



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

JUDICIARY



The Judiciary Bail and Bond Charter

PREAMBLE

The purpose of this Charter is to pledge our commitment to you on the administration of Bail and Bond.

1. We shall not remand you in custody for an offence punishable by a fine only or by imprisonment for a period less than 6 months.
2. We shall promptly grant you Bail on reasonable terms in accordance with the Constitution and the Bail and Bond Policy Guidelines.
3. Reason(s) shall be given where Bail is denied.
4. You have a right to apply for review of the Bail /Bond terms and/or appeal to a superior court.
5. Before granting or denying Bail, we shall consider the views of victim(s) and public interest.
6. We shall issue you with an official government receipt, for cash bail paid.
7. Where securities will be required for posting Bond, we shall give you guidance on the process.
8. We shall refund the full cash bail to the depositor and /or release the security(ies) to the surety within 14 days upon the conclusion of the case.
9. If you have any complaints please report to the Presiding Judge, head of station or the Office of the Judiciary Ombudsman.
10. Our Customer Service will provide you with any further information required.

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