

Olusegun Obasanjo

Agbe L'oba House, Quarry Road, Ibeju
P.O. Box 2286, Abeokuta, Ogun State, Nigeria

August 12, 2017

His Excellency,
President Uhuru Kenyatta,
President of the Republic of Kenya,
Office of the President,
Nairobi.

My dear President and Brother,

I take this opportunity to congratulate you for your re-election as the President of the Republic of Kenya.

Most elections in Africa today have some elements of push and pull immediately before, during or after the elections, and the latest Kenyan election is not an exception. But such a situation rather than being seen as a challenge should be seen as an opportunity - opportunity to bind the wounds and to unite a country divided by the electoral process.

All friends of Kenya were anxious that there should be no similar violence that followed the election in 2008. So far, so good and thanks to God.

May I crave your indulgence to suggest that for stability of democracy in Kenya and for the interest of the people of Kenya as a whole, that the allegations of manipulation of results in the process of transmission should be thoroughly investigated with an appropriate measures taken to ensure integrity of future elections, as may be necessary.

I pray that God will give you the grace and the wisdom to continue to give Kenya the leadership it requires as a united, cohesive, stable, secure and progressive country.

While I congratulate you, once again, please accept, Mr. President, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,

O. Obasanjo

OLUSEGUN OBASANJO