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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 15TH MARCH TO FRIDAY, 19TH MARCH, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 15th March to Friday, 19th March, 2021** 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 & Fisheries	Friday, 19th March, 2021 Online meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of response from the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries & Cooperatives on a Petition concerning the plight of seed farmers in Trans Nzoia County.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Consideration of 1. Pending legislative business before the Committee; 2. Committee Quarterly Report for the quarter ending March 2021; and 3. The proposed County Governments (Amendment) Bill on the question of the chairing of a County Assembly Service Board.
		Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, National Cohesion & Integration Commission (NCIC) and the National Land Commission (NLC) to deliberate on the submissions on the Petition on the boundary dispute in Kisumu-Siaya-

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3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of a Statements sought by- 1. Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP regarding the situation at Technical Vocational Education & Training (TVET) Centers and issues affecting the trainers employed by the Board of Governors (BOGs); and 2. Sen. Beatrice Kwamboka, MP regarding the situation at Wangu Primary School in Dandora Phase II, Nairobi City County.
		Friday, 19th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of a Petition by teachers serving in Kajiado County on promotion of teachers in the County to leadership positions.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance & Budget	Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of Statements sought by- 1. Sen. George Khaniri, MGH, MP regarding the quality of the new generation currency notes; and 2. Sen. CPA Farhiya Ali, MP regarding pending bills and the payment of suppliers by the County Government of Wajir.
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of- 1. The Mental Health (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 28 of 2020; and 2. The Community Health Services Bill, Senate Bills No. 34 of 2020.
		Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consultative meeting with health worker representative groups on the COVID-19 Vaccine roll-out program.
		Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consultative meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Health and the Chairperson, Council of Governors on the COVID-19 vaccine roll-out programme.

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7.	Standing Committee on Information and Technology	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.30 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Senate Chamber	10.00 am	Consideration of the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill, 2020.
		Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Senate Chamber	8.00 am	Consideration of the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill, 2020.
		Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Senate Chamber	8.00 am	Consideration of the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill, 2020.
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of East African Community and Regional Development Authorities on a Statement sought by Sen. Fatuma Dullo, CBS, MP on dismissal of staff by the Ewaso Ng'iro North Development Authority.
10.	Senate Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with Petitioners on the Petition concerning the alleged illegal alienation of land belonging to Kitale Primary School by a private developer.
		Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of the following Petitions- 1. Petition on the alleged delayed adjudication and the settlement of squatters on Machungwani land in Taita Taveta County after expiry of lease; and 2. Petition on the alleged illegal encroachment of land covering the villages of Pangani, Nyatha, Kaisari, Mavuno, Promoko and Widho in Lamu County by Witu Livestock Cooperative Society.
11.	Standing Committee on National	Wednesday, 17th March, 2021	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection to deliberate on the Statement sought by

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	Cohesion Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Online Meeting		Sen. (Dr.) Gertrude Musuruve, MP on the National Government measures to support PWD's during the pandemic.
		Thursday, 18th March, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Chairpersons of the Council of Governors' Technical Committee on Health and the Technical Committee on Human Resource, Labour and Social Welfare to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. (Dr.) Gertrude Musuruve, MP on the National Government Measures to support PWD's during the pandemic.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of a Statement sought by Sen. Falhada Dekow, MP regarding the fire incident at the Garissa County Assembly premises.
		Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Red Cross Ground Floor Meeting Room	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Defence to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. Ledama Olekina, MP regarding corruption during the recent Kenya Defence Force (KDF) recruitment drive.
13.	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade and Industrialization	Wednesday, 17th March, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with – 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives; 2. The State Department for Cooperatives; 3. The Commissioner of Cooperatives, Kenya Union of Saccos and Credit Cooperatives (KUSCCO); and 4. The Cooperative Alliance of Kenya; to deliberate on the Petition on the Moi University Sacco
14.	Standing Committee on Roads & Transportation	Tuesday, 16th March, 2021 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of a Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Faki, MP, regarding the upgrading of the Mshomoroni-Mwakirunge Road to Bitumen Standard.

Note: The Schedule is also available on Parliamentary website www.parliament.go.ke.