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## **PARLIAMENT** OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE SENATE

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## SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS MONDAY, 18<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER TO FRIDAY, 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing Monday, 18th October to Friday, 22nd October, 2021 is hereby 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	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 am	Consideration of a Statement on the
	Committee on	October, 2021		status of Mumias Sugar Company
	Agriculture,			Limited and its impending takeover
	Livestock and	Online Meeting		and resuscitation sought by Sen.
	Fisheries			Cleophas Malala.
		Friday, 22nd	11:00 am	Consideration of pending legislative
		October, 2021		business.
		Online Meeting		
2.	Standing	Tuesday, 19th	11.30 am	Consideration of the County State
	Committee on	October, 2021		Officers Retirement Benefits Bill,
	Devolution and			2021.
	Intergovernmental	Online Meeting		
	Relations			
		Thursday, 21st –		Working retreat for the Devolution
		Sunday, 24 <sup>th</sup>		Committee to:
		October, 2021		1. Meet with the
				Intergovernmental Relations
		DI . 134		Technical Committee to
		<b>Physical Meeting</b>		consider areas of collaboration;

3.	Standing Committee on Education	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meeting	2:30 pm	Undertake a courtesy call on Mombasa County Government and Mombasa County Assembly; and     Consider various Committee Reports.  Consideration of pending legislative business.
		Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, Council of Governors to deliberate on the plight of Early Childhood Development Education (ECDE) teachers in the counties.
4	Standing Committee on Energy	Thursday 21st October, 2021 Online Meeting	11:00am	Meeting to consider pending legislative business.
5.	Standing Committee on Health	Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	<ol> <li>Meeting with the Ministry of Health to deliberate on:         <ol> <li>Statement by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP concerning the delay in appointment of a substantive Director-General in the Ministry of Health.</li> <li>Statement by former Sen. Isaac Mwaura, CBS, MP on the operationalization of the counsellors and Psychologists Act, 2014.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Statement by Sen. Mary Seneta, MP concerning the construction of healthcare centers in Kajiado County funded by the African Development Bank through the Ministry of Health.</li> <li>Statement by Sen. (Arch) Sylvia Kasanga, MP regarding mental health in Kenya in view of the cessation of movement and curfew currently obtaining in the country.</li> </ol>

6.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, National Treasury and Planning to deliberate on the Statements requested on- 1. Cushioning Kenyans from the negative socio-economic impact of Covid-19 caused by the partial lockdown requested by Sen. Millicent Omanga, MP.  2. The merger of government agencies to form the Kenya Transport and Logistics Network requested by Sen. Aaron Cheruiyot, MP.  3. The operations of the Privatization Commission of Kenya requested by Sen. Moses Wetangula, EGH, MP.  4. Imposition of Value Added Tax on clean and renewable energy products requested by Sen. Abshiro Halake, MP.  5. Increase of Excise Duty on beer made from sorghum, millet and cassava requested by Sen. Cleophas Malala, MP.
7.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Meeting with the Ethics and Anti- Corruption Commission on the Petition regarding alleged corruption and mismanagement in the County Government of Nyamira.
		Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Senate Chamber	9.00 am	Meeting with stakeholders to receive submissions on –  1. The Election (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 42 of 2021);  2. The Election (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (Senate Bills No. 43 of 2021); and  3. The Election (Amendment) (No 3) Bill (Senate Bills No. 48 of 2021).

8.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meetings	10.00 am	Meeting with Broadways Bakery Ltd. on the Petition concerning unfair dismissal and lack of compensation by Broadways Bakeries Ltd.
		C	12.00 pm	Meeting with Kenya Commercial Bank Ltd. and PricewaterhouseCoopers Ltd. on the Petition concerning the plight of former workers of Kenya United Steel Company.
		Tuesday, 19th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9.30 am	Meeting with the Nairobi City County Government and the Nairobi Metropolitan Services on the Status of the New Dandora Stadium.
		Thursday,14 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with the Petitioner and the State Department of Social Protection, Senior Citizens Affairs and Special Programmes on the Petition concerning the status of the Inua Jamii Programme and the Statement concerning the Management of the Inua Jamii Programme by Kenya Commercial Bank Ltd.
9.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	,	11.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation to deliberate on the Petition to expunge the alleged offending provisions in the Water Services Regulations, 2021 and Water Resources Regulations, 2021.
10.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Country Representative, United Nation Development Programme (UNDP) on the role of the UNDP in peace, justice, human rights and development.
11.	Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10:00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Homabay County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.

		Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021  1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10:00 am 12:00 pm	<ol> <li>Meeting with the Governor, Makueni County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.</li> <li>Meeting with the Governor, Bomet County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.</li> </ol>
		Thursday, 21st October, 2021 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Uasin Gishu County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		Friday, 22nd October, 2021 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10.00 am	1. Meeting with the Governor, Trans Nzoia County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
			12:00 pm	2. Meeting with the Governor, Nyamira County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
12.	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade	Wednesday, 20 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of amendments to the Start-up Bill, Senate Bills No.1 of 2021.

	and Industrialization	Thursday, 21st October, 2021	11.00 am	Meeting with Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP to consider supplementary issues on a response to a Statement regarding the financial status of Harambee SACCO.
		Online Meeting		
13.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and	Thursday, 21st October, 2021	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of pending legislative business.
	Foreign Relations	Online Meeting		
14.	Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Trans Nzoia County Assembly to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and the balance of Audit Reports of previous years.
		Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021  Small Dining Hall, New Wing, Main Parliament Buildings	10:00 am	Meeting with the Kakamega County Assembly to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and the balance of Audit Reports of previous years.
		Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	2:00 pm	Meeting with the Garissa County Executive to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019.

		Tuesday, 19 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021  Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Bomet County Assembly to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and the balance of Audit Reports of previous years.
		Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Bungoma County Assembly to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and the balance of Audit Reports of previous years.
		Thursday, 21st October, 2021 Small Dining Hall, New Wing, Main Parliament Buildings	10:00 am	Meeting with the Busia County Assembly to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and the balance of Audit Reports of previous years.
15.	Sessional Committee on Delegated Legislation	Monday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October, 2021 Online Meeting	11:00 am	Consideration of-  1. Pending legislative business before the Committee; and  2. The invitation by the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives to a briefing on the Draft Marine Fisheries Access Regulations, 2021.

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