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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

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THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023 (AFTERNOON SITTING)

- 1. The House assembled at Thirty Minutes past Two O'clock in the morning
- 2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
- 3. **Presiding –** The Rt. Hon. Moses Wetang'ula, EGH, MP, Speaker

4. **PAPERS**

- 1. Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements on E-Citizen Revenue Accountability Statements for the year ended 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022;
- 2. Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30th June 2022:
 - a) Rural Electrification Scheme Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC;
 - b) The President's Award Kenya;
 - c) National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse Mortgage and Car Loan Fund;
 - d) Non-Governmental Organizations Co-ordination Board;
 - e) Financial Reporting Centre;
 - f) Kenya Trade Network Agency (KENTRADE);
 - g) Public Procurement Regulatory Authority;
 - h) Public Procurement Regulatory Authority Staff Loans Scheme Fund;
 - i) University of Nairobi Press;
 - j) Privatization Commission;
 - k) Kenya Nuclear Regulatory Authority;
 - 1) National Crime Research Centre;
 - m) Kenya School of Law;
 - n) Kenya National Qualifications Authority;
 - o) Private Security Regulatory Authority;
 - p) National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse;
 - q) Kenya Roads Board Operations;
 - r) Kenya Roads Board Fund;
 - s) Kenya National Commission for UNESCO;
 - t) Kenya Ordinance Factories Corporation;
 - u) Kenya Medical Training College;
 - v) Kenya Medical Laboratory Technicians and Technologists Board;
 - w) National Aids Control Council;
 - x) Kenya Export Promotion and Branding Agency;
 - y) National Research Fund; and
 - z) Kenya Copyright Board.

(The Deputy Majority Party Whip)

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- 3. Report of the Kenyan Delegation to the 2023 Parliamentary Dialogue On United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC) and Global Parliamentarians Against Corruption (GOPAC) Annual General Meeting, held in Doha, Qatar, from 8th to 9th March 2023.

(Hon. Shakeel Shabbir, MP, Leader of Delegation)

- 4. Report of the Committee on Regional Integration on its Consideration of the Proceedings of the First Session of the Sixth Parliament of the Pan African Parliament (PAP).
- 5.

(Hon. Wanjiku Muhia, MP, Chairperson, Committee on Regional Integration)

6. Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security on its Vetting of a Nominee for Appointment as a Member of the National Police Service Commission.

(Hon. Gabriel Tongoyo, MP, Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

5. **<u>NOTICES OF MOTION</u>**

The following Notices of Motion were given:

a) <u>Report of the Kenya Delegation to the Parliamentary Dialogue on United</u> <u>Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC) and Global Parliamentarians</u> <u>Against Corruption (GOPAC) Annual General Meeting</u>

THAT, this House **notes** the Report of the Kenya Delegation to the Parliamentary Dialogue on United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC) and Global Parliamentarians Against Corruption (GOPAC) Annual General Meeting, held in Doha, Qatar from 8th to 9th March 2023, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday*, 26th April, 2023.

(Hon. Shakeel Shabbir, MP, Leader of Delegation)

b) <u>Vetting of a Nominee for Appointment as a Member of the National Police</u> <u>Service Commission</u>

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security in its Report on the vetting of a nominee for the appointment as a member of the National Police Service Commission, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday*, 26th April 2023, and pursuant to the provisions of Article 250(2)(b) of the Constitution, section 6(6) of the National Police Service Commission Act, 2011 and section 8(1) of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, 2011, this House **approves** the appointment of **Mr. Edwin Kiprono Cheluget** as a Member of the National Police Service Commission.

(Hon. Gabriel Tongoyo, MP, Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

6. **QUESTIONS TIME**

The following Questions were asked and responded to by the Prime Cabinet Secretary:

a) **Question No. 116 of 2023** by the Member for Kamukunji Constituency (Hon. Yusuf Hassan, MP) on measures taken by the Government to address cost of living, fuel cost, depreciation of the Kenya Shilling and overall economic growth.

b) **Question No. 118 of 2023** by the Member for Kamukunji Constituency (Hon. Yusuf Hassan, MP) on steps taken by the Government to ensure adequate relief food supply to areas severely affected by famine and drought.

Various Members also raised Supplementary Questions which were responded to by the Prime Cabinet Secretary within the allotted time.

7. <u>MOTION</u> - <u>RATIFICATION OF THREE HAGUE CONVENTIONS RELATING TO</u> MATTERS OF CHILDREN

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Social Protection on its consideration of the Ratification of the Hague Convention on Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction, the Hague Convention on Jurisdiction, Applicable law, recognition, enforcement and cooperation in respect of parental responsibility and measures for the protection of children, and the Hague Convention on International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 25th April 2023*, and pursuant to the provisions of section 8 (4) of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, 2012, **approves** the *Ratification of the following Hague Conventions:*

- *(i) Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction;*
- *(ii) Jurisdiction, Applicable Law, Recognition, Enforcement and Cooperation in Respect of Parental Responsibility and Measures for the Protection of Children; and*
- (iii) International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Social Protection)

Debate arising;

QUORUM OF THE HOUSE

Rising in his place on a Point of Order, the Member for **Kesses (Hon. Julius Rutto)** drew the attention of the Sixth Chairperson to the fact that there was no Quorum in the House;

And the Sixth Chairperson counted the Honourable Members present and confirmed that there was no Quorum caused the Division Bell to be rung for ten minutes; And there being no Quorum after expiry of ten minutes;

8. **HOUSE ROSE** - at Seven O'clock

And the time being one minute past Seven O'clock, the Sixth Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on-Thursday, April 27, 2023 at 2.30pm