



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF KENYA AT MERU**  
**HCC NO. 169 OF 2011**

**KARIENE TRADERS (suing through) BASILIO MURUGA.....1ST PLAINTIFF**

**GEORGE MANENE.....2ND PLAINTIFF**

**JOSEPH MUTHAMA.....3RD PLAINTIFF**

**VERSUS**

**THE CLERK COUNTY COUNCIL OF MERU CENTRAL.....DEFENDANT**

**RULING**

This application is dated 23rd July, 2014. It seeks orders that:

- (a) THAT, this honourable court be pleased to grant the applicant/plaintiff leave to amend his plaint in terms of the annexed draft.***
- (b) THAT, the defendant be at liberty to amend/or file his defence accordingly.***
- (c) THAT, costs of this application be in the cause.***

It has the following grounds:

- (a) That The 2nd plaintiff passed on more than 1 year ago.***
- (b) By virtue of the devolved system in the New Constitution 2010, the defendant County Council of Meru has ceased to exist.***

When the application came up for inter partes hearing on 24.11.2014, the application was not opposed. In the circumstances, the application is allowed.

It is so ordered.

**Delivered in Open Court at Meru this 24th day of November, 2014 in the presence of:**

Cc. Daniel

Muthomi h/b Ondari for Applicants

**P. M. NJORGE**

**JUDGE**