



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – FIFTH SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 09, 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. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The Speaker the following Communication from the Chair –

Consideration of the proposed amendments to the *Waqf* Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 73 of 2019)

“Honourable Members,

As you are aware, the *Waqf* Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 73 of 2019) which seeks to provide for the establishment of the *Waqf* Commission and administration of *waqf* property and for connected purposes is due for consideration in Committee of the Whole House in accordance with the requirements of Standing Order 130. To this end, a schedule of various amendments proposed to be considered at the Committee of the whole House has been published in the Order Paper as “Notice of Amendments”. Other than the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs, the Member for Garissa Township (The Hon. Aden Duale), the Member for Suba North (The Hon. Millie Odhiambo) and the Member for Mvita (The Hon. Abdulswamad Nassir) have given notice of proposed amendments to the Bill.

Honourable Members, I wish to inform you that I have since received through the Office of the Clerk, a Memorandum from the Supreme Council of Kenya Muslims raising several issues with respect to the amendments proposed by the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs on to Clauses 2 and 8 of the Bill.

Honourable Members, just as a way of a highlight, the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs has proposed amendments to Clause 2 of the Bill to introduce a new definition of the term “*Hajj*”. Further, the Committee proposes an amendment to Clause 8 in order to expand the functions of the *Waqf* Commission to include co-ordination, licensing, supervision and regulation of services relating to *Hajj* in Kenya and

representation of Kenya in matters relating to *Hajj*. These are contained in the proposed *new paragraphs (gc) and (gd)*.

Honourable Members, the Supreme Council of Kenya Muslims in their Memorandum to the Speaker objects to the inclusion of the amendments touching on *Hajj*. The Council contends, among other grounds, that the proposed amendments to the Bill in Clause 2 and Clause 8 in the proposed new paragraphs (gc) and (gd) are misplaced as they propose to bring *Hajj* matters under the *Waqf* Commission which is conventionally deals with *waqf* property and related trusteeship.

Honourable Members, consequently, I have examined the proposed amendment to Clause 2 and the proposed new paragraphs (gc) and (gd) in Clause 8 against the provisions of Standing Order 133(5). Hon. Members, Standing Order 133(5) provides as follows and I quote —

133(5). No amendment shall be permitted to be moved if the amendment deals with a different subject or proposes to unreasonably or unduly expand the subject of the Bill, or is not appropriate or is not in logical sequence to the subject matter of the Bill.

Honourable Members, looking at the Long Title of the Bill, it is clear that the *Waqf* Bill, 2019 only seeks to provide for the establishment of the *Waqf* Commission and administration of *waqf* property and for connected purposes. Indeed, this is further espoused in the application Clause of the Bill in Clause 3, which provides that, once enacted, the new law shall apply to the making and administration of *waqf* property. It is on this basis that Clause 8 of the Bill provides for the functions of the *Waqf* Commission which, from a close reading of the Bill, all relate to the administration of *waqf* property as the subject of the proposed legislation. The Bill has no single provision dealing with the *Hajj*, not even a remote mention of pilgrimage. You will therefore agree with me that the proposed amendment by the Committee to Clause 2 and new paragraphs (gc) and (gd) of Clause 8 by the Committee and Hon. Abdullswamad Nassir, MP, relating to the subject of *Muslim Hajj* are contrary to the provisions Standing Order 133(5) *as they deal with a different subject matter and propose to unreasonably and unduly expand the subject of the Bill*. At this stage, the Question that the Speaker has to address is - if the proposed amendments deal with a different subject matter, should they be admitted for consideration and thereafter a vote by the House?

Hon. Members, it is worth noting that if the impugned proposed amendments were to be admitted for consideration, the House would undoubtedly offend the provisions of Article 118 of the Constitution on public participation. These are new matters for which the general public did not have a chance to interact with and give their views on.

Honourable Members, Whereas I commend the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs for discharging their mandate in consideration of the *Waqf* Bill culminating in their report to the House and a schedule of proposed amendments, I find that the proposed amendment to Clause 2 proposing to define the word "*Hajj*" and the proposed new paragraphs (gc) and (gd) under Clause 8 proposing to expand the conventional role of a *Waqf* Commission beyond the administration of *waqf* property and trusteeship are

contrary to the provisions of Article 118 of the Constitution with regard to public participation and Standing Order 133(5) and hence shall not be considered at the Committee of the Whole House. The rest of the amendments proposed by the Committee to the Bill are admissible for consideration by the Committee of the Whole House

The House is accordingly guided.

I thank you!”

5. **MESSAGES**

The Hon. Speaker conveyed the following Messages -

(i) **Message from a Cabinet Secretary on Request for Nomination of a Person for Appointment to the Equalization Fund Advisory Board**

“Honourable Members,

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 42(4) relating to *Messages received from a Cabinet Secretary*, I wish to convey to the House that I have received a Message from the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning requesting for nomination of a person for appointment to the Equalization Fund Advisory Board. This is in accordance with the requirements of the Public Finance Management (Equalization Fund Administration) Regulations, 2021.

Honourable Members, Regulation 4(1) of the Public Finance Management (Equalization Fund Administration) Regulations, 2021 provides as follows-

“(4)(1) There is established an advisory board to be known as the Equalization Fund Advisory Board which shall comprise of —

- (a) the Chairperson who shall be appointed by the Cabinet Secretary;*
- (b) the Principal Secretary to the National Treasury or his representative designated in writing;*
- (c) the Principal Secretary for matters relating to devolution or his or her representative designated in writing;*
- (d) one person from a pastoralist community nominated by the National Assembly;*
- (e) one person nominated by the Senate;*
- (f) one person nominated by the Council of Governors drawn from the areas defined as marginalised;*
- (g) the Chief Executive Officer who shall be the secretary to the Board; and*
- (h) three other persons nominated from organizations working in equalization fund beneficiary counties and special interest groups, appointed by the Cabinet Secretary.*

Hon. Members, Regulation 5 further provides for the qualifications of persons appointed under paragraphs (a), (d), (e), (f), and (h) as follows:

- a) a citizen of Kenya;*
- b) holds a degree from a university recognized in Kenya;*

- c) *has at least five years' professional experience in a relevant field; and*
- d) *meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.*

In this regard, Honourable Members, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning is requesting the National Assembly to nominate a member for subsequent appointment in line with the Public Finance Management (Equalization Fund Administration) Regulations, 2021, to enable full operationalization of the Equalization Fund.

Honourable Members, this is a relatively new procedure, as the House is not typically involved in the nomination of persons to public offices.

As such, even as I refer this Message to the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning for consideration, I wish to give some further guidance. That the Committee will be required to convert itself into a Selection Panel, and undertaking an exercise to competitively recruit and interview suitable candidates. The Committee will then be expected to submit its report on the successful nominee to the House within set timelines for consideration by the House.

The House is accordingly guided.

I thank you!"

(ii) Message from the Senate on the Passage of the Public Private Partnerships Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 6 of 2021); the Health (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 26 of 2020); the Investment Promotion (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 2 of 2021); the Office of the County Printer Bill (Senate Bills No. 13 of 2021); the Disaster Risk Management Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2021); and the County Boundaries Bill (Senate Bills No. 20 of 2021)

"Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41, I wish to report to the House that I have received a Message from the Senate regarding its passage of the following six Bills: -

- (i) The Public Private Partnerships Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 6 of 2021);
- (ii) The Health (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 26 of 2020);
- (iii) The Investment Promotion (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 2 of 2021);
- (iv) The Office of the County Printer Bill (Senate Bills No. 13 of 2021);
- (v) The Disaster Risk Management Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2021); and
- (vi) The County Boundaries Bill (Senate Bills No. 20 of 2021).

Honourable Members, the first Message is in respect of the passage of the Public Private Partnerships Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 6 of 2021). You will recall that this Bill, which sought to "*provide for the participation of the private sector in the financing, construction, development, operation or maintenance of infrastructure or development projects through public private partnerships*" was passed by the National Assembly on 30th June 2021. The Message conveys in part "that the Senate considered and passed the said Bill with amendments on Thursday, 21st October,

2021 and now seeks the concurrence of the National Assembly in accordance with the provisions of Article 112(1)(b) of the Constitution.” Consequently, the Senate has proposed amendments to Clauses 6, 33, and 75 and inserted new Clauses 75A, 75B, 75C and 75D.

Honourable Members, the second Message relates to the passage of the Health (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 26 of 2020) published *vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 198 of 19th November 2020* and passed with amendments on Thursday, 21st October, 2021. The Bill seeks *“to amend the health Act, to enhance the functions of the Kenya Human Resources advisory council in order to empower it to advise the national and the respective county governments on health human resources; and for connected purposes.”*

Honourable Members, the third Message is in respect of the passage of the Investment Promotion (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 2 of 2021) published *vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 11 of 12th February 2021* seeking *“to amend the Investment Promotion act; to ensure the participation of County governments in the promotion of trade in the country; and for connected purposes.”* The Bill was passed with amendments on Thursday, 21st October, 2021.

Honourable Members, the fourth Message is in respect of the passage of the Office of the County Printer Bill (Senate Bills No. 13 of 2021) seeking *“to establish the office of the county printer in each county; to provide for the functions, mandate, management and administration of the office; and for connected purposes.”* The Bill was published *vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 11 of 12th February 2021* and passed without amendments on Thursday, 21st October, 2021.

Honourable Members, the fifth Message relates to the passage of the Disaster Risk Management Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2021), which seeks to *“establish the National Disaster Risk Management authority and County Disaster Risk Management Committees; to provide a legal framework for the coordination of disaster risk management activities; and for connected purposes.”* The Bill was published *vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 34 of 12th March 2021* and passed without amendments on Thursday, 21st October, 2021.

Honourable Members, the sixth Message relates to the passage of The County Boundaries Bill (Senate Bills No. 20 of 2021) published *vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 42 of 23rd March 2021* and passed with amendments on Thursday, 21st October, 2021. The Bill seeks to *“provide for county boundaries; to provide for a mechanism for the resolution of county boundary disputes; to give effect to Article 188 of the Constitution by providing for the procedure for alteration of county boundaries; to provide for the establishment of an independent county boundaries commission; and for connected purposes.”*

Honourable Members, the Senate, having considered and passed the six Bills, now seeks the concurrence of the National Assembly. Our Standing Orders require the Speaker to cause a Bill received from the Senate to be read a First Time upon

conveyance of its Message. I therefore direct the House Business to schedule the five Senate Bills for *First Reading* in tomorrow afternoon's Order Paper. After First Reading and pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 127, the Bills will be referred to the respective Committees as follows -

- (i) The Health (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 26 of 2020) will stand committed to the Departmental Committee on Health;
- (ii) The Investment Promotion (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 2 of 2021) will stand committed to the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperatives;
- (iii) The Office of the County Printer Bill (Senate Bills No. 13 of 2021) will stand committed to the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security;
- (iv) The County Boundaries Bill (Senate Bills No. 20 of 2021) will stand committed to the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs; and
- (v) The Disaster Risk Management Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2021) will stand committed to the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security.

Honourable Members, in considering the Bills, the said Committees will be expected to among other things, apply themselves to the provisions of Articles 109(5) and 114 of the Constitution relating to origination and definition of a "*Money Bill*" and make appropriate recommendation(s) to the House as required by the Constitution. The Committees should also refer to my Message dated 30th September, 2021 on consideration of Senate Bills. The reports of the respective Committees shall assist in guiding the House with respect to the next stages and prioritization of the said Bills, especially given the fact that three of the Bills, that is, the Office of the County Printer Bill, the County Boundaries Bill and the Disaster Risk Management Bill, appear to have been republished by the Senate. I therefore request the Committees to prioritize the five Senate Bills in their respective agenda.

Honourable Members, with regard to the Public Private Partnerships Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 6 of 2021), I direct the Clerk to circulate the amendments to all Members in accordance with Standing Order 145. Further, the Senate amendments on the Bill are hereby committed to the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning for consideration. The Committee is expected to submit its report before the amendments are considered by the House. For avoidance of doubt, the House is reminded that the National Assembly will only consider the amendments made by the Senate to the Bill and not any other part of the Bill.

I thank you!"

6. PAPERS

The following Papers were laid on the table of the House -

- (a) Legal Notice No. 163 of 2021 relating to the Retirement Benefits (Individual retirement benefits schemes) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021;

- (b) Legal Notice No. 164 of 2021 relating to the Retirement Benefits (Occupational Retirement Benefits Schemes (Amendment) Regulations, 2021;
- (c) Legal Notice No. 165 of 2021 relating to the Retirement Benefits (Umbrella Retirement Benefits Schemes (Amendment) Regulations, 2021;
- (d) Legal Notice No. 212 of 2021 relating to the Partnerships (Limited Partnerships) Regulations, 2021;
- (e) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30th June, 2019 and the certificates therein: -
 - (i) Laikipia University;
 - (ii) Coast Development Authority;
 - (iii) Karumo Technical Training Institute;
 - (iv) Water Resources Authority;
 - (v) Kenya Institute of Supplies Management;
- (f) The Consolidated National Government Investment Report for the Financial Year 2020/2021; and
- (g) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements of NG-CDF in respect of the following Constituencies for the year ended 30th June, 2019 and the certificates therein: -
 - (i) Changamwe
 - (ii) Mavoko
 - (iii) Kilome
 - (iv) Buuri
 - (v) Kinango
 - (vi) Runyenjes
 - (vii) Taveta
 - (viii) North Hoor
 - (ix) Ndia
 - (x) Jomvu
 - (xi) Moyale
 - (xii) Gem
 - (xiii) Bondo
 - (xiv) Kisumu Central
 - (xv) Rongo
 - (xvi) Nyaribari Masaba

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

- (h) Report of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning on its consideration of Nominees for appointment as Members of the Privatization Commission and the Competition Authority of Kenya respectively.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

- (i) Report of the al Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs on its consideration of Nominees for appointment as Members of the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC).

(The Hon. Jennifer Shamalla, MP) – Member, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

7. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following notices of motion were given –

(a) Approval of Nominees for appointment as Members of the Privatization Commission and the Competition Authority of Kenya

THAT, taking into account the findings of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning in its Report on its consideration of *Nominees for appointment as Members of the Privatization Commission and the Competition Authority of Kenya*, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, November 09, 2021 and pursuant to the provisions of section 5(1)(d) of the Privatization Act, 2005 and section 10(2) of the Competition Act, 2010, respectively, and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, this House approves the following appointment of the following persons to the respective institutions–

(i) Privatization Commission:

1. Dr. Edward N. Kobuthi, PhD - Member;
2. Ms. Irene Njeri Wanyoike - Member;
3. Ms. Celine Anyango Orata - Member;
4. Mr. Salah Adan Abdi - Member;
5. Mr. CPA David J.O. Nyakang'o - Member; and
6. Amb. Wellington Pakia Godo - Member.

(ii) Competition Authority of Kenya:

1. Ms. Lena Munuve - Member;
2. Ms. Alome K. Achayo - Member;
3. Dr. David Wanyonyi Wanyama, - Member; and
4. Mr. Abdi A. Mohamed - Member.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

(b) Approval of Nominees for appointment as Members of the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission

THAT, taking into account the findings of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs in its Report on its consideration of *Nominees for appointment as Members of the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC)*, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, November 09, 2021 and pursuant to the provisions of section 10(3) of the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission Act, 2011 and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, this House approves the appointment of Col. (Rtd.) Alfred Mutweta Mshimba and Dr. Monica Muriu as Members of the ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

8. QUESTIONS

(a) The following Questions were asked –

- (i) Question No. 447/2021 by the Member for Teso North (Hon. Oku Kaunya, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure, Housing, Urban Development &

Public Works regarding plans to re-classify *Mungatsi - Muyanga - Kimaeti - Lwakhakha Road* (C32) in Teso North Constituency and upgrade it to bitumen standards, funds allocated for construction of the said road and steps being taken to ensure that the construction commences and is completed on time.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure, Housing, Urban Development & Public Works before the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

- (ii) Question No. 448/2021 by the Member for Tharaka (Hon. George Murugara, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for National Treasury and Planning on the amount of money that had been set aside for payment of Pensions, Gratuities and other benefits to former Councillors who served in the former County Councils between 1963 and 2012, the number of former Councillors set to benefit from the allocation and when the Ministry plans to release the payments to the respective former Councillors.

(To be replied to by Cabinet Secretary for National Treasury and Planning the before the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

- (iii) Question No. 452/2021 by the Member for Kericho County (Hon. Florence Bore, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary Cabinet Secretary for Lands and Physical Planning regarding the status of ownership and the total acreage of land occupied by the *Bomas of Kenya limited in Langata* Constituency, Nairobi County and reasons why the *Bomas of Kenya Limited* was not compensated like any other Government Agency when part of its land was acquired compulsorily by the Government.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Lands and Physical Planning before the Departmental Committee on Lands)

- (iv) Question No. 458/2021 by the Member for Marsabit County (Hon. Safia Adan, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Water, Sanitation and Irrigation on the plans that the Ministry had put in place to establish more water supply projects in Marsabit County and in particular Saku Constituency to curb increased water shortages and the measures that the Ministry had put in place to ensure that majority of households were access water for their livestock and home use, which would go a long way in reducing conflicts in Marsabit County.

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

- (v) Question No. 461/2021 by the Member for Tetu (Hon. James Gichuhi Mwangi, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Industry, Trade and Co-operatives on the steps the Ministry was taking to compensate *Ms. Maureen Wayaga*, a rabbit farmer from Tetu Constituency who lost 500 rabbits after feeding them with rabbit pellets bought and supplied by *M/s Unga Feeds Limited PLC*, which allegedly contained high levels of aflatoxins despite the products having been certified by the Government Agencies such as the Kenya Bureau of Standards and the the Ministry was taking to ensure that all regulated and certified animal feeds and drugs are safe for use by farmers and that no farmers continue losing their livestock as result of the mentioned incident.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Industry, Trade and Co-operatives before the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperatives)

- (vi) Question No. 463/2021 by the Member for Navakholo (Hon. Emmanuel Wangwe, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Defence seeking a detailed report, including medical report, if any, that necessitated the discharge of one *Mr. Barasa Bob Marvin of KDF No. 159544* from Kenya Defence Forces on 14th July 2021, while undergoing Training at the Recruit Training School in Eldoret and the assistance that the Ministry was extending to Mr. Barasa following his discharge from service.

(To be replied to by the Cabinet Secretary for Defence before the Departmental Committee on defence and Foreign Relations)

(b) The following Questions were deferred –

- (i) Question No. 451/2021 by Nominated Member (Hon. Dennitah Ghata, HSC, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Public Service, Youth and Gender Affairs regarding the status of construction of the *Nguruna Gender Based Violence and Women Centre in Nyabasi East Ward, Kuria East Constituency, Migori County*, a breakdown of the total cost of construction of the said Centre, names of contractor(s), and how much has been paid to the contractor to date and when the Centre was expected to be completed.
- (ii) Question No. 462/2021 by the Member for Tharaka Nithi County (Hon. Beatrice Nyaga, HSC, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure, Housing and Urban Development on when will National Land Commission would pay the agreed compensation to persons who were relocated or affected in 2013 to pave way for the construction of the loop road *Kionyo – Chogoria Road in Chogoria sub location of Maara Sub County*, particularly *Mr. Ileri M' Raria* of ID number 2490811 be paid compensation for Plot No. *Kabeche Market 19A*, affected by the construction of the said project and whether the Cabinet Secretary would consider enhancing the previous valuations to reflect the current value of land, inflation rate and the time that would be taken to compensate affected persons.

9. THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN FINANCING (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 37 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Constitutional Implementation Oversight Committee)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the relevant Constitutional Implantation Committee pursuant to the Standing Order 127(1).

10. THE ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 41 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Constitutional Implementation Oversight Committee)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Constitutional Implementation Oversight Committee on pursuant to the Standing Order 127(1).

11. THE PETROLEUM PRODUCTS' (TAXES AND LEVIES) (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 42 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning pursuant to the Standing Order 127(1).

12. THE ADVOCATES (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 43 OF 2021)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs pursuant to the Standing Order 127(1).

13. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE WAQF BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 73 OF 2019)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Order for Committee of the Whole House read;

Rising in his place on a Point of Order pursuant to Standing Order 131, the Majority Party Whip (Hon. Emmanuel Wangwe) sought the indulgence of the Speaker to defer consideration of the Bill in the Committee of the Whole House until Wednesday, November 10, 2021 (Afternoon Sitting) in order to allow consultations and harmonisation of certain contested amendments;

And the Speaker having acceded to the request, thereupon ordered that Committee of the Whole House on the Bill be deferred until Wednesday, November 10, 2021 (Afternoon Sitting).

14. THE KENYA NATIONAL COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1 OF 2020)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and question proposed;

THAT, the Kenya National Commission on Human Rights (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 1 of 2020) be now read a Second Time;

(The Chairperson, Constitutional Implementation Oversight Committee)

(Change of chair from the Hon. Speaker to the Fourth Chairperson)

Debate arising;

15. QUORUM IN THE HOUSE

Rising in his place on a Point of Order pursuant to Standing Order 35, the Member for Mosop Constituency (Hon. Vincent Tuwei, MP) objected that there was not Quorum present in the House;

And the Fourth Chairperson having ascertained the claim, thereupon caused the Division Bell to be rung for ten minutes;

And there being no Quorum present at the expiration of ten minutes, the Fourth Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to Standing Order 35(2)(a).

16. HOUSE ROSE - at three minutes past Six O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 9.30 a.m.

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