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The Kenya Anti-Corruption Commission will be handing over the Corruption Risk Assessment Report to the Mayor of the Municipal Council of Mombasa on Friday 23rd September 2005 at 10am in the Council Chambers.

For the past three months, The Kenya Anti-Corruption Commission has been carrying out an intense and elaborate Corruption Risk Assessment at the Municipal Council of Mombasa. The purpose of the assignment was to identify and to profile corruption risk areas and to make recommendations, to the Municipal Council and relevant Ministry, on how to seal the identified corruption loopholes.

Findings arising from the assessment suggest that there exist loopholes for corrupt practices in the operations of the Council. Corrupt practices were exhibited in all areas examined which include General Administration, Financial and Asset Management, Internal Audit, Procurement and Stores Management, Human Resources Management, Quality Control and Assurance and Records Management. The Commission in the report has made numerous recommendations to the Council to revise its procedures and methods of work in order to reduce the likelihood of occurrence of corrupt practices. Some of the recommendations emphasize the need to enforce existing regulations and policies while others propose the design of new guidelines and strategies. In addition there are recommendations for investigations and restitution.

As a key partner in the fight against corruption, you are hereby invited to attend the function and also provide coverage of the handing over function. Through concerted efforts, we shall achieve **Zero Tolerance to Corruption**.

Thank You

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