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2021

SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 29TH NOVEMBER TO FRIDAY, 3RDDECEMBER, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday**, 29th **November to Friday**, 3rd **December**, 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 <u>csenate@parliament.go.ke</u>.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation to receive submissions on the Irrigation (Amendment) Bill, National Assembly Bills No. 12 of 2021.
		Friday, 3 rd December, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration and adoption of a Report on the Petition concerning the plight of seed farmers in Trans Nzoia County.
2.	Standing Committee on Education	Monday, 29 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	2:30 pm	Consideration of stakeholder submissions on the Special Needs Education Bill, Senate Bills No. 44 of 2021.
		Thursday, 2 nd December, 2021	9:00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.

3.	Standing Committee on Energy	Thursday, 2nd December, 2021 Online meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
4.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Wednesday, 1st December, 2021 Mini Chamber, County Hall	9.00 am	Vetting of shortlisted candidates for the nominee of the Senate to the membership Equalization Fund Advisory Board.
5.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Site Visit	9:00 am	Visit to the Public Health Clinic in Parklands, Nairobi City County.
6.	Standing Committee on Information & Technology	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	9:30 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, the National Treasury & Planning to deliberate on the Statement by Sen. Petronilla Were Lokorio on alleged monopolistic practices by Safaricom PLC.
7.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
	Human Rights	Wednesday, 1 st December, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Meeting with the Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) to consider the Statement sought by Sen. Enoch Wambua, MP on the preparedness
		Thursday, 2 nd	8.00 am	of the IEBC to conduct the 2022 General Elections. Meeting with -
		December, 2021		1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs;
		Online Meeting		 2. The Attorney General; and 3. The Governor, Nandi County; to consider the Statement sought by Sen Samson Cherarkey, MP on a public apology by the United Kingdom to the Talai community and compensation for violations of the rights of the community as ordered by the United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC).

8.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Wednesday, 1 st December, 2021 Dandora, Nairobi City County	9.00 am	Site visit to the new Dandora Stadium.
9.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with the Chairperson, National Land Commission on the Petition regarding historical injustices against the Samburu community living in Kirimun area of Laikipia North in Laikipia County.
		Wednesday, 1 st December, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	 Meeting with - 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Physical Planning; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry; 3. The Chairperson, National Land Commission; and 4. The Governor, Nandi County. on Petitions regarding- a) The re-settlement status of former Kimondi Forest evictees; and b) The alleged gazettement of Chetambe (Webuye) Hill Forest, vide Legal Notice No. 106: Proposed Declaration of Public Forest Chetambe (Webuye) Hill Forest.
		Thursday, 2 nd December, 2021 Online Meetings	11.00 am	Meeting with the Managing Director, Kenya Airports Authority (KAA) regarding an update on the progress made in compensation following the alleged encroachment of private land at Ikanga Airstrip, Taita Taveta County by KAA.
			12.00 pm	Meeting with the Petitioners from the Diocese of Embu Trustees on a Petition regarding the alleged illegal alienation of parcel of land EMBU/MUNICIPALITY/375 (Leasehold) by Child Welfare Society of Kenya in Embu County.

1 0.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 1 st December, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Infrastructure, Housing, Urban Development and Public Works to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. Petronilla Were, MP, regarding appointments in parastatals and State corporations by the Cabinet Secretary, from 2013 to date.
		Thursday, 2 nd December, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Country Representative, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) on the role of the UNDP in peace, justice, human rights and development.
1	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade and Industrialization	Monday, 29 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	County visit to Murang'a County Creameries to receive submissions on a Statement sought by Sen. Irungu Kang'ata, MP on the operations of Murang'a County Creameries.
		Wednesday, 1 st December, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of the Statement sought by Sen. Agnes Muthama, MP on the liquidation of Drumvale Farmers' Cooperative Society in Machakos County.
1 2.	Standing Committee on Roads & Transportation	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
		Wednesday, 1st December, 2021 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
1 3.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Senate Chamber	11.00 am	Meeting with the Director of Laikipia Nature Conservancy to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. John Kinyua, MP concerning the incessant banditry attacks in the County.

		Wednesday, 1st December, 2021 Senate Chamber	9.30 am	Meeting with the alleged land owners in the Kiambu Forest Reserve to address the Petition concerning the murder of a conservationist, Ms. Joanna Stutchbury.
1 4.	Sessional Committee on Delegated Legislation	Monday, 29 th November, 2021 Online Meeting	11:00 am	Consideration of the Irrigation (General) Regulations, 2021.
		Thursday, 2 nd December, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
1 5.	Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments	Monday, 29 th November, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10:00 am	Meeting with the Nairobi City 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, 29 th November, 2021 Small Dining Hall, New Wing, Main Parliament Buildings	10.00 am	Meeting with the West Pokot 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.
		Tuesday, 30 th November, 2021 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC	10.00 am	Meeting with the Kisii 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.

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