



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2016

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

(i) **Review of Girl Guides Act, Cap 220**

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 a petition signed by one Prof. Faith Nguru and Ms. Jennifer Karina on behalf of Kenya Girl Guides Association.

Pursuant to Article 119 of the Constitution, the Petitioners are requesting the National Assembly to amend the Girl Guides Act, Cap 220, which establishes and incorporates the Kenya Girl Guides Association.

Honourable Members, the petitioners state that the association as constituted under the Girl Guides Act is recognised as a Branch of the Girl Guide Association, incorporated in Great Britain by the Royal Charter. The Petitioners further states the Association as constituted is constrained from fulfilling its core mandate of training and development of character of girls and young women. The Petitioners therefore prays that the National Assembly review the Girl Guides Act, Cap 220 to establish the Kenya Girl Guides Association, a body corporate with power to sue and be sued.

Honourable Members, it is my view that this is one of those petitions whose implementation perfectly fall within the exclusive mandate of this House. Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 227, the Petition stands committed to the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare for consideration. I urge the Committee to engage the Petitioners and commence the process of drafting a legislation to address the prayers of the Kenya Girl Guides Association.

- (ii) The Member for Homa Bay Town (Hon. Peter Kaluma) presented a Petition regarding the accidental shooting a student from St. Albert's Ulanda Girls' High School by the police on behalf of the parents and concerned members of the public;

Petition referred to the relevant Departmental Committee pursuant to Standing Order 227(1).

5. **PAPERS LAID**

The following Papers were laid on the Table -

- (i) Sessional Paper No. 2 of 2016 on the National Slum Upgrading and Prevention Policy;
- (ii) The Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Office of the Controller of Budget for the year 2014/2015;
- (iii) Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements in respect of the following institutions for the year ended 30th June, 2015 and the Certificates therein:-
- a) The Constituencies Development Fund – Kibra Constituency;
 - b) The Constituencies Development Fund – Embakasi West Constituency;
 - c) The Constituencies Development Fund – Kajiado Central Constituency;
 - d) Rongo University College;
 - e) The Kenya Water Towers Agency;
 - f) The Kenya Water Institute;
 - g) The Kenya Utalii College;
 - h) The Kenya Tourism Board; and
 - i) The Unclaimed Financial Assets Authority.
- (iv) The Annual Report and Financial Statements of Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology for the year 2014/2015.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

6. **THE CANCER PREVENTION AND CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 3 OF 2015)**

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health)

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 KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL (AMENDMENT) (No.2) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 14 OF 2015)**

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Education, Research and Technology)

Order for First Reading read;

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

8. **THE INDEPENDENT ELECTORAL AND BOUNDARIES COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 18 OF 2016)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No.7 of 2016) be now read a Second Time

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs –21.07.2016)

Rising in his place pursuant to Standing Order 96, the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs claimed to move that “the debate be now adjourned”;

And the Speaker acceding to the claim;

Question put and agreed to;

Debate on the Bill adjourned.

9. **THE STATUTE LAW (MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS) (No. 2) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 58 OF 2015)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Bill deferred to another day

10. **THE WAREHOUSE RECEIPTS SYSTEM BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 12 OF 2015)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Warehouse Receipts System Bill (National Assembly Bill No.4 of 2015) be now read a Second Time

(The Deputy Leader of the Majority Party – 10.03.2016)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, March 10, 2016 resumed;

Mover replied;

Question of the Second reading deferred to another day.

11. **THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 4 OF 2015)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Public Finance Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No.4 of 2015) be now read a Second Time

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

(Change of Chair from the Hon. Speaker to the First Chairperson)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question deferred to another day.

And the time being thirty minutes past Six O'clock, the First Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

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

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Wednesday, July 27, 2016 at 9.30 a.m.

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