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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 22ND MARCH TO FRIDAY, 26TH MARCH, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 22nd March to Friday, 26th 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	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, Agriculture & Cooperatives Committee of the Council of Governors to deliberate on the status of implementation of the agriculture function.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Tuesday, 23rd March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, National Land Commission to deliberate on submissions received on the Petition on the alleged boundary dispute in Kisumu-Siaya-Vihiga Counties.
		Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Consideration of the Report on the Nyamira County Headquarters facilities.
3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Council of Governors Committee on Education, Gender, Youth, Children, Sports, Culture and Social Services to deliberate on the Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) landscape in the

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		Friday, 26th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of a Petition on the promotion of teachers serving in Kajiado County.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Energy regarding the Statement sought by Sen. George Khaniri EGH, MP on frequent power black-outs in Vihiga County.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance & Budget	Tuesday, 22nd March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of- 1. A Statements sought by Sen. George Khaniri, EGH, MP regarding the quality of the new generation currency notes; and 2. A response from the Controller of Budget regarding county governments breaching of Regulation 25 of the Public Finance Management (County Governments Regulations) 2015.
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 23rd March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Baringo County to deliberate on the death of seven new born babies at Baringo County Referral Hospital owing to alleged negligence.
		Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with the Petitioners to deliberate on- 1.The provision of the National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) cover to kidney transplant survivors; and 2.Challenges faced by patients suffering from multiple sclerosis and neuromyelitis optica.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
7.	Standing Committee on Information and Technology	Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	9.30 am	Meeting with Prof. Bitange Ndemo, PhD, CBS, Head of Innovations and Entrepreneurship, School of Business, University of Nairobi to deliberate on

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				the proposed Senate Bill on Regulations on Artificial Intelligence (AI).
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 23rd March, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
		Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Meeting with the Election Observation Group (ELOG) to receive submissions on priority electoral reforms ahead of the 2022 General Elections.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Report on a Petition by Abdalla Suleiman and Elkana Kitur regarding mass examination failure at the Kenya School of Law.
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 County Hall, Mini Chamber	9.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection to deliberate on the Social Safety Net (Inua Jamii Cash Transfer) Programmes.
10	Senate Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with- 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Water, Sanitization and Irrigation; 3. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Physical Planning; 4. The Governor, Kiambu County; and 5. The Director General, Nairobi Metropolitan Services; to deliberate on the Petition concerning the gazettement of Ondiri Wetland in Kiambu County.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Marsabit County to deliberate on the Petition submitted by the Rendile and Samburu Community representatives concerning the alleged acquisition of Karare land in Marsabit County, by the Kenya Defence Forces.

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11	Standing Committee on National Cohesion Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, East Africa Community and Regional Integration to deliberate on the heavy taxation and harmonized communication tariffs across the East Africa Regions.
12	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Wednesday, 24th March, 2021 Senate Chamber	10.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Interior and Coordination of National Government to deliberate on the Statements and Petitions pending before the Committee.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Senate Chamber	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, 24th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of Bills committed to the Committee.
		Thursday, 25th March, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of the Petition on the Moi University Sacco.
14	Standing Committee on Roads & Transportation	Wednesday, 24th 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*.