



Republic of Rwanda
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
and International Cooperation

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- **Hon. Adan Mohammed**
Cabinet Secretary
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NAIROBI, KENYA

- **Hon. Amb. Ezechiel NIBIGIRA**
Minister of East African Community Affairs
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- **Hon. Deng Alor Kuol**
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- **Hon. Prof. Palamagamba Kabudi**
Minister of Foreign Affairs and
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DODOMA, TANZANIA

- **Hon. Major General (Rtd) Kahinda Otafiire**
Minister of East African Affairs
KAMPALA, UGANDA

Honourable Minister,

RE: Endorsement of the candidate of the Republic of Kenya to the post of Director General of the World Trade Organization

Reference is made to the letter of His Excellency Paul Kagame, President of the Republic of Rwanda and Chairperson of the Summit of EAC Heads of State, addressed to his EAC counterparts and proposing that the East African Community endorses the

candidature of the Republic of Kenya to the post of Director General of the World Trade Organization through exchange of letters.

Reference is also made to the favorable responses received from all member states of the East African Community on the above request to support the candidature of the Republic of Kenya to the post of Director General of the World Trade Organization.

In this regard, I would like to inform you that Ambassador Amina C. Mohamed is endorsed as the candidate of the East African Community to the post of Director General of the World Trade Organization.

I take this opportunity to wish all the best to Ambassador Mohamed for the next rounds of selection as the candidate of the East African Community.

Please accept, Honourable Minister, the assurances of my highest consideration.

The image shows a handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to be 'Vincent Biruta', written over a circular official seal. The seal is blue and contains the text 'MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION' around the top and 'REPUBLIC OF KENYA' around the bottom. In the center of the seal is a shield with a sun, a tree, and a banner, flanked by two hands holding a branch.

Vincent BIRUTA

Minister and Chairperson of the EAC Council of Ministers

CC:

- Amb. Libérat MFUMUKEKO
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