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# **REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

# <u> TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – FIFTH SESSION</u>

# THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

# THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021

- **1.** The House assembled at thirty minutes past two O'clock
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
- **3. Presiding –** the Honourable Speaker

# 4. <u>PETITIONS</u>

The Member for Kilifi South (Hon. Ken Kiti Chonga, MP) presented a Petition on dispossession of land belonging to residents of Mwendo wa Panya in Mtepeni, Kilifi South Constituency.

Petition referred to the Departmental Committee on Lands pursuant to the Standing Orders.

# 5. PAPERS LAID

The following Papers were laid on the Table -

- a) State of the Judiciary and the Administration of Justice Report for 2020/2021 and Gazette Notice No. 12385 of 2021 on the Report;
- b) Commission on Revenue Allocation (CRA) Recommendation on the Basis for Equitable Sharing of Revenue between National and County Governments for the Financial Year 2022/2023 from the Commission on Revenue Allocation
- c) The Quarterly Economic and Budgetary Review Report for the First Quarter of the Financial year 2021/2022 from the National Treasury.
- d) Annual Reports and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the Financial Year 2020/2021:
  - i) The Public Service Commission; and
  - ii) The Office of Data Protection Commissioner.
- e) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 and the certificates therein:
  - i) Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC; and

- ii) Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC.
- f) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 and the certificates therein:
  - i) Kenya National Highways Authority;
  - ii) Kenya Rural Roads Authority;
  - iii) Kenya National Trading Corporation;
  - iv) Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority;
  - v) New Kenya Co-operative Creameries Limited;
  - vi) Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology Noodles Limited; and
  - vii) Maasai Mara University.
- g) Report of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements of Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 and the certificate therein.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

# 6. <u>QUESTIONS</u>

The following Questions were asked -

 (i) Question No.306/2021 by the Member for Kathiani Constituency (Hon. Robert Mbui, MP) regarding delays in salary payments for part-time lecturers in public and private universities.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Labour and Social Protection before the Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

(ii) Question No.478/2021 by the Member for Meru County (Hon. Kawira Mwangaza, MP) regarding quality of school infrastructure in the country.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Education before the Departmental Committee on Education)

(iii) Question No.488/2021 by the Member for Sirisia Constituency (Hon. John Waluke Koyi, MP) regarding elimination of Gender-based Violence in the country.

(To be replied to by the Attorney General before the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

(iv) Question No.490/2021 by the Nominated Member (Hon. Godfrey Osotsi, MP) regarding Vihiga Water Supply Project.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Water, Sanitation and Irrigation before the Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources)

The following Question was dropped in view of the Member's absence -

(i) Question No.279/2021 by the Nominated Member (Hon. Gideon Keter, MP) regarding psychosocial welfare of police officers.

#### 7. STATEMENTS

- a) The following Statements were sought: -
- (i) The Member for Kilifi North Constituency (Hon. Owen Baya Yaa, MP) sought for a Statement from the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing on expansion of the Malindi International Airport. The Statement is to be channeled for scheduling through the Office of the Leader of the Majority Party.
- (ii) The Member for Moyale Constituency (Hon. Qalicha Gufu, MP) sought for a Statement from the Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources on supply of water in Moyale Town. Hon. Sophia Noor, on behalf of the Committee, undertook to have a Response to the Statement made within two weeks.
- (iii) The Member for Sigowet/Soin Constituency (Hon. Kipsengeret Koros, MP) sought for a Statement from the Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock on the Government's preparedness with regard to food security. Hon. Catherine Waruguru, on nehalf of the Committee, undertook to have a Response to the Statement made within two weeks.
- b) The following Statement was responded to: -
- (i) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education and Research responded to a Statement sought by the Nominated Member (Hon. Wilson Sossion, MP) regarding school unrest in the country.
- c) Pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(a), the Leader of the Majority Party presented a Statement on the Business of the House scheduled for the week commencing 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2021: -

#### 8. <u>PROCEDURAL MOTION - EXTENSION OF SITTING TIME</u>

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 30(3)(a) *(Hours of meeting)*, this House **resolves** to extend its sitting hours with respect to the afternoon sittings for the remaining part of the Session so that the House sits until 9.00pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, **with effect from Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021.** 

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

No debate arising;

Question put and <u>agreed to.</u>

# 9. <u>THE COMMUNITY GROUPS REGISTRATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.</u> 20 OF 2020)

Motion made and Question proposed -

#### (No.112) <u>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021</u>

**THAT,** the Community Groups Registration Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 20 of 2020) be now read a Second Time.

(The Leader of the Majority Party -08.06.2021)

Debate on the Bill having been concluded on 17.11.2021;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole House tomorrow.

# 10. <u>MOTION REPORT ON IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF A REPORT ON LAND ISSUES</u> IN TAITA TAVETA COUNTY

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Report of the Select Committee on Implementation on its consideration of the Implementation Status of the Report of the Departmental Committee on Lands regarding Land Issues in Taita Taveta County, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, September 29, 2021.* 

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation -17.11.2021)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on 17.11.2021;

Question put and <u>agreed to.</u>

### 11. <u>MOTION - REPORT ON A PUBLIC PETITION BY RESIDENTS OF WAJIR AND GARISSA</u> COUNTIES REGARDING LACK OF ACCESS TO CITIZEN REGISTRATION SERVICES

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security on its consideration of a Public Petition by residents of Wajir and Garissa Counties regarding lack of access to Citizen Registration Services, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, August 10, 2021.* 

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security -14.10.21)

Debate interrupted on 14.10.2021 resumed;

[Change of Chair from the Honourable Speaker to the Second Chairperson]

Debate concluded;

Mover Replied;

Question deferred.

# 12. THE RADIOGRAPHERS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 47 OF 2019)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed -

#### (No.112) <u>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2021</u>

**THAT,** the Radiographers Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 47 of 2019) be now read a Second Time.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health – 18.11.2021)

Debate arising;

Debate concluded;

Mover Replied;

Question deferred.

#### 13. MOTION - ESTABLISHMENT OF A PARLIAMENTARY HEALTH SERVICES UNIT

Order read;

**THAT**, this House **adopts** the Report of the Select Committee on Members' Services and Facilities on Establishment of a Parliamentary Health Services Unit, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, August 11, 2021.* 

(The Chairperson, Committee on Members' Services and Facilities)

Order Deferred.

#### 14. MOTION - REPORT ON THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES PROVIDENT FUND; THE UNCLAIMED ASSETS TRUST FUND; THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENT TRUST FUND; THE LAND SETTLEMENT FUND; AND THE PETROLEUM FUND

Order on the Motion read;

**THAT,** this House **adopts** the Tenth Report of the Special Funds Accounts Committee on Audited Financial Statements for the Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Unclaimed Assets Trust Fund, the National Environment Trust Fund, the Land Settlement Fund and the Petroleum Fund, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, August 10, 2021.* 

(Member, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

Motion Moved;

Motion to be seconded in the next Sitting.

And the time being Five Minutes to Seven O'clock, the Second Chairperson interrupted business and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**15.** <u>**HOUSE ROSE</u> - at Five Minutes to Seven O'clock.**</u>

#### MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, November 23, 2021 at 9.30am