Section 4 (a) of the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013 provides that “The object of this Act is to provide a comprehensive regime for the making, scrutiny, publication and operation of statutory instruments by requiring regulation-making authorities to undertake appropriate consultation before making statutory instruments”. In addition Section 5 (3) of the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013 states that “without limiting by implication the form that consultations referred to in subsection (1) might take, the consultation shall-

a. involve notification, either directly or by advertisement, of bodies that, or of organizations representative of persons who, are likely to be affected by the proposed instrument; or

b. invite submissions to be made by a specified date or might invite participation in public hearings to be held concerning the proposed instrument”

The National Treasury has therefore finalized preparing the Public Finance Management (National Government Affirmative Action Fund) Regulations, 2016 which have been posted to the National Treasury website www.treasury.go.ke.

Pursuant to Sections 4 (a) and 5 (3) (a) and (b) of the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013, the National Treasury invites interested members of the public to submit any comments or inputs or memoranda they may have on the said Regulations. The comments or inputs or memoranda may be forwarded to the Principal Secretary, National Treasury, P.O. Box 30007 -00100, Nairobi; hand delivered to the Office
of the Principal Secretary, National Treasury Building, Nairobi; or emailed to ps@treasury.go.ke; to be received on before Friday 04\textsuperscript{th} March, 2016 at 5.00 pm.

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