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PRESS RELEASE

COMMUNAL CONFLICTS IN MARSABIT COUNTY

The Government expresses dismay and deep concern over protracted animosity between communities in Marsabit County which has led to the loss of lives, destruction of property, cattle rustling and rising tension in the area.

The National Police Service has since deployed a team of Multi-Agency team of highly specialized security officers led by the General Service Unit (GSU) with firm and uncompromising instructions to restore peace and order.

While we urge all peace loving Marsabit residents to collaborate and work alongside us, a stern warning goes to perpetrators of criminal activities perpetuating chaos in the County to either hand themselves in to the nearest Police Station or be prepared to face the wrath of the law. We shall not rest until the last criminal is apprehended.

We continue to encourage residents in Marsabit to embrace and explore peaceful diplomatic and lawful ways of conflict resolution and extend our support in finding ways and means of doing so.

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