



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**ELEVENTH PARLIAMENT – (FIFTH SESSION)**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2017**

1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past two O'clock
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
3. **Presiding** – the Deputy Speaker
4. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR ON NATIONAL PRAYER BREAKFAST**

The Speaker conveyed the following Communication –

“Honourable Members,

The Kenya National Assembly Prayer Fellowship Group shall host the **Annual National Prayer Breakfast** on **Thursday, May 25, 2017** at the **Safari Park Hotel**, Nairobi. It is expected that over 2,500 guests, who comprise of political, business and religious leaders, shall be in attendance. The theme for this year's prayer breakfast is **“Unity and the National Anthem”**.

The Prayer Breakfast shall be an inter-denominational prayer meeting organized by Members of Parliament with support from friends. All Members of Parliament are requested to pick the invitation cards to this event at the Main Reception and confirm attendance by **Tuesday, May 23, 2017** in order to facilitate seating arrangements.

You may contact the Chairman of the Prayer Breakfast Group, Hon. Captain Clement Muchiri Wambugu, who is also the Member of Parliament for Mathioya Constituency, for any further clarification.

I thank you”.

5. **PETITION**

The Member for Molo (Hon. Jacob Macharia) presented a Petition on behalf of residents of Landi Trading Center regarding alleged illegal displacement of residents of the Center in Molo;

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

6. **PAPERS LAID**

The following Papers were laid on the Table –

- (i) The Kenya National Bureau of Statistics Economic Survey, 2017;
- (ii) The Annual Report and Financial Statements for the Teacher's Service Commission for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2015;
- (iii) The Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Pest Control Products Board for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2015 and the certificate therein;
- (iv) The Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements in respect of the following institutions for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 and the certificates therein:-
  - a) Kenya Industrial Property Institute;
  - b) Agricultural Finance Corporation;
  - c) Kenya Investment Authority;
  - d) Kipchabo Tea Factory Limited (a subsidiary of Nyayo Tea Zones Development Corporation);
  - e) Nyayo Tea Zones Development Corporation;
  - f) Provident Fund;
  - g) Asian Officers Family Pension Fund;
  - h) Kenya Local Loans Support Fund;
  - i) Revenue Statement from the Pensions Department;
  - j) European Widows and Orphans Pension Scheme Fund;
  - k) National Gender Equality Commission; and
  - l) Public Service Commission.

*(Majority Party Whip)*

- (v) The Report of the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on the Election of Members to the East African Legislative Assembly on its Consideration of Nominees for Election as Members of the East African Legislative Assembly.

*(Hon. Katoo Ole Metito – Co-Chairperson Joint Parliamentary Select Committee)*

- (vi) The Report of the Mediation Committee on its consideration of the Health Bill (National Assembly Bill No.14 of 2015)

*(Hon. (Dr.) Robert Pukose, Member, Mediation Committee)*

7. **NOTICES OF MOTION**

The following Notices were given –

(i) **Election of Members to the East African Legislative Assembly**

**THAT**, pursuant to Article 50 of the Treaty for the Establishment of the East African Community and Rule 13(5) of the East African Legislative Assembly Elections (Election of Members of the Assembly) Rules, 2017, this House adopts the Report of the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on the Election of Members to the East African Legislative Assembly on its *consideration of the nominees for election as Members of the East African Legislative Assembly*, laid on the Table of the house today, Wednesday, May 17, 2017.

*(Hon. Katoo ole Metito Co-Chair- Co-Chairperson Joint Parliamentary Select Committee)*

(ii) **Adoption of the Report of the Mediation Committee on the Health Bill, 2015**

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Article 113 (2) of the Constitution and Standing Order 150, this House adopts the Report of the Mediation Committee on its consideration of the Health Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2015), laid on the Table of the House today, Wednesday, May 17, 2017, and **approves** the mediated version of the Health Bill, 2015.

*(Hon. (Dr.) Robert Pukose- Chairperson, Mediation Committee)*

8. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – EXEMPTION OF A BILL FROM THE PROVISIONS OF STANDING ORDER 141(1)**

Motion made and Question proposed –

**THAT**, given that the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 2 of 2017) had been passed by the National Assembly, amended by the Senate and subsequently defeated when the Mediation Committee failed to agree on a version of the Bill within thirty (30) days, in accordance with the provisions of Article 113 (4) of the Constitution, this House resolves that the Division of Revenue (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 22 of 2017) be exempted from the provisions of Standing Order 141 (1) which provides that “*a Bill, the Second Reading or Third Reading of which has been rejected may be introduced again in the next Session, or after the lapse of six months in the same Session but subject to fresh publication as provided in Standing Order 114.*”

*(Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

9. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – REDUCTION OF PUBLICATION PERIOD OF A BILL**

Motion made and Question proposed –

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 120, this House resolves to reduce the publication period of the Division of Revenue (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 22 of 2017) from fourteen (14) days to six (6) days.

*(Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)*

Question put and agreed to.

10. **THE DIVISION OF REVENUE (NO. 2) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 22 OF 2017)**

(Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

Order for First Reading read;

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

11. **THE PRESIDENT'S AWARD BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.7 OF 2017)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the President's Award Bill (National Assembly Bill No.7 of 2017) be now read a Second Time

*(The Leader of the Majority Party – 16.05.2017)*

Debate on the Second Reading having been concluded on Tuesday, May 16, 2017;

Question put and agreed to;

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the whole House tomorrow.

12. **THE LEGAL METROLOGY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 8 OF 2017)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Nairobi International Financial Centre Bill (National Assembly Bill No.5 of 2017) be now read a Second Time

*(The Leader of the Majority Party – 11.05.2017)*

Debate on the interrupted on Tuesday, May 16, 2017 resumed;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to;

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the whole House tomorrow.

13. **THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) (NO. 6) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 65 OF 2015)**

Order deferred to another day.

14. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE ON THE SPECIAL AUDIT OF THE NYS ACCOUNTS**

Motion made and Question proposed –

**THAT**, this House adopts the Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the Special Audit Report of May 2016 on the accounts of the National Youth Service (NYS), Volumes I and II, laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, March 16, 2017.

*(Chairperson, Public Accounts Committee)*

Debate arising;

*(Change of Chair from the Speaker to the Fourth Chairperson)*

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

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

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**M E M O R A N D U M**

The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Thursday, May 18, 2017 at 2.30 p.m.

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