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## **PRESS STATEMENT**

**MONROVIA, 8 August 2022, Monday**, the Chairperson of the National Elections Commission (NEC), Madam Davidetta Browne Lansanah, is in the Kenyan capital, Nairobi, ahead of that country's General Elections, slated for Tuesday, 9 August 2022.

At the invitation of the Association of African Election Authorities or (AAEA), Madam Browne Lansanah joined the 5-member team led by Rwanda, including Ghana, Sierra Leone, and Malawi on a solidarity mission to the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) of Kenya.

Since her arrival in Nairobi, on 7 August 2022, the NEC Boss and colleagues of the AAEA are providing electoral support to the Kenyan Election Management Body (EMB). Since its establishment in 1996, the AAEA has been promoting peer support in election management among sister EMBs that are members of the Association.

A dispatch from Nairobi says, Peer-support is an important part of sharing good practices and lessons learnt relating to election management, a key function of the AAEA.

The AAEA Solidarity Mission Team has been participating in series of meetings and briefing sessions with key local and international electoral and donor support groups as part of contextualizing the Kenyan electoral experience to strengthen the AAEA in sharing best practices from their perspectives.

The AAEA solidarity mission to the Kenyan elections is funded by the European Centre for Electoral Support (ECES) and with its partner, the African Union Commission.



**Ole Thonke Ambassador to Kenya, Somalia and Eritrea, EMB/Sierra Leone, NEC-Liberia Head and staff of the Ambassador at the Youth Prayer for Peace Nairobi.**



**Chairpersons of EMBs in back row including, NEC-Liberia Boss and front row Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Commissioners of IEBC, Kenya.**



**A Youth Prayer for Peace Nairobi.**



**Hon. Lamin Lige, a Liberian election expert with IFES/Kenya, NEC Boss Lansanah and Sierra Leone Chairperson,  
Hon. Hohammed Konneh at the IEBC Media Monitoring Center.**