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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 17th AUGUST TO FRIDAY, 21st AUGUST, 2020

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 17th August to Friday, 21st August, 2020** is herein published.

In accordance with the Communication of the Honourable Speaker of the Senate issued on Tuesday, 31st March, 2020 on the Guidelines for Senate Plenary and Committee Sittings During the COVID-19 Pandemic, Members of the public who may wish to make representations to any of the Committees are requested to do so by way of written memoranda submitted by email on the address cSenate@parliament.go.ke.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Chairperson, Council of Governors Committee on Agriculture to deliberate on the Mung Beans Bill, Senate Bills No. 9 of 2020.
		Friday, 21st August, 2020 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Joint meeting with the Sessional Committee on Delegated Legislation and the Chairperson, Council of Governors Committee on Agriculture to consider the Crops Act (Tea Industry) Regulations, 2020.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Nairobi City County to consider, among others- 1. The Governor's submissions on the transfer of functions from Nairobi City County to the National Government; and 2. The County Government's working relations with the Nairobi Metropolitan Services.

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3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of Statements sought by- 1. Sen. Moses Wetang'ula, EGH, MP, on payment of salaries to private school teachers following the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic; 2. Sen. Cleophas Malalah, MP, on the disbursement of Government Capitation Funds to schools and measures to cushion teachers employed by school Boards of Management (BOMs) and non-teaching staff during the Covid-19 pandemic.
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of ICT, Innovation and Youth Affairs to deliberate on the Digital Literacy Programme.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with- 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Mining; and 2. The Director General, Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority (EPRA) to deliberate on the Petroleum Development Levy Order, 2020.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Wednesday, 19th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of a Petition sought by Mr. Simon L. Kilonga and Mr. Olanan D. Oletulet on the alleged corruption and embezzlement of funds in the County Government of Narok with regard to award of tenders.
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of a Petition sought by Kenyan Youth regarding the reforms in the design and structure of the procurement framework in Kenya.
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Monday, 17th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of the matter of the scaling-up of the Universal Healthcare (UHC) Programme to the 47 County Governments.

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		Tuesday, 18th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of the Intergovernmental Participation Agreements (IPAs) executed between the National Government and County Governments in the scale-up of the Universal Healthcare (UHC) Programme to the 47 County Governments.
7.	Standing Committee on Information and Technology	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	9.30 am	Meeting with the Kenya Copyright Board to deliberate on the efficient administration of copyright in Kenya.
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 18th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
		Wednesday, 19th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Lifestyle Audit (No.2) Bill, Senate Bills No. 21 of 2019.
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Law of Succession (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 1 of 2020.
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	2.00 pm	Consideration of- 1. The Sports, Arts and Social Development Fund budget; and 2. The National Museums and Heritage (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 7 of 2019.
10.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Wednesday, 19th August, 2020 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Mining to deliberate on- 1. Statement sought by Sen. (Dr.) Ochilo Ayacko, MP, regarding mining activities in Migori County; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP, regarding the payment of mining royalties by miners in Taita Taveta County; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP, regarding the

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				operationalization of Royalty Fund Account; 4. Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, on the status of operations at the Karebe Gold Mine Company Limited in Tinderet Constituency, Nandi County; and 5. Petition by residents of Tinderet Sub County, Nandi County, on the operations of Karebe Gold Mining Ltd in Tinderet Sub County, Nandi County.
11.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 19th, August, 2020 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Consideration of a Report on the Petition sought by Rev. David Muganda on the plight of Kibera Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs).
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Public Service and Gender to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. Cleophas Malala, MP regarding ethnic and regional distribution of high cadre jobs in all government institutions.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 18th August, 2020 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Consideration of a Petition sought by Ms. Ayuma Michelle on the enactment of a Military Veterans Law to address the needs of Military Veterans and their dependents.
13.	Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation	Tuesday, 18th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Interior & Coordination of National Government and the Director-General, National Transport & Safety Authority (NTSA) to deliberate on- 1. Challenges faced by motorists in accessing services offered by the National Transport and Safety Authority (NTSA) through their website portal; and 2. Harassment of operators of public service vehicles by

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				traffic police officers in the COVID-19 pandemic period due to lack of vital vehicle inspection certificates.
		Wednesday, 19th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of a response from the Ministry of Transport, Infrastructure, Housing, Urban Development & Public Works regarding operations of the Standard Gauge Rail (SGR) Train Service.
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of a Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Faki, MP, regarding the ongoing reconstruction of Makupa Causeway-Digo Road.
14.	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade and Industrialization	Wednesday, 19th August, 2020 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of- 1. The Sacco Societies (Amendment) Bill, National Assembly Bills No. 1 of 2018; and 2. The County Licensing (Uniform Procedure) Bill, Senate Bills No. 17 of 2019.
		Thursday, 20th August, 2020 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
15.	Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments	Monday, 17th August, 2020 Venue: Extended Chamber	11.00 am	Meeting with the County Assembly of Kisii and Migori, to interrogate the Financial Statements for Financial Years 2015/16, 2016/17 & 2017/18.
16.	Sessional Committee on Delegated Legislation	Wednesday, 19th July, 2020 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of the SACCO Societies (Non-Deposit Taking Business) Regulations, 2020.
		Friday, 21st August, 2020 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Joint meeting with the Sessional Committee on Agriculture and the Chairperson, Council of Governors Committee on Agriculture to consider the Crops Act (Tea Industry) Regulations, 2020.

Note: The Schedule is also available on the parliamentary website - www.parliament.go.ke.