



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – (THIRD SESSION)

THE SENATE

ORDER PAPER

TUESDAY, MARCH 03, 2015 AT 2.30 P.M

PRAYERS

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8. **MOTION** - (The Chairperson, Sessional Committee on Devolved Government)

**THAT**, this House adopts the Report of the Sessional Committee on Devolved Government on the suitability of the Nominees to the position of Commissioner in the Commission of Inquiry into the Petition to Dissolve the Makueni County Government, laid on the Table of the House on 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2015.

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

(Sen. (Eng.) Karue Muriuki)

*(Second Reading)*

*(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2015)*

10. \*\*\* **THE NATURAL RESOURCES (BENEFIT SHARING) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 34 OF 2014)**

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

*(Second Reading)*

*(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2014)*

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11. **\*\*** THE MINING BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 8 OF 2014)  
(The Senate Majority Leader)

*(Second Reading)*

12. **\*\*\*** THE PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS (COUNTY ASSEMBLY APPROVAL) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 20 OF 2014)  
(Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

*(Second Reading)*

13. **\*\*** THE NATIONAL DROUGHT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 42 OF 2013)  
(The Senate Majority Leader)

*(Second Reading)*

14. **\*** THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT COORDINATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 30 OF 2014)  
(Sen. (Prof.) John Lonyangapuo)

*(Second Reading)*

15. **\*\*\*** THE COUNTY EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 32 OF 2014)  
(Sen. Daniel Karaba)

*(Second Reading)*

## KEY

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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

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APPENDIXNOTICES OF MOTION

- (i) **Notice of Motion** - (Sen (Dr.) Agnes Zani)  
(Department of Education, Science and Technology)

**THAT**, aware that the prime purpose of devolution in Kenya is to decentralize and transfer functions, resources and power to the county level of government in order to promote participatory democracy and sustainable development for the benefit of all Kenyans; concerned that the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology still upholds the historical classification of schools into national, county and district schools; concerned that such categorization has implications in terms of funding, administration and eventually academic performance and that it limits choices and admissions of students to Form One; appreciating that in the current devolved system of government counties will play a key role in the educational outcomes of their schools; the Senate calls upon the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology to take immediate action to review the categorization of public secondary schools and to classify all of them as county schools in order to ensure equity in resource allocation and guarantee quality education for all.

- (ii) **Notice of Motion**- (Sen. (Dr.) Wilfred Machage)  
(Department of Health)

**THAT**, aware that currently there are approximately 44 million persons living with dementia worldwide, a figure that is expected to triple by 2050; acknowledging that caring for dementia patients can be a difficult experience; appreciating the contribution of family members and other care givers of people suffering from dementia across Kenya; noting with concern that mental healthcare does not seem to be a priority in the public health sector in Kenya since the allocation for mental healthcare is less than 1% of the total public health budget; acknowledging the importance of raising awareness of dementia and ensuring that people with dementia are treated with dignity and respect; appreciating the contribution of non- governmental organizations such as the Africa Mental Health Foundation and the International Institute for Legislative Affairs who provide a platform for sharing of views and experiences on care of people with dementia; noting the need to enhance awareness on and provide better care for patients of dementia; the Senate directs the Standing Committee on Health to immediately initiate review of the existing legislation on health care in order to mainstream and enhance care for patients of dementia and further that the Committee submits a report to the House on the matter within ninety (90) days.

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