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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 11TH OCTOBER TO FRIDAY, 15TH OCTOBER, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday**, 11th October to Friday, 15th October, 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 <u>csenate@parliament.go.ke</u>.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11:00 am	Consideration of a Legislative Proposal: the Draft Cotton Bill.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Tuesday 12 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Introductory meeting for the new Members of Devolution Committee; and Consideration of the Committee Work Plan.
		Wednesday 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Consideration of the County Oversight and Accountability Bill, Senate Bills No. 17, 2021.
3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 14 th October, 2021	9:00 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, Council of Governors to deliberate on the plight of Early Childhood

		Online Meeting		Development Education (ECDE) teachers in the counties.
4.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business.
		Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with the Managing Director, Kenya Bureau of Standards to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. (Dr.) Michael Mbito, MP regarding the enforcement of rules and regulations to remove toxic paints from Kenya.
			11:00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Bomet County to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. (Dr.) Christopher Lang'at, MP regarding alleged medical negligence at health facilities in Bomet County.
		Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Chief Executive Officer, National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) to consider Petitions on multiple sclerosis, kidney disease, auto-immune diseases and non-remittance of NHIF deductions by County Governments.
5.	Standing Committee on Information and Technology	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 Online	9:30 am	Consideration of pending legislative business.
		Wednesday, 13 th October 2021 Online	9:30 am	Meeting with the Kenya Private Sector Alliance (KEPSA) on the Draft Traffic (Transportation Network Companies, Owners, Drivers and Passengers) Rules, 2020.
			11:00 am	Meeting with Uber & Bolt on the Draft Traffic (Transportation Network Companies, Owners, Drivers and Passengers) Rules, 2020.
		Thursday, 14 th	9:30 am	Meeting with Communications Authority of Kenya on the

		October 2021 Online		Implementation of Phase III of the Universal Service Fund connectivity projects.
6.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	 Consideration of - a) The Election (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 42 of 2021 - <i>meeting with the Sponsor of the</i> <i>Bill</i>, and b) The Election (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, Senate Bills No. 43 of 2021 - <i>meeting with the sponsor</i> of the Bill.
		Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Preservation of Human Dignity and Enforcement of Economic and Social Rights Bill (Senate Bills No. 21 of 2021).
		Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Alternative Dispute Resolution Bill Senate Bills No. 34 of 2021.
		Friday, 15 th October, 2021 and Saturday, 16 th October, 2021	9.00 am	Consultative Forum on the Kenya National Migration Policy and Implementation of the Global Compact for Migration.
7.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Mombasa County Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Sports, Culture and Heritage to deliberate on the Sports (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 40 of 2021.
		Thursday,14 th October, 2021 Senate Chamber	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.
8.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	 Meeting with- 1. The Chairperson, National Land Commission; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Physical Planning; 3. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry;

9.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	and 4. The Governor, Nandi County; to deliberate on the Petition on the re-settlement status of former Kimondi forest evictees. Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of East African Community and Regional Integration on issues regarding infrastructural development and utilities necessary for enhanced integration.
		Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Council of Governors Chairpersons of the Education Technical Committee and the Human Resources, Labour and Social Welfare Technical Committee on issues of inclusivity, early childhood education and special education in the counties.
10.	Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 County Hall, Mini Hall	10:00 am	Meeting with Petitioners and Stakeholders on the Petition concerning access to title deeds for properties bought at Jamii Bora Estate, Kajiado County.
		Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 1 st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10:00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Kisumu 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.
		Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 1 st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Busia 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, 15 th October, 2021	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Migori County to consider utilization of

		1 st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building		the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
11.	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade and Industrialization	Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with Sen. Johnson Sakaja, CBS, MP to apprise the Committee on emerging issues from submissions on the Start-Up Bill, Senate Bills. No. 1 of 2021.
		Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	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; and Consideration on the way forward on the Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Faki, MP on the status of Mama Ngina Water Front in Mombasa County.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Online	11:00 a.m.	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and the Governor of Kiambu County to deliberate on the Petition concerning the alleged murder of environmentalist and conservationist Ms. Joannah Stutchbury.
13.	Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments	Tuesday, 12 th October, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Wajir County Executive to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for the Financial Year 2018/2019.

		Wednesday 13th, October, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Marsabit 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.
		Wednesday, 13 th October, 2021 Mini Chamber, County Hall, First Floor	10:00 am	Meeting with the Machakos 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, 14 th October 2021 Shimba Hill Hall, First Floor KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Siaya 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, 14 th October, 2021 Mini Chamber, County Hall, First Floor	10:00 am	Meeting with the Kisumu 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.
14.	Sessional Committee on Delegated Legislation	Thursday, 14 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	10:00 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.

<u>Note:</u> The Schedule is also available on Parliamentary website *www.parliament.go.ke.*