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PROGRAMME OF SENATE BUSINESS

WEEK COMMENCING TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2015

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TUESDAY: Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers, Notices of

24/02/2015 Motion, Statements and Motions

A. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

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(Sen. (Prof.) John Lonyangapuo)

(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Thursday, 4th December, 2014)

B. * THE POTATO PRODUCE AND MARKETING BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 22 OF 2014)

(Sen. (Eng.) Karue Muriuki)

(Second Reading)

(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 11th February, 2015)

C. <u>MOTION</u> – (The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance, Commerce and Budget)

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(Chairperson, Ad hoc Committee on Legislation on Royalties accruing from Natural Resources)

(Second Reading)

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(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

F. *** PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS (COUNTY ASSEMBLY APPROVAL) BILL, (SENATE BILL NO. 20 OF 2014)

(Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

(Second Reading)

G. ** THE NATIONAL DROUGHT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY BILL, (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 42 OF 2013)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

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H.* THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT COORDINATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 30 OF 2014)

(Sen. (Prof.) John Lonyangapuo)

(Second Reading)

I. *** THE COUNTY EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 32 OF 2014)

(Sen. Daniel Karaba)

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J. Any Other Business

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A. **MOTION** - (Sen. Mutula Kilonzo Jnr.)

(Department of Interior and Coordination of National Government)

THAT, noting the constitutional role of the Senate in the protection of the interests of counties and their governments and in the implementation of the devolved system of Government pursuant to Article 96 of the Constitution; aware that the 47 counties are based on the delineation of administrative districts as created under the Provinces and Districts Act

of 1992; further aware that there existed deep-rooted and historical boundary disputes between the districts which were inherited by the resultant counties; aware that there are existing boundary disputes between various counties, which raise questions on the exact boundaries between the counties; recognizing the provisions of Article 188 of the Constitution of Kenya that mandates Parliament to approve alteration of county boundaries on the recommendation of an independent commission set up for that purpose; the Senate urges the **Standing Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights** to initiate and prioritize the drafting of legislation within ninety days to provide for the establishment of an independent commission to inquire into, examine and identify the boundaries of counties, taking into account the criteria set out in Article 188 (2) of the Constitution and to recommend appropriate changes to Parliament so as to comprehensively deal and resolve the inter-county boundary disputes to enhance national cohesion and stability.

(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Thursday, 19th February, 2015)
(Balance of Time – 50 mins)

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(Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

(Second Reading)

C. * PARLIAMENTARY SERVICE COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 21 OF 2014)

(Sen. Kiraitu Murungi)

(Second Reading)

D. *** THE PUBLIC FUNDRAISING BILL, (SENATE BILL NO. 28 OF 2014)

(Chairperson of the Ad hoc committee on Legislation on Harambee)

(Second Reading)

E. * THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT COORDINATION (AMENDMENT)
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F. * THE UNIVERSITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL, (SENATE BILL NO. 31 OF 2014) (Sen. Halima Abdille)

(Second Reading)

G. *** THE COUNTY HALL OF FAME BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 33 OF 2014)
(Sen. Stephen Sang')

(Second Reading)

H. Any Other Business

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- Denotes a Majority / Minority Party Bill

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- Denotes a Committee Bill

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- Denotes a National Assembly Bill

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- Denotes any other Bill