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TUESDAYCommunication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions,20/02/2024Papers, Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions and Bills

A. <u>MOTION - REPORT OF THE NATIONAL DIALOGUE COMMITTEE</u> (The Senate Majority Leader)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the National Dialogue Committee, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 14th February, 2024.

B. <u>*THE TEA (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 1 OF 2023)</u> (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP)

> (Second Reading) (Resumption of debate interrupted on Thursday, 30th November, 2023) (Division)

C. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>**THE EQUALIZATION FUND APPROPRIATION BILL, (SENATE</u> <u>BILLS NO. 30 OF 2023)</u>

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Wednesday, 29th November, 2023 – Afternoon Sitting) (Division)

D. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE COUNTY LICENSING (UNIFORM PROCEDURE) BILL</u> <u>(SENATE BILLS NO. 9 OF 2022)</u>

(Sen. Mariam Sheikh Omar, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

E. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE AGRICULTURAL AND LIVESTOCK EXTENSION SERVICES</u> <u>BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 12 OF 2022)</u>

(Sen. Maureen Tabitha Mutinda, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

F. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE MUNG BEANS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 13 OF 2022)</u> (Sep. Eauch Wambua, MP)

(Sen. Enoch Wambua, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

G. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE START-UP BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 14 OF 2022)</u>

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

H. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

<u>*THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 7 OF</u> 2023)

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

I. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE KENYAN SIGN LANGUAGE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 9 OF</u> <u>2023)</u>

(Sen. (Prof.) Margaret Kamar, MP and Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 28th November, 2023) (Division)

J. <u>***THE WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY</u> <u>BILLS NO. 33 OF 2023)</u>

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading) (Resumption of debate interrupted on Thursday, 15th February, 2024)

K. <u>*THE PARLIAMENTARY POWERS AND PRIVILEGES</u> (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 37 OF 2023)

(Sen. Godfrey Osotsi, MP)

(Second Reading)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Wednesday, 14th February, 2024 – Afternoon Sitting)

L. *THE COUNTY BOUNDARIES BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 6 OF 2023)

(Sen. Moses Kajwang', MP)

(Second Reading)

M. <u>**THE HERITAGE AND MUSEUMS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 8 OF</u> 2023)

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

(Second Reading)

N. <u>*THE AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT)</u> BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 13 OF 2023)

(Sen. James Murango, MP)

(Second Reading)

O. <u>*THE MATERNAL, NEWBORN AND CHILD HEALTH BILL (SENATE</u> <u>BILLS NO. 17 OF 2023)</u>

(Sen. Beatrice Ogolla, MP)

(Second Reading)

P. <u>*THE COUNTY HALL OF FAME BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 18 OF 2023)</u> (Sen. Miraj Abdillahi Abdulrahman, MP)

(Second Reading)

Q. *THE RICE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 19 OF 2023)

(Sen. James Kamau Murango, MP)

(Second Reading)

R. <u>THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE</u> <u>BILLS NO. 25 OF 2023)</u>

(Sen. Samson Cherarakey, MP)

(Second Reading)

S. <u>*THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (SENATE BILLS NO. 34 OF 2023)

(Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP)

(Second Reading)

T. Any Other Business

Programme of Senate Business for the week commencing February 20, 2024

WEDNESDAY

21/02/2024 (Morning Sitting) Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers, Notices of Motion, Questions, Motions, Bills and any other Business not concluded on Tuesday, 20th February, 2024.

A. QUESTIONS

QUESTION NO.	SENATOR	SUBJECT	MINISTRY	
001	Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP	Inter-communal clashes that occurred in Sondu town during the demonstrations in June and July, 2023	Interior and National Administration	
002	Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP	Non-operationalization of Chiakariga Sub-County in Tharaka-Nithi County	Interior and National Administration	
003	Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP	Theft of cane at weighbridges while in transit to sugar factories	Agriculture and Livestock Development	
004	Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP	Appointment and dismissal of Directors and Managing Directors/ Chief Executive Officers in state-owned sugar companies in Kenya	Agriculture and Livestock Development	
005	Sen. James Murango, MP	Water projects budgeted for by the National Government in Kirinyaga County in the Financial Year 2023/2024	Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	

B. MOTION - REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COUNTY PUBLIC INVESTMENTS AND SPECIAL FUNDS ON NON-REMITTANCE OF PENSION DEDUCTIONS TO THE PENSION SCHEMES BY COUNTY GOVERNMENT ENTITIES.

(The Chairperson, Select Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Select Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds on non-remittance of pension deductions to the Pension Schemes by County Government entities laid on the Table of the Senate, today, Wednesday, 14th February, 2024.

C. <u>MOTION - REPORT OF THE 66TH COMMONWEALTH</u> <u>PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE HELD IN ACCRA, GHANA FROM</u> <u>30TH SEPTEMBER – 6TH OCTOBER, 2023</u>

(Sen. (Prof.) Margaret Kamar, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the 66^{th} Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference held in Accra, Ghana from 30^{th} September – 6^{th} October, 2023.

D. Any Other Business

WEDNESDAY	Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers,
21/02/2024	Notices of Motion, Questions, Motions, Bills and any other
(Afternoon Sitting)	Business not concluded on Tuesday, 20th February, 2024.

A. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>**THE COFFEE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 10 OF 2023)</u>

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries)

B. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE PREVENTION OF LIVESTOCK AND PRODUCE THEFT BILL</u> <u>(SENATE BILLS NO. 12 OF 2023)</u>

(Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP)

C. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>***THE FOOD AND FEED SAFETY CONTROL CO-ORDINATION</u> <u>BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 21 OF 2023)</u>

(The Senate Majority Leader)

D. <u>COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE</u> <u>*THE CARE AND PROTECTION OF CHILD PARENTS BILL (SENATE</u> <u>BILLS NO. 29 OF 2023)</u>

(Sen. Miraj Abdillahi Abdulrahman, MP)

E. <u>*THE REAL ESTATE REGULATION BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 35 OF</u> 2023)

(Sen. Allan Kiprotich Chesang, MP)

(Second Reading)

F. <u>*THE PUBLIC TRANSPORT (MOTORCYCLE REGULATION) BILL</u> (SENATE BILLS NO. 38 OF 2023)

(Sen. (Dr.) Boni Khalwale, MP)

(Second Reading)

G. <u>*THE ENERGY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF</u> 2023)

(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP)

(Second Reading)

H. Any Other Business

THURSDAYCommunication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions,
22/02/202422/02/2024Papers, Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions, Bills and
any other Business not concluded on Wednesday, 21st
February, 2024.

A. <u>*THE COUNTY PUBLIC FINANCE LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (SENATE BILLS NO. 39 OF 2023)

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

(Second Reading)

B. <u>***THE SUGAR BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 34 OF 2022)</u> (Sen. David W. Wafula, MP)

(Second Reading)

C. <u>***THE NATIONAL RATING BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS</u> <u>NO. 55 OF 2022)</u>

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

D. <u>****THE METEOROLOGY BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 45 OF 2023)</u> (The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

E. <u>***THE PUBLIC SERVICE (VALUES AND PRINCIPLES)</u> (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 46 OF 2022)

(Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP)

(Second Reading)

F. <u>***THE NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT)</u> BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 59 OF 2022)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

G. <u>***THE STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 2 OF 2023)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

I. <u>MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY</u> <u>ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE HIGH COST OF ELECTRICITY IN</u> <u>THE COUNTRY</u>

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy)

THAT, the Senate adopts the report of the Standing Committee on Energy on the inquiry into the high cost of electricity in the Country laid on the table of the Senate on Wednesday, 27th September, 2023.

J. Any Other Business

TUESDAYCommunication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers,27/02/2024Notices of Motion, Questions, Motions, Bills and any other(Morning Sitting)Business not concluded on Thursday 22nd February, 2024.

A. <u>****THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (REVENUE RAISING PROCESS)</u> BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 22 OF 2023)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

B. <u>*THE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS (AMENDMENT) BILL, (SENATE BILLS</u> NO. 31 OF 2023)

(Sen. Karungo Thang'wa, MP)

(Second Reading)

C. <u>*THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (SENATE BILLS NO. 40 OF 2023)

(Sen. Hamida Ali Kibwana, MP)

(Second Reading)

D. <u>*THE STREET VENDORS (PROTECTION OF LIVELIHOOD) BILL</u> (SENATE BILLS NO. 41 OF 2023)

(Sen. Esther Anyieni Okenyuri, MP)

(Second Reading)

E. Any Other Business

<u>KEY</u>

**** - Denotes a l	Majority /	/Minority	Party	Bill
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- *** Denotes a National Assembly Bill
 - ** Denotes a Committee Bill
 - * Denotes any other Bill