



## THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF KENYA

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### Office of the Vice-Chancellor

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#### NOTICE TO STUDENTS, STAFF, AND ALL STAKEHOLDERS

#### Clarification on Circulation of False Notice Regarding University Closure

The University Management has become aware of a **fraudulent notice** being circulated across various platforms, falsely attributed to the Office of the Vice Chancellor. This fabricated message falsely claims that Parliament has declared the university insolvent and that the institution will be closed for a period of three (3) months, effective **21<sup>st</sup> April, 2025**.

We wish to **categorically state** that this information is **completely false and malicious**. The notice in question is a **deliberate forgery**, clearly aimed at tarnishing the reputation of the University and undermining ongoing efforts to restore academic and administrative stability following the recent industrial action by staff. These actions are intended to **create panic**, spread misinformation, and disrupt the progress we have made toward normalcy.

The University remains **fully operational** and continues to implement a **comprehensive recovery strategy**. Robust measures have been adopted to make up for the academic time lost, and the **revised academic calendar** is being strictly adhered to in order to ensure minimal disruption to students' academic progression.

The updated academic calendar, including comprehensive details of the recovery plan, is available on the University's official website. We take this opportunity to reaffirm that the **2025/2026 academic year will commence on 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2025**, as previously scheduled and communicated.

We sincerely appreciate the continued support, patience, and understanding of all our stakeholders. To ensure access to accurate and reliable information, we strongly encourage all students, staff, and members of the public to refer exclusively to the University's **official communication channels**.

  
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