



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF MCK PRESS CARDS AND ISSUANCE OF NEW ONES

Following increased incidences of misrepresentation by persons bearing Media Council of Kenya (MCK) accreditation cards and reported cases of forgeries of the cards, effective today, **27 January 2023**, all Media Council of Kenya Press Cards are hereby cancelled and recalled.

Subsequently, we wish to notify all local and foreign journalists and media practitioners already issued with the 2023 Press Cards as follows:

1. Replacement of the cards at no cost will begin on Monday, 6 February 2023.
2. You are required to surrender the old card at the Media Council of Kenya offices at Britam Centre in Upper Hill, Nairobi or any of our regional offices in Nakuru, Mombasa, Meru and Kisumu for replacement with the new cards that contain additional verification features of a barcode and a QR code.
3. We encourage renewal or application of press cards through our portal: <https://accreditation.mediacouncil.or.ke:882/> to avoid any inconveniences.
4. ALL Special Movement Passes issued during the COVID-19 period are invalid and should be surrendered to the Council.
5. All accredited journalists are advised to carry their Press Cards whenever on duty and to produce them whenever required.

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