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ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT - THIRD SESSION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 03, 2015

- 1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock
- 2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
- 3. **Presiding** the Speaker
- 4. <u>COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR ON REGARDING THE SPEAKER'S</u> ROUNDTABLE, THE WHITESANDS HOTEL IN MOMBASA, 5TH 6TH JUNE, 2015

The Speaker conveyed the following Communication –

"Honourable Members,

I wish to inform you that the National Assembly, in conjunction with the Kenya Private Sector Alliance (KEPSA), has organized the National Assembly Speaker's Roundtable to be held from 4th to 6th June 2015 at the Whitesands Hotel in Mombasa.

The purpose of this meeting is to provide a forum for legislators and the private sector to review their engagement and progress made in the last one year. If you recall, Members, the last such roundtable was held in February 2014 at the Leisure Lodge Resort in Diani. In this regard, I extend an invitation to the House leadership, all Committee Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and other Members to join me in this important event. Arrivals in Mombasa will be on Thursday, 4th June 2015, and departures on Saturday, 6th June 2015.

Honourable Members,

You are advised to contact the office of the Clerk on matters related to this activity.

Thank you".

5. MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The Speaker conveyed the following Message -

"Honourable Members,

I wish to convey that I have received two Messages from the Senate regarding the passage of the following two Bills-

- (i) The Potato Produce and Marketing Bill (Senate Bill No. 22 of 2014); and,
- (ii) The Public Fundraising Appeals Bill (Senate Bill No. 28 of 2014)

Honourable Members,

The first message states and I quote "THAT, the Potato Produce and Marketing Bill (Senate Bill No.22 of 2014) was published in the Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 80 of 30th May, 2014, as a Bill originating in the Senate and was passed by the Senate on Tuesday 12th May, 2015, with amendments".

The second Message states and I quote "THAT, the Public Fundraising Appeals Bill (Senate Bill No. 28 of 2014) was published in the Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 99 of 27th June, 2014, as a Bill originating in the Senate and was passed by the Senate on Tuesday 12th May, 2015, with amendments. The Senate now seeks the concurrence of the National Assembly to the said Bills".

Honourable Members,

I am aware that the Clerk has since circulated copies of the Bills. Before the two Bills are read a First time, I hereby refer them to the Budget and Appropriations Committee for their recommendation pursuant to Article 114 of the Constitution. Upon receipt of the recommendation from the Committee, I will give further directions regarding their introduction by way of First Reading at a later date.

I thank you".

6. THE INSOLVENCY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.15 OF 2015) (Leader of the Majority Party)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and referred to the relevant Departmental Committee pursuant to Standing Order 127(1)

7. THE COMPANIES BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.22 OF 2015)

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and referred to the relevant Departmental Committee pursuant to Standing Order 127(1)

8. <u>MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF THE MEDIATED VERSION OF THE DIVISION OF</u> REVENUE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.11 OF 2015)

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Article 113(2) of the Constitution and Standing Order 150(3), this House approves the Report of the Mediation Committee on the Division

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of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No.11 of 2015), laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, May 27, 2015

(The Chairperson, Mediation Committee on the Division of Revenue Bill – 03.06.2015)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, June 3, 2015 - Morning Sitting - resumed;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

9. MOTION - THE REPORT OF THE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ON THE ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2015/2016

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Budget and Appropriations Committee on the Budget Estimates for the National Government, the Judiciary and Parliament for the Financial Year 2015/2016, laid on the table of the House on Tuesday, May 26, 2015 and pursuant to the provisionsof section 39 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and Standing Orders 235 and 239, **approves** the issuance of a sum of **Ksh.1,508,517,181,340** from the Consolidated Fund to meet the expenditure during the year ending 30th June, 2016 in respect of the Votes, as indicated in Schedule.

(Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee - 27.05.2015)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, May 27, 2015- Afternoon Sitting – resumed;

Amendment proposed -

THAT, the Motion be amended by deleting all the words after the word "approves" and inserting in place thereof the following words –

"a total expenditure of Ksh.1,505,492,181,340 of which a sum of Ksh.399,392,081,926 will be raised through regular Appropriations-in-Aid and a sum of Ksh.1,106,100,099,414 will be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund to meet the expenditure during the year 2015/1016 in respect of the Votes as attached in the Schedule" and subject to the amendments made in the Schedule and the Recommendations contained in the Report of the Committee".

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

Question of the Motion as amended proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to:

Debate on the Motion as amended resumed:

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

Resolved accordingly -

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Budget and Appropriations Committee on the Budget Estimates for the National Government, the Judiciary and Parliament for the Financial Year 2015/2016, laid on the table of the House on Tuesday, May 26, 2015 and pursuant to the provisionsof section 39 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 235 239, and Standing Orders and approves total expenditure Ksh.1,505,492,181,340 of which a sum of Ksh.399,392,081,926 will be raised through regular Appropriations-in-Aid and a sum of Ksh.1,106,100,099,414 will be withdrawn from the Consolidated Fund to meet the expenditure during the year 2015/1016 in respect of the Votes as attached in the Schedule" and subject to the amendments made in the Schedule and the Recommendations contained in the Report of the Committee.

10. MOTION – APPROVAL OF THE PROTOCOL ON STANDARD GAUGE RAILWAY

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works & Housing on its consideration of the Protocol on Development and Operation of the Standard Gauge Railway laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 26 May 2015, and pursuant to Section 8 of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, 2012, approves the ratification of the Protocol on Development and Operation of the Standard Gauge Railway within the Framework of the Northern Corridor Integration Projects.

(The Vice- Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works & Housing)

Debate arising;

And the time being thirty minutes past Six O'clock, the Deputy Speaker interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House <u>without</u> Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

11. HOUSE ROSE - at thirty minutes past Six O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, June 09, 2015 at 2.30 p.m.

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