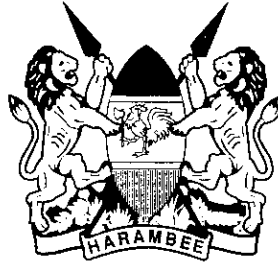


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The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kenya presents its compliments to all Diplomatic Missions, UN Agencies and International Organisations in Nairobi and has the honour to refer to multiple notices and correspondence regarding the Kenyan Ministry of Health protocols on Kenya's efforts to mitigate and manage life -threatening challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic and reiterate as follows:

The restrictions on social gatherings *including diplomatic events and gatherings*, remain a critical measure to curtail transmission of COVID-19 and **must** continue to be adhered, to **until further guidance is given**.

Diplomatic Missions are therefore urged to **strictly uphold** Kenyan Ministry of Health protocols; observe universally accepted basic safeguards and uphold the **abiding principal of duty of care**. All official engagements must therefore continue to be **held virtually**, except in exceptional circumstances.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kenya avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all Diplomatic Missions, UN Agencies and International Organisations the assurances of its highest consideration.

**Nairobi, 17<sup>th</sup> November 2020**

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