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Lesotho Council of NGOs (LCN) will hold Sectoral Consultations on Reforms Process at Manthabiseng Convention, Lesotho College of Education, Institute of Development Management, Anglican Training Centre and Durham Link Training Centre on the 22nd – 25th July 2019

The Kingdom of Lesotho is in the process of national reforms intended to spearhead the transformation of the Kingdom into a stable, prosperous and united nation. LCN has completed the In-District consultations that covered 76 Community Councils. The intended Reform process is to anchor a future that is peaceful, stable and economically viable. The In-District consultations were targeting individual citizens and local authorities including organisations to afford them a space to state their aspirations.

It is on this basis LCN found necessary to attain institutions and sectors aspiration by securing the institutions and sectors input for Reforms, to enable contributions of sectors to the Reforms that talk directly to policy and legislature and amplifying institutions’ and sectors’ voices. The result of this is to come up with a position paper for institutions or sectors that is reflective of the inward looking and outward looking of policy and legislature consideration affecting them.

LCN is leading the sectoral consultations as it organises formation to engage into introspection of its sector, addressing cross-cutting issues as identified by Multi-stakeholders’ Conference and making its own contribution on specific interventions targeting policy and legislature action.

- This intervention is expected to achieve the following three (3) results:
  - Enhanced and amplified the legitimate voice of the organised formations into the Reforms agenda;
  - Improved and inclusive participation of organised formations into the Reforms process;
  - Creation of space for identifying and contributing into policy and legislature actions for future consideration by the Reforms Plenary II.

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