

13TH JANUARY, 2020

TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION



MESSAGE FOLLOWING THE DEATH OF THREE TEACHERS IN A SUSPECTED TERRORIST ATTACK AT KAMUTHE PRIMARY SCHOOL, GARISSA COUNTY

The Teachers' Service Commission has learnt with great sadness the death of three teachers at Kamuthe Primary School, Fafi Subcounty, Garissa County through a heinous terrorist attack today (January 13, 2020) morning.

We strongly condemn this cowardly act which was targeted at unarmed teachers and learners.

On behalf of the Commission and the entire teaching fraternity, I wish to extend our condolences to the families, friends, pupils and colleagues of the three teachers. I also wish those injured during the attack quick recovery.

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The loss of the three teachers is not just a loss to the teaching profession but to the country as a whole as the three met their death while serving their country and fellow citizens. We celebrate the three brave young men who had chosen to serve their nation by teaching the learners of Kamuthe Primary School.

The Commission calls on all teachers to remain calm and continue serving the innocent children. I would like to assure them that the Commission is working with government security agencies to normalize the situation at the school and its environs.

Further, the Commission requests local communities to give teachers the necessary support towards provision of quality education to the Kenyan child.


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