

## REPUBLIC OF KENYA THE NATIONAL TREASURY & PLANNING

## PRESS STATEMENT

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## STATUS OF TRANSFERS TO COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

The National Treasury & Planning (NTP) wishes to confirm that an additional **KES 43.5 billion** was released to County Governments on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2021, thereby clearing dues up to April 2021.

Accordingly, the National Treasury & Planning will continue to call on individual County Governments to prioritise the payment of pending bills owed to suppliers alongside their statutory dues.

The payment of these pending bills will be closely monitored and future transfers weighed against the fulfilment of this important obligation to the private sector, so as to spur economic activity at the county level as part of our ongoing and inclusive Economic Recovery Programme.

As we forge ahead with an improved performance of the economy and particularly, revenue collection, the National Treasury & Planning will continue to prioritize and progressively clear dues for May 2021 and for June 2021.

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Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury & Planning

NAIROBI, 23rd June, 2021.