



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – THIRD SESSION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2015

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

Pursuant to Standing Order 219, the Nominated Member (Hon. Isaack Mwaura) presented a Petition on Special Needs Education Assesors on behalf of the Education Assessment and Resource Centres Association.

Petition referred to relevant Departmental Committee pursuant to Standing Order 227(2).

5. **PAPERS LAID**

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the House-

- i. The Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Tea Research Foundation of Kenya for the year ended 30th June, 2013 and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein;
- ii. Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the National Gender and Equality Commission for the year ended 30th June 2014, and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein;
- iii. Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Kenya Roads Board for the year ended 30th June 2014, and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein;
- iv. Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Capital Markets Authority for the year ended 30th June 2014, and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein;

- v. Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Trade for the year ended 30th June 2014, and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein; and
- vi. Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Political Parties Fund for the year ended 30th June 2014, and the certificate of the Auditor-General therein.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

- i. The Report of the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on the Petition regarding recruitment of top managers at the unclaimed Financial Assets Authority;
- ii. The Report of the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on the Petition regarding unlawful dismissal of Vitalis Omondi Othuon from the National Water Conservation and Pipeline Corporation; and
- iii. The Report of the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on the National Security Fund (NSSF) Tassia II Settlement Scheme Infrastructure Development.

(Chairperson, Labour & Social Welfare Committee)

6. **NOTICE OF MOTION - REPORT ON THE PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE NATIONAL GENDER & EQUALITY COMMISSION**

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on the Petition for Removal of the Chairperson of the National Gender and Equality Commission, laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 18th February, 2015, and in accordance with the provision of Article 251(3) of the Constitution and Standing Order 230(5), finds that the Petition **does not** disclose sufficient ground for the removal of the Chairperson of National Gender and Equality Commission.

(Chairperson, Labour and Social Welfare Committee)

7. **NOTICE OF MOTION - REPORT ON THE PRIVATIZATION OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR OWNED/CONTROLLED SUGAR COMPANIES**

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Finance, Planning and Trade on the Privatization of the Public Sector Owned/Controlled Sugar Companies (Nzoia Sugar Company, South Nyanza Sugar Company, Chemilil Sugar Company, Muhoroni Sugar Company and Miwani Sugar Company), laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday 2 December, 2014.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance, Planning and Trade)

8. NOTICE OF MOTION - ADOPTION OF SESSIONAL PAPERS NOS. 4 OF 2013, 5 OF 2014 AND 9 OF 2014

- a) THAT, this House adopts Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2013 on the Employment Policy and Strategy for Kenya; laid on the Table of the House on 17 September 2013;
- b) THAT, this House adopts Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2014 on the National Policy for Peacebuilding and Conflict Management, laid on the Table of the House on 31 July 2014;
- c) THAT, this House adopts Sessional Paper No. 9 of 2014 on National Cohesion and Integration laid on the Table of the House on 31 July 2014:

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

9. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 44(2)(a)

Pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 44(2)(a), the Leader of the Majority Party issued a Statement regarding the business of the House for the week commencing Tuesday February 24, 2015.

10. MOTION - DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE/GREEN ENERGY

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, aware that the Kenya Nuclear Electricity Board (KNEB) was created and tasked with spearheading the development of Nuclear Energy in the country; deeply concerned that the construction and maintenance of a nuclear plant is a highly technical, expensive and risky undertaking that potentially exposes a country to the threat of nuclear radiation and the challenge of disposal of radioactive nuclear waste; further aware that due to these inherent risks in nuclear energy production, many of the developed countries like Germany, India, Japan and South Africa amongst others have increasingly embarked on the systematic shut-down of their nuclear plants and instead are promoting the development of clean renewable energy, especially wind and solar energy; **noting that Austria which hosts the United Nations International Atomic Energy Agency, has terminated the development of any nuclear energy**; this House resolves that the Government **shifts its attention from the development** of nuclear energy and instead invests in the development of renewable or green energy which is safe and abundant in the Country.

(Motion as amended)

(The Hon. Dr. Wilbur Ottichilo, M.P.)

Debate concluded on Wednesday, February 18, 2015 – Morning Sitting;

Question put and agreed to

11. THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND ASSET DISPOSAL BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 40 OF 2014)

Order of the Second Reading read;

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday February 18, 2015 – afternoon sitting resumed;

Debate arising;

And the time being thirty minutes past six O'clock, the Third 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.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on.
Tuesday, February 24, 2015 at 2.30 p.m.

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