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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

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THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, APRIL 03, 2025 AT 2.30 PM

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

4. QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT

There being no Quorum present to commence business, the Deputy Speaker ordered that the Quorum Bell be rung for ten minutes;

And Quorum having been attained within ten minutes, business commenced.

5. PAPERS

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

- (a) Legal Notice No. 61 of 2025 relating to the Public Service Commission (State Corporations and Public Universities) (Disciplinary Appeals Procedures) Regulations, 2025 from the Public Service Commission;
- (b) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the years ended 30th June 2021, 30th June 2022, 30th June 2023, and the certificates therein in respect of—
- (i) Moi Kapsowar Girls High School;
- (ii) Muthiga Girls High School;
- (iii) Mwala School;
- (iv) Nakuru Boys High School;
- (v) Naromoru Boys Secondary School;
- (vi) Ngaremara Girls Secondary School;
- (vii) Njoro Day Secondary School;
- (viii) Oloibor Soit Secondary School;

- (ix) Olooseos Girls Secondary School;
- (x) Pangani Girls School;
- (xi) Senior Chief Koinange High School;
- (xii) St. Teresa Moi Equator Girls Secondary School;
- (xiii) St. Mary's Boys High School - Kitany;
- (xiv) St. Mary's Girls High School - Kinyambu;
- (xv) St. Michael Kabaa High School - Machakos; and(xvi) Starehe Boys Centre.
- (c) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of—
 - (i) Affordable Housing Fund;
 - (ii) Agriculture and Food Authority (AFA) Car Loan and Mortgage Fund;

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- (iii) Agro Chemical and Food Company Limited;
- (iv) Amani National Congress Party;
- (v) Coffee Cherry Advance Revolving Fund (CCARF);
- (vi) E-Citizen Revenue Accountability Statement the National Treasury;
- (vii) Ewaso Ng'iro North River Basin Development Authority;
- (viii) Golf Hotel Limited;
- (ix) Human Resource Management Professionals Examinations Board;
- (x) Hydrologists Registration Board;
- (xi) Judiciary Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
- (xii) Kenya Cultural Centre;
- (xiii) Kenya Dairy Board;
- (xiv) Kenya Film Classification Board;
- (xv) Kenya Law Reform;
- (xvi) Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute; and
- (xvii) Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Service Mortgage Fund.
- (d) Status of disbursement of funds under the National Government Constituencies Development Fund (NGCDF) and National Government Affirmative Action Fund (NGAAF) – *laid under Order No. 7 (Statements).*

(Deputy Leader of the Majority Party)

- (e) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Health on -
 - (i) Consideration of Senate Amendments to the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022);
 - Participation in the Africa TB Summit and Health Committee Chairpersons meeting in Lusaka, Zambia, from 29th to 30th October 2024;
 - (iii) Visit to Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine Prefeasibility Engagement to discuss Research and Development of Snakebite Treatments, from 13th to 15th May 2024; and
 - (iv) Attendance to the Seventy-Seventh World Health Assembly held in Geneva, Switzerland, from 27th May to 1st June 2024.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health)

(f) Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security on its consideration of the Assembly and Demonstration Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 28 of 2024).

> (Vice-Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security)

(g) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water & Irrigation on Budget Implementation Review for the First Half of the Financial Year 2024/2025 for the following State Departments:

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- (i) Vote 1109 State Department for Water & Sanitation;
- (ii) Vote 1104 State Department for Irrigation; and
- (iii) Vote 1166 State Department for Blue Economy and Fisheries.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water & Irrigation)

- (h) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Finance & National Planning on its consideration of
 - (i) The Pensions (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 25 of 2024); and
 - (ii) The Kenya National Council for Population and Development Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 72 of 2023).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance & National Planning)

6. STATEMENTS

- a) Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the following Members requested for Statements—
 - (i) The Member for Kabuchai (Hon. Majimbo Kalasinga) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperative regarding theft of Ksh. 25 million belonging to *Nakoyonjo* SACCO Society in Bungoma County;
 - (ii) The Member for Tana River County (Hon. Amina Dika) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security regarding the disappearance of a *Mr*. *Abdullahi Ahmed Mohamed* of *ID No. 42848612*; and
 - (iii) The Member for Marakwet West (Hon. Timothy Toroitich) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding the status of the Secondary Education Quality Improvement Project (SEQIP) in Marakwet West Constituency.
- b) Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the following Statements were responded to—
 - (i) The Vice-Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security responded to a Statement by the Member for Khwisero (Hon. Christopher Aseka) on the scrapping of application fees for issuance of identity cards for first time applicants;
 - (ii) The Vice-Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security responded to a Statement by the Member for Bomachoge Borabu (Hon. Nolfason Barongo) on dismissal of *Mr. Japhet Mochama* of *Force Number 90638* and *ID Number 25917223* from the National Police Service;
 - (iii) The Vice-Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security responded to a Statement by the Member for Samburu North (Hon. Eli Letipila) on escalating banditry and insecurity within Nachola and Nyiro Wards of Samburu North Constituency; and
 - (iv) The Vice-Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock responded to a Statement by the Member for Narok County (Hon. Rebecca Tonkei) on alleged violation of the 2008 agreement between Cereal Growers Association and the Cereal Millers Association on wheat uptake.

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c) Statement pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(a)

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(a), the Deputy Leader of the Majority Party—

- (i) issued a Statement regarding the business of the House for the week commencing Tuesday, 8th April 2025; and
- (ii) issued a Statement on the status of disbursement of funds under the National Government Constituencies Development Fund (NGCDF) and National Government Affirmative Action Fund (NGAAF).

(Change of Chair from the Deputy Speaker to the Third Chairperson of Committees)

7. THE DIVISION OF REVENUE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 10 OF 2025)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 10 of 2025) be now read a Second Time.

(Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee – 03.04.2024)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, April 02, 2025 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed;

Mover <u>replied;</u>

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

Bill read a Second time and committed to Committee of the whole House tomorrow.

8. <u>RE-ORGANISATION OF BUSINESS</u>

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 40(2), the Third Chairperson reordered the sequence of proceedings so as consideration of **Order No. 11** (Motion- Ratification of the Agreement for the Establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation) be undertaken before consideration of **Order No. 9** (Consideration of the Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements for the National Government Ministries, Departments and Agencies for the Financial Year 2021/2022).

9. <u>MOTION – RATIFICATION OF THE AGREEMENT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE</u> <u>AFRICA FINANCE CORPORATION</u>

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning on its consideration of the Agreement for the Establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation, *laid on the Table of the House on Friday*, 14th March 2025, and pursuant to the provisions of section 8(4) of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, Cap 4D, **approves** the *Ratification of the Establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation*.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

(Change of Chair from the Third Chairperson to the Second Chairperson of Committees)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question <u>deferred</u>.

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10. <u>MOTION -</u> <u>CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL ON THE</u> <u>FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT</u> <u>MINISTRIES, DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR</u> 2021/2022

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Public Accounts Committee on its Examination of the Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements for the National Government Ministries, Departments and Agencies for the Financial Year 2021/2022, *laid on the Table of the House on Friday*, 14th March 2025.

(Chairperson, Public Accounts Committee)

(Change of Chair from the Second Chairperson to Fourth Chairperson of Committees)

Debate arising;

And the time being Seven O'clock, the Fourth Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House <u>without</u> Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

11. HOUSE ROSE -

at Seven O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on, Tuesday, 8th April 2025 at 2.30 p.m.

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