

Mount Kenya



University

REMARKS

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**DURING THE SENATE BOARDROOM HAND-
OVER CEREMONY**

ON

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Salutation

- Professor Simon N. Gicharu, Mount Kenya University
Founder and Chairman of the Board of Directors, ,
- Dr. Vincent Gaitho, Vice- Chairman of the University
Council,
- Prof. Stanley Waudu, Vice-Chancellor, ,
- Members of the University Senate,
- Members of Mount Kenya University staff,
- Student Leaders,

Good Afternoon

This is indeed a very special occasion for Mount Kenya University (MKU) because this day represents the 'coming of age' of the University. The handing over of the Senate Boardroom to the University is indeed very significant to the entire MKU family. The construction of the Alumni Plaza has made it possible for most schools and departments to occupy space here and it has enhanced service delivery to our customers. The Alumni Plaza and the Senate Boardroom are very unique structures in this region. Apart from the University of Nairobi Towers in the University of Nairobi, there is no other structure like this one.

At this juncture I wish to commend the Board of Directors (BOD) led by our able Chairman, Prof. Simon Gicharu and University management for their great vision to construct such a magnificent structure.

Ladies and Gentlemen, this state of the art ultra-modern senate board room will go a long way to create a conducive environment for the senators as they conduct their business of charting the university in the path to achieving its vision and mission.

Let me reiterate the commitment and support of the University Council, working closely with the Board of Directors to support the management and indeed the University Senate to execute its mandate.

I take this opportunity to thank the Chairman, Board of Directors and indeed the entire BOD for their continued support as once again evidenced by the commitment of resources to provide the requisite infrastructure to support the operations of the university.

As I conclude my remarks, Ladies and Gentlemen, its now my honor and pleasure to invite the chairman, Board of Directors and the Founder of Mount Kenya University Prof. Simon Gicharu to give his remarks.

Thanks you and God bless you all