

## PRESS STATEMENT

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## THE LATE PRESIDENT MWAI KIBAKI STATE FUNERAL ACCREDITATION

The Media Council of Kenya will issue Special Media Passes to all journalists assigned to cover the State Funeral Service at Nyayo National Stadium on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022 and the Memorial Service at Othaya Stadium on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

Media houses sending teams are required to send names and national ID numbers of those assigned in excel format to: <a href="mailto:rmutiso@mediacouncil.or.ke">rmutiso@mediacouncil.or.ke</a> by 4pm, Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Please note that only MCK-Accredited journalists will get the special pass to be issued at no extra cost.

The maximum number of journalists and support staff to be issued with the passes is 20 per media outlet.

The Council will be in Nyeri on Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> April from 9am to issue cards including for Nyeri-based journalists.

Kindly note that those applying for cards will have to meet the MCK stipulated accreditation requirements before receiving their cards.

David Omwovo

Chief Executive Officer & Secretary to the Council