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27 Sep 2022 **Kinshasa (DRC)** *The EastAfrican*. President **Félix Tshisekedi** says **Kenyan** soldiers will arrive in the **DRC** as part of the **East African Community** regional force that will help fight insecurity in **North** and **South Kivu**, and **Ituri** provinces;

27 Sep 2022 **Nairobi (Kenya)** *Daily Nation*. President **William Ruto** names his 22-member cabinet, notably appointing **Musalia Mudavadi** as the prime cabinet secretary, **Rigathi Gachagua** as deputy president, **Alfred Mutua** as foreign affairs cabinet secretary, **Kithure Kindiki** as interior security and **Njuguna Ndung'u** as treasury secretary;

27 Sep 2022 **Dar es Salaam (Tanzania)** *The Citizen*. **United States (US)** chamber of commerce in Tanzania chairman **Geoffrey Mchangila** says a delegation of 19 US companies is in Tanzania to explore investment opportunities in various sectors, notably including agriculture, ICT, energy and productive sectors;

27 Sep 2022 **Kampala (Uganda)** *Reuters*. Energy minister **Ruth Nankabirwa Ssentamu** says **Uganda** will hold its third oil block licensing round next year, as it seeks to develop its petroleum sector in a bid to expand its economy;

26 Sep 2022 **Nairobi (Kenya)** *The EastAfrican*. **Kenya** exports its first goods under the **African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA)** agreement to **Ghana**;

24 Sep 2022 **Nairobi (Kenya)** *The EastAfrican*. **African Union Watch** joins calls to the **European Parliament** to revoke its 14 September resolution condemning the **East African Crude Oil Pipeline** project between **Uganda** and **Tanzania**;

22 Sep 2022 **Nairobi (Kenya)** *The EastAfrican*. Over 2,000 **Nigerian** investors petition **Kenyan** courts to unfreeze KSh 1.44 billion (\$11.8m) locked in **Safaricom** and four banks, saying they were swindled in transactions involving **Africa**-focused payments giant **Flutterwave**;

22 Sep 2022 **Nairobi (Kenya)** *The EastAfrican*. Newly elected President **William Ruto** makes maiden address to the **United Nations General Assembly**, asking the **World Bank**, **IMF** and other multilateral lenders to extend new reliefs for debt-burdened **African** countries to allow them to recuperate from multiple economic shocks;

22 Sep 2022 **Dar es Salaam (Tanzania)** *The EastAfrican*. **Tanzania** and **Mozambique** sign new agreements to protect their shared border against an increasing terrorism threat caused by ongoing insurgency movements in northern Mozambique;

21 Sep 2022 **Addis Ababa (Ethiopia)** *Sudan Tribute*. **South Sudan** vice president **Taban Deng Gai** arrives in **Addis Ababa** for an official working visit intending to further strengthen multilateral ties between the two neighbours.