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CMD-Kenya has learnt with great sadness the passing of H.E. Rt. Hon. Raila Amolo Odinga, Former Prime Minister and Member of Parliament and leader of the Orange Democratic Movement.

On behalf of the political parties, democratic actors and institutions, we wish to convey our heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of the late Rt. Hon. Raila Amolo Odinga, the Orange Democratic Movement, and the Republic of Kenya at large, for the loss of a renowned Pan-African leader, a political maverick and reformist in Kenya's democratic development. The Rt. Hon. Raila Odinga will be outlived by his invaluable input and advocacy for the establishment of Kenya's multi-partyism, constitutional reforms, his promotion of fundamental rights and freedoms, as well as expanding and safeguarding of the civic and democratic space, which are key contributions to Kenya's nascent democracy.

CMD-Kenya stands in solidarity with the ODM party and all stakeholders during this great loss of the enigma of Kenyan politics.

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