, COMMUNICATIONS AND THE DIGITAL ECONOMY

## MEDIA COUNCIL ACT, 2013

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

**IN ACCORDANCE** with Section 27 of the Media Council Act, 2013 ["the Act"] the Cabinet Secretary for Information, Communications and the Digital Economy declares vacancies in the positions of Chairperson and Members of the Complaints Commission ["the Commission"]. Qualified candidates are requested to apply for the posts.

The mandate, procedures and functions of the Chairperson and Members are stipulated under Section 28 – 44 of the Act.

#### **A. VACANCIES FOR THE POSITION OF CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION**

Under Section 28 the Commission shall consist of:-

- (a) a chairperson, who shall be a person who holds or has held a judicial office in Kenya or who is an advocate of the High Court of Kenya of not less than ten years standing; and
- (b) six other persons with knowledge and experience in any one of the following areas—journalism; media policy and law; media regulation; business practice and finance; the performing arts or entertainment; advertising practice; or related social sciences.

#### **B. TERMS OF SERVICE**

The Members of the Commission shall hold office for a period of three (3) years and shall be eligible for re-appointment for another term subject to a maximum of two terms.

#### **C. HOW TO APPLY**

- (a) All applications (manual and online) should be accompanied by detailed curriculum vitae, copies of relevant academic and professional certificates, telephone number and email address.
- (b) A copy of the National Identity Card should be appended.
- (c) All applications should be clearly marked as follows for the relevant application—  
**for Chairperson:** Application for the position of Chairperson of the Complaints Commission;  
**for Member:** Application for the position of Member of the Complaints Commission and submitted in any of the following ways:
  - (i) Manual applications should be hand delivered to the General Registry of the Ministry on 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Telposta Towers, off Koinange Street.
  - (ii) Online applications should be emailed to [moictjobs@information.go.ke](mailto:moictjobs@information.go.ke)
  - (iii) Applications through the post office should be addressed to:

**Selection Panel for the Nomination of  
Chairperson and Member of the Complaints Commission  
Ministry of Information Communications and the Digital Economy  
Telposta Towers  
P.O Box 30025-00100  
NAIROBI**

#### **Note:**

- (i) The names of all applicants and the shortlisted candidates will be published under section 7(7) of the Act in the Kenya Gazette, newspaper and the website of the Ministry of Information, Communication and the Digital Economy --[www.ict.go.ke](http://www.ict.go.ke).
- (ii) Shortlisted applicants will be required to carry their original academic and professional documents for the interview and obtain clearance from the following bodies.
  - Kenya Revenue Authority
  - Higher Education Loans Board
  - Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission; and
  - Directorate of Criminal Investigation (certificate of good conduct)

All applications should be received before **5.00 pm** on **Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (East African Time)**.

This advertisement can also be obtained from the Ministry of Information, Communications and the Digital Economy website [www.ict.go.ke](http://www.ict.go.ke)

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