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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 5TH AUGUST TO FRIDAY 9TH AUGUST, 2024

In accordance with standing order 44, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 5th August to Friday, 9th August, 2024** is hereby published. Members of the public attending the hearings will be admitted on a "*first-come first-served basis*" and in accordance with the Speaker's Rules on admittance to parliamentary hearings.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Thursday, 8th August, 2024. Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Council of Governors to deliberate on- 1. The status of the transfer of functions from the National Government to the County Governments; and 2. The resourcing of the agricultural sector in counties.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Monday, 5th August, 2024 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Bungoma County to deliberate on the commercial bank accounts operated by the County Executive of Bungoma.
		Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Consideration of the following Reports of the Committee- 1. Report on the personal security concerns of Hon. Philomenah Kapkory, Deputy Governor Trans Nzoia County; 2. Report on the Statement sought by Sen. Godfrey Osotsi, MP, on the state of markets in Vihiga County; and 3. Report on the Statement sought by Sen. David Wakoli, MP on the state of markets in Bungoma County.

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		Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Nyandarua County to deliberate on the commercial bank accounts operated by the County Executive of Nyandarua.
3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Committee Room 8, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	12.00 p.m.	Consideration of responses to the following Statements- 1. Statement sought by Sen. Agnes Kavindu Muthama, MP regarding the safety measures put in place in re-opening of learning institutions following the recent heavy rains and flooding; and 2. Statement sought by Sen. Joseph Githuku Kamau, MP regarding the completion status of Lamu Technical Training Institute.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 8, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	12.00 p.m.	Consideration of- 1. The increase of the Road Maintenance Levy on petroleum pump prices; and 2. The Field Development Plan for South Lokichar Oil fields in Turkana County.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall Building.	9.00 a.m.	Consideration of- 1. The matter of the nomination by the Senate, on behalf of the county governments, of a member of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission; 2. Mechanisms to support counties in circumstances of delayed approval of a Division of Revenue Bill; and 3. Pending legislative business before the Committee.

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		Thursday, August, 8th August, 2024 Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall Building.	9.00 a.m.	Meeting with the County Executive of Isiolo to discuss the following Statements that were sought by Sen. Fatuma Dullo, CBS, MP- 1. Pending bills for Isiolo County Government from the Financial Year 2013/2014 to 2022/2023; 2. Utilization of emergency relief funds in Isiolo County; and 3. Expenditure of funds in Isiolo County Government.
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Consideration of the Judgment of the High Court in Petition No. E473 of 2023: Aura Joseph Enock vs. Ministry of Health on the constitutionality of the Social Health Insurance Act, the Primary Health Care Act and the Digital Health Act.
7.	Standing Committee on Information Communication and Technology	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024. Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	12.00 p.m.	Meeting with the Principal Secretary, State Department of Broadcasting and Telecommunications to deliberate on legislative gaps and opportunities for collaboration and cooperation.
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 6th August 2024 Committee Room 1, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of- 1.The proposed amendments of the Committee to the Houses of Parliament (Bicameral Relations) Bill, 2023 (National Assembly Bills No. 44 of 2023); and 2.The Work Plan of the Committee for August and September, 2024
		Wednesday, 7th August, 2024 Committee Room 1, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of stakeholders submissions on the County Civic Education Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 4 of 2024).

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		Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of stakeholder submissions on Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2023: The Kenya Policy on Public Participation.
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 2, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Meeting with- 1. African Women Development and Communication Network (FEMNET); 2. Kenya Women Parliamentary Association (KEWOPA); 3. The Cradle - The Children's Foundation; 4. United Disabled Persons of Kenya; 5. State Department for Correctional Services; 6. State Department for Gender and Affirmative Action; 7. State Department for Public Health and Professional Standards; and 8. Mzalendo; to deliberate on the Provision of Sanitary Towels Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 7 of 2024).
		Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Virtual Meeting	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of - 1. The work plan for the 1 st and 2 nd Quarter of the Financial Year 2024/2025; and 2. Committee stage amendments to the County Assemblies Pensions Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2024).

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10.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 3, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	9.00 a.m.	<p>Meeting with the Chairperson National Land Commission to consider the following legislative business-</p> <p>A. <u>Bill</u> The Land (Amendment) Bill, 2022 (National Assembly Bills No. 40 of 2022).</p> <p>B. <u>Statements</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statement sought by Sen. Joseph Kamau, MP, regarding compulsory acquisition of land by the Lamu County Government; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Joseph Kamau, MP, regarding alleged encroachment of land in Lamu County; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Fatuma Dullo, CBS, MP, regarding the status of compensation to landowners displaced in the construction of the Horn of Africa Gateway Development Project; 4. Statement sought by Sen. James Lomenen Ekomwa, MP, regarding the land acquisition process occasioned by the Lamu Port-South Sudan-Ethiopia-Transport (LAPSSET) project in Turkana County; 5. Statement sought by Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP, regarding alleged grabbing of public utility land LR. No. 50059/86 in Makadara Constituency, Nairobi City County;

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			<p>6. Statement sought by Sen. Agnes Muthama, MP, regarding compulsory acquisition of land in Mutituni Market, Machakos County belonging to the late Reuben Mutuma by the Government;</p> <p>7. Statement sought by Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, CBS, MP, regarding acquisition of part of L.R. No. Samburu/East Waso/1 in Samburu County by the National Government; and</p> <p>8. Statement sought by Sen. Agnes Kavindu, MP, regarding the illegal acquisition by private individuals of land set for public utilities in Syokimau Estate in Machakos County.</p> <p><u>C. Petitions</u></p> <p>1. Petition by the Cultural Environmental Care Society (CECARE) on behalf of Pumwani residents, concerning the conversion of LR NO. 209/ 2378/1 Pumwani Majengo from public to private land;</p> <p>2. Petition by Mbogo's family of <i>Mbari ya Mbogo</i> concerning the alleged forgery, perjury and illegal alienation of LR No. 7153/1,7153/2,7153/R also known as LR No. 12825;</p> <p>3. Petition regarding the plight of the landless in Muthanthara, Embu County; and</p> <p>4. Petition on delayed allocation of alternative land by way of re-settlement or compensation for the ancestral land that was alienated by the Government of Kenya.</p>

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11.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Committee Room 2, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with- 1. The Public Procurement Regulatory Authority; 2. The National Cohesion and Integration Commission; and 3. The Public Service Commission; to consider the implementation of the resolutions of the Senate on the motion on the Current State of the Nation.
		Friday, 9th August, 2024 Committee Room 2, First Floor Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with- 1. The Ministry of Gender, Culture, Arts and Heritage; 2. The Kenya National Bureau of Statistics; and 3. The University of Nairobi Department of Linguistics; to deliberate on the classification of ethnic communities in Kenya.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 <i>Virtual Meeting</i>	12.00 p.m.	Meeting with Sen. Alexander Munyi Mudigi, MP, to deliberate on his request for the inclusion of Muguka in the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (Control) (Amendment) Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 1 of 2024).
		Thursday 8th August, 2024 <i>Virtual Meeting</i>	12.00 p.m.	Consideration of the resolution of the Senate on the Motion on the current state of the Nation.

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13.	Standing Committee on Roads, Transportation and Housing	Tuesday, 6th August 2024 Committee Room 7, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Consideration of responses to the following Statements- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statement sought by Sen. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP, regarding the designation of the Kenya Association of Bus Manufacturers (KABM) as a conformity assessment provider; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Tom Ojienda SC, MP regarding the state of construction and maintenance of existing roads in Kisumu County; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP regarding construction of six interchangers on the Nairobi Western Bypass; and 4. Statement sought by Sen. Karungo Thang'wa, MP regarding compensation of landowners along Western Bypass.
		Thursday, 8th August, 2024 Committee Room 7, First Floor, Bunge Tower	10.00 a.m.	Consideration of responses to the following Statements- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statement sought by Sen. Shakila Abdalla, MP, regarding transportation challenges along the Lamu-Garsen road in Gamba in Tana River County; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP, regarding the deteriorating conditions of the Marere Bridge along the Kwale -Kinango Road; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP regarding the upgrade to bitumen of the Odda-Bute-Danaba road in Wajir and Marsabit Counties; and 4. Statement sought by Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP regarding the status of Ngong Road.

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14.	Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism	Tuesday, 6 th August, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of the submission of the National Cement Company regarding unlawful tax and cess demand on clinker transportation from Merruesh Plant by Kajiado County Government.
		Thursday, 8 th August, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Meeting with Sen. Alexander Munyi Mundigi, MP to consider the Statement regarding the high cess levied on <i>Muguka</i> cargo transporters in Mbeere, Embu County.
15.	County Public Investments and Special Funds Committee	Monday, 5 th August, 2024 Committee Room 10, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Meeting with the County Executive of Elgeyo-Marakwet to interrogate Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Elgeyo-Marakwet County Education Fund, the Elgeyo-Marakwet Alcoholic Drinks and Control Fund-Executive and the Elgeyo-Marakwet Car and Mortgage Revolving Fund-Executive for Financial Years 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 and the Iten County Referral Hospital for Financial Years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023.
			2.00 p.m.	Meeting with the Auditor-General to consider the matter of the audit of hospitals and municipalities that exist in Counties.
		Tuesday, 6 th August, 2024 Committee Room 10, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the County Executive of Nyamira to interrogate Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Nyamira Municipality for Financial Years 2020/2021, 2021/2022 and 2022/2023.

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		Thursday, 8thAugust, 2024 Committee Room 10, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the County Executive of Migori to interrogate Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Migori County Referral Hospital for Financial Years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023 and the Municipality of Migori and the Municipality of Rongo for Financial Years 2020/2021, 2021/2022 and 2022/2023.
16.	Committee on Delegated Legislation	Tuesday, 6th August, 2024 Committee Room 1, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Principal Secretary, State Department for Environment and Climate Change to deliberation on the Climate Change (Carbon Markets) Regulations (Legal Notice No. 84 of 2024).

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