



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – FIRST SESSION

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2013

1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock
2. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that debate on the Motion on the Address of the President be limited to no more than five (5) minutes for each Member Speaking, twenty (20) minutes for the Mover in moving and replying and twenty (20) minutes for the Leader of Minority Party

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

3. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON BILLS**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that, each speech in a debate on any **Bill** be limited as follows:-

A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and replying, a maximum of twenty (20) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by the relevant Committee), and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen Minutes each; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader

of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that Order

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

4. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON MOTIONS**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that, on Wednesday morning, each speech in a debate on any **Motion** which is **NOT** sponsored by the Majority Party, or the Minority Party or a Committee, including a Special motion, be limited in the following manner:- A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that Order

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

5. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON REPORT OF A COMMITTEE**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that, each speech in a debate on a **Report of a Committee**, including a Report of a Joint Committee of the Houses of Parliament, be limited as follows -

A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

6. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that each speech in **Committee of Supply** on a motion that “The Speaker do now leave the Chair” shall be limited to five minutes, excluding the Mover who shall be limited to a maximum of twenty (20) minutes in moving and ten (10) minutes in replying and the Chairperson of Budget and Appropriations Committee, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

7. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON ADJOURNMENT MOTION**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), this House orders that, the debate on any Motion for the **Adjournment** of the House to a day other than the next normal Sitting Day in accordance with the Calendar of the House, shall be limited to a maximum of three (3) hours with not more than five (5) minutes for each Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of ten (10) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order;

Provided that, when the period of Recess proposed by any such motion does not exceed nine days, the debate shall be limited to a maximum of thirty minutes (30), and shall be strictly confined to the question of the adjournment

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to

8. **DEBATE ON ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT – (1ST DAY)**

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the thanks of the House be recorded for the exposition of public policy contained in the Address of the President delivered on Tuesday, April 16, 2013.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

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

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

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Thursday, April 18, 2013 at 2.30 p.m.

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