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REPUBLIC OF KENYA TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – (THIRD SESSION)

THE SENATE

ORDER PAPER

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2019 AT 2.30 P.M.

PRAYERS

- 1. Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions
- 5. Papers (as listed in the Appendix)
- 6. Notices of Motion
- 7. Statements (as listed in the Appendix)
- 8. <u>MOTION ADOPTION OF REPORT OF SESSIONAL COMMITTEE ON COUNTY</u> <u>PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND INVESTMENTS ON ACCOUNTS OF COUNTY</u> <u>GOVERNMENTS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2014/2015</u>

(Chairperson, Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments on the Inquiry into the Financial Operations of Baringo, Busia, Elgeyo Marakwet, Embu, Kajiado, Kericho, Kilifi, Kirinyaga, Kisii, Kwale, Lamu, Makueni, Marsabit, Meru, Nakuru, Narok, Nyamira, Uasin Gishu, Vihiga and West Pokot Counties for Financial year 2014/2015 (1st July, 2014 to 30th June, 2015), laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 9th October, 2019.

9. *<u>THE REGISTRATION OF PERSONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 14</u> <u>OF 2019)</u>

(Sen. (Dr.) Isaac Mwaura, MP)

(Second Reading)

10. <u>MOTION - ENGAGEMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS BY COUNTY</u> <u>GOVERNMENTS</u>

(Sen. Rose Nyamunga, MP)

THAT, AWARE THAT county health facilities, and the promotion of primary health care are devolved functions, and each county government is striving to offer the best healthcare to the people of Kenya;

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COGNIZANT THAT, the provision of healthcare services is continuously riddled with numerous challenges ranging from understaffing of personnel to inadequate facilities and equipment resulting in congestion in hospitals further restricting effective service delivery;

NOTING THAT every Kenyan has a right to affordable and accessible healthcare, and the President has launched a pilot universal health care program called "Afya Care" that will see many Kenyans access improved healthcare;

CONCERNED THAT, the diverse nature of counties and wanting infrastructural development is compromising the quality and accessibility of health centres especially during emergency situations, resulting in the loss of many lives occasioned by the failure by patients to reach health facilities in time;

FURTHER CONCERNED THAT, in each county there are numerous unemployed community health workers who are adept at working with communities in emergency situations, and have the requisite experience to support the medical practitioners in our country where, according to the World Health Organization 2014 report, there are two (2) doctors for every ten thousand (10,000) people;

NOW THEREFORE, the Senate resolves that the Council of Governors in partnership with the Ministry of Health –

- 1. Develop a policy for the training, certification and employment of community health workers to enhance the emergency health service delivery in the Counties, and
- 2. Facilitate the said community health workers with the necessary basic equipment for use during emergency cases.

11. MOTION - REPORT ON THE THIRD STATUTORY MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, REGIONAL INTEGRATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES OF THE FORUM OF PARLIAMENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE GREAT LAKES REGION (FP-ICGLR)

(Sen. Samuel Poghisio, MP)

THAT, this House notes the Report on the 3rd Statutory Meeting of the Committee on Economic Development, Regional Integration and Natural Resources of the Forum of Parliaments of the International Conference of the Great Lakes Region (FP-ICGLR) held in Bujumbura, Burundi, from 13thto 14th March, 2019, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 21st May, 2019.

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NOTICE

The Senate resolved on 13th February, 2019 as follows:-

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 106 (1), the Senate resolves that debate on a Motion not sponsored by the Majority or Minority Party or a Committee shall be limited in the following manner:-

A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty minutes for the Mover, twenty minutes for the Majority Party Official Responder, twenty minutes for the Minority Party Official Responder and fifteen minutes for each other Senator speaking and that fifteen minutes before the time expires, the Mover shall be called upon to reply.

KEY

******_** Denotes a Majority /Minority Party Bill

- ******* Denotes a National Assembly Bill
- ****_** Denotes a Committee Bill
- *****_ Denotes any other Bill

APPENDIX

1. PAPERS

- (i) Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Kisumu County Government Bursary Fund for the Year ended 30th June 2014;
- (ii) Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Kisumu County Government Bursary Fund for the Year ended 30th June 2015;
- (iii)Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Kisumu County Government Bursary Fund for the Year ended 30th June 2017;
- (iv)Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Homa-Bay County Government Education Bursary Fund for the Year ended 30th June 2017; and
- (v) Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Vihiga County Assembly Car Loan and Mortgage Fund for the Year ended 30th June 2018.

(The Senate Majority Leader)

2. STATEMENTS

(i) <u>Pursuant to Standing Order 48(1)</u>

The Senator for Uasin Gishu County (Sen. (Prof.) Margaret Kamar, MP) to seek a statement from the Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries concerning the financial and operational preparedness of the National Cereals and Produce Board (NCPB) to receive the 2019 cereals harvest.

(ii) Pursuant to Standing Order 52(1)

The Senate Majority Leader to issue a statement on the business of the Senate for the week commencing Tuesday, 22nd October, 2019.
