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ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT - THIRD SESSION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 2015

- 1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock
- 2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
- 3. **Presiding** the Speaker

4. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CHAIR

The Speaker conveyed the following Communications –

(i) Delegation from Parliament of Namibia

"Honourable Members, I wish to introduce to you parliamentary staff from the National Assembly of the Republic of Namibia on attachment to our Parliament. They are-

(i) Mr. Andreas Shivute - Learning and Development Officer(ii) Mrs. Matriede Lipito - Senior Human Resource Officer

(iii) Mr. Mati Amunime - Senior Accountant

They are in the country to learn and share experiences with our members of staff on, among other things, human resource management and accounting services. On my own behalf and that of you, Hon. Members and members of staff, I welcome them to the National Assembly and wish them fruitful engagements.

Thank you".

(ii) Budget Highlights for 2015/2016 Financial Year

Honourable Members, I wish to inform the House that subject to the provisions of Standing Order 241, the Cabinet Secretary to the National Treasury will present to the National Assembly the Budget highlights and revenue raising measures for the National Government for the fiscal year 2015/2016 on Thursday, 11th June, 2015 at 2.30 p.m.

In this regard, I wish to inform you that parking will be provided within Parliament Square and at the COMESA grounds, Kenyatta International Convention Centre (KICC). You are, therefore, requested to remove your vehicles parked at the former Ministers' Parking, currently reserved for the House Leadership, as this area is reserved for a reception and for the Budget Statement. Consequently, on Thursday 11thJune, 2015, all vehicles should be driven to the designated parking areas after dropping off the Members at Parliament Buildings. These measures are intended to ease congestion at the Main Building. Your cooperation in this regard will be highly appreciated.

Thank you".

5. <u>PETITION ON ESTABLISHMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL COMMISSION ON INNOVATION AND INVENTIONS</u>

The Speaker conveyed the following Petition -

"Honourable Members,

Standing Order 225(2)(b) requires that the Speaker reports to the House any Petition other than those presented through a Member. I, therefore, wish to convey to the House that my office is in receipt of one such Petition.

The Petition is signed by one Maj. (Rtd.) Joel KipronoRop, a resident of Bomet County, regarding establishment of National Policy Formulation and Innovation Commission in Kenya. In the petition, the petitioner prays that the National Assembly, through the Departmental Committee on Finance, Planning and Trade, initiates the process of amending the Constitution and all the relevant laws to provide for the establishment of a Constitutional Commission with the mandate of mobilising, developing and promoting appropriate policy on innovation and inventions.

Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No.227, this Petition stands committed to the Departmental Committee on Finance, Planning and Trade for their consideration.

Thank you".

6. **PAPERS LAID**

The following Papers were laid on the Table -

- (i) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Ministry of Health for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein;
- (ii) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the National Hospital Insurance Fund for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein;
- (iii) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein;
- (iv) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Constituencies Development Fund for Starehe Constituency for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein;

- (v) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Constituencies Development Fund for Kajiado Central Constituency for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein; and,
- (vi) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Constituencies Development Fund for Kasarani Constituency for the year ended 30th June, 2014 and the certificate therein.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

(vii) The Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security on the vetting of Amb. (Dr.) Monica Kathina Juma, the nominee for appointment to the position of Secretary to the Cabinet.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

7. NOTICE OF MOTION - THE REPORT ON THE VETTING OF NOMINEE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF SECRETARY TO THE CABINET

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

THAT, pursuant to Article 154(2) of the Constitution and the provisions of Standing Order 45, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security on the Vetting of the Nominee to the Position of Secretary to the Cabinet, laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, June 10, 2015.

8. THE HIGHER EDUCATION LOANS BOARD (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.9 OF 2015)

Motion made and Question proposed -

Debate on the Second Reading having been concluded on 10th June, 2015 (Morning Sitting;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Second Time and committed to a Committee of the whole House tomorrow.

9. 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 StandardGauge Railway within the Framework of the Northern Corridor Integration Projects.

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on 9th June, 2015;

Question put and agreed to.

10. <u>MOTION - THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENT ON THE VETTING</u> <u>OF NOMINEE TO THE POSITION OF CABINET SECRETARY</u>

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Committee on Appointment on the Vetting of Nominee for appointment as the Cabinet Secretary for Water and Irrigation, laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, June 10, 2015 and pursuant to the provisions of Article 152(2) of the Constitution, **approves** the appointment of Hon. Eugene Ludovic Wamalwa, as the Cabinet Secretary for Water and Irrigation.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no Member willing to contribute;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

11. THE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.20 OF 2014)

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Fisheries Management and Development Bill (National Assembly Bill No.20 of 2014) be now read a Second Time

(The Deputy Leader of Majority Party – 23.4.2015)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on 9th June, 2015;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to;

Bill read a Second Time and committed to a Committee of the whole House tomorrow.

12. MOTION - THE REPORT ON THE UNPAID PENSION DUES TO RETIRED TEACHERS

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Education, Research and Technology on the Unpaid Pension Dues to Retired Teachers (1997 group), laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 15th April, 2015.

(Vice Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Education, Research and Technology – 30.4.2015)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, June 09, 2015 resumed;

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Rising in his place on a Point of Order, the Member for Nakuru Town East (Hon. David Gikaria) claimed to move that "the Mover be now called upon to reply";

And the Speaker acceding to the claim;

Question put and agreed to:

Thereupon Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

13. THE TRANSFER OF PRISONERS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.24 OF 2014)

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Transfer of Prisoners Bill (National Assembly Bill No.20 of 2014) be now read a Second Time

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question of the Second Reading deferred to another day.

14. <u>MOTION - ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF</u> HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

(Chairperson of the Select Committee on Implementation)

In the absence of the Mover, Motion deferred to another day.

15. <u>AMOTION - ADOPTION OF THE SPECIAL REPORT ON RESTRUCTURING OF KENYA PETROLEUM REFINERY LIMITED</u>

(Chairperson, Public Investments Committee)

In the absence of the Mover, Motion deferred to another day.

16. MOTION - NINETEENTH REPORT OF THE PUBLIC INVESTMENTS COMMITTEE

(The Chairperson, Public Investments Committee)

In the absence of the Mover, Motion deferred to another day.

17. MOTION - ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 3 OF 2013 ON THE NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY POLICY

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Motion deferred to another day at the request of the Mover.

18. <u>MOTION - ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 4 OF 2013 ON THE EMPLOYMENT POLICY & STRATEGY FOR KENYA</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Motion deferred to another day at the request of the Mover.

19. <u>MOTION - THE ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 2 OF 2014 ON THE NATIONAL SOCIAL PROTECTION POLICY</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Motion deferred to another day at the request of the Mover.

20. MOTION - THE ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 5 OF 2014 ON THE NATIONAL POLICY FOR PEACEBUILDING AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Motion deferred to another day at the request of the Mover.

21. MOTION - THE ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 9 OF 2014 THE NATIONAL COHESION AND INTEGRATION

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Motion deferred to another day at the request of the Mover.

And there being no other Business, and the time being twelve minutes past Six O'clock, the Fourth Chairperson of Committees interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House <u>without</u> Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

22. HOUSE ROSE - at twelve minutes past Six O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Thursday, June 11, 2015 at 2.30 p.m.

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