

# REPUBLIC OF KENYA

# THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (FOURTH SESSION)

# THE SENATE

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

## **AFTERNOON SITTING**

#### **WEDNESDAY, APRIL, 09, 2025 AT 2.30 PM**

- 1. The Senate assembled at thirty Minutes past Two O'clock.
- 2. The proceedings were opened with a Prayer said by the Deputy Speaker.

## 3. QUORUM OF THE SENATE

The Deputy Speaker, having counted the Honourable Senators present at the commencement of the sitting and confirming that there was Quorum, invited the Clerk to call the Orders of the day.

# 4. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR - VISITING DELEGATION FROM TAITA TAVETA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

The Deputy Speaker conveyed the following Communication from the Chair:

"Honourable Senators,

I would like to acknowledge the presence, in the Speaker's Gallery this afternoon, a visiting delegation from the Taita Taveta County Assembly. The delegation consists of Members the County Leadership and the Speaker's Panel who are undertaking a benchmarking visit to the Senate.

Honourable Senators,

I request that each Member of the delegation rise when called, so that they may be acknowledged in the Senate tradition.

Hon. Lawrence Mzugha - Deputy Majority Leader
 Hon. Stephen Nzai - Deputy Majority Whip
 Hon. Nancy Mwakio - 1st Panelist

4. Hon. Lilian Kidali - 2<sup>nd</sup> Panelist
5. Hon. Daniel Kimuyu - 3<sup>rd</sup> Panelist
6. Hon. Brayson Mwambi - 4<sup>th</sup> Panelist

7. Mr. Fredrick Mwabili - Principal Legal Officer
 8. Mr. Johnson Mlambo - Committee Clerk
 9. Ms. Keren Mzae - Committee Hansard

10. Mr. Reuben Mwanyolo - Serjeant-At-Arms

On behalf of the Senate and on my own behalf, I extend a warm welcome to the delegation and wish them all the best for the remainder of their visit.

I thank you."

#### 5. **PAPER LAID**

The following Paper was laid on the Table of the Senate:

The Environmental Management and Co-ordination (Strategic and Integrated Environmental Assessments and Environmental Audits) (No. 2) Regulations, Legal Notice No. 71 of 2025.

(Sen. Gloria Orwoba, MP on behalf of the Senate Majority Leader)

# 6. **QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS**

# Requests for Statements pursuant to Standing Order 53 (1)

- i) Nominated Senator (Sen. Esther Okenyuri, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the termination of funding for the postgraduate scholarship programme by the National Research Fund and the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) for Kenyan students in Germany.
- ii) Nominated Senator (Sen. Esther Okenyuri, MP) on behalf of Nominated Senator (Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights regarding the cancellation of one hundred and seventy-one (171) vacancies declared by the Judicial Service Commission (JSC).
- iii) Nominated Senator (Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP) on behalf of Nominated Senator (Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism regarding the state of Kenya's local textile industry, noting that Kenya is now the largest importer of second-hand clothes in Africa, with imports valued at over Kes. 18 billion in 2023.
- iv) Request for statement by the Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) from the Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries regarding the welfare of Kenyan fishermen operating in Lake Victoria and the state of fish farming in Kenya was dropped in the absence of the Senator.

#### 7. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for Committee read:

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) – in the Chair)

# Consideration of the National Assembly amendments to the Persons with Disabilities Bill (Senate Bills No. 7 of 2023)

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 4

THAT, Clause 4 of the Bill be amended -

- (a)in paragraph (a), by deleting the word "welfare" and substituting therefor the word "rights";
- (b) in paragraph (e), by inserting the words "inclusion and" and immediately after the words "promote the";
- (c)in paragraph (i), by inserting the words "and compulsory" immediately after the word "free";
- (d) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (p)—
  - "(q)ensure inclusion of persons with disabilities in all mainstream programs and interventions".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 4 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 4

- approved

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 5

THAT, Clause 5 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in sub-clause (1)—

- (i) in paragraph (a), by deleting the word "welfare" and substituting therefor the word "rights";
- (ii) in paragraph (c), by inserting the words "and compulsory" immediately after the word "free";
- (iii) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (f)—
  - "(g)ensure inclusion of persons with disabilities in all mainstream programs and interventions".
- (b) in sub-clause (2), by inserting the words "responsible for matters relating to persons with disabilities" immediately after the words "committee member" appearing in the opening statement; and
- (c) in sub-clause (4), by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—
  - (a) a person with disabilities, who reside within the respective county;

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 5 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

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- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
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- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
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- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 5

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 6

THAT, Clause 6(1) of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "protection, benefit" appearing in paragraph (a) and substitute therefor the words "equal protection, equal benefit".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 6 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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ABSTENSIONS - 0

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- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
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- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
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- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 6

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 8

THAT, Clause 8 of the Bill be amended —

- (a) in sub-clause (1), by deleting the words "on free consent" and substituting therefor the words "on free and full consent"; and
- (b) in sub-clause (2), by deleting the word "sexuality" and substituting therefor the word "sexual".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 8 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 8

- approved

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 11

THAT, Clause 11(1)(f) of the Bill be amended by inserting the word "and inclusive" immediately after the word "quality".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 11 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 11

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 20

THAT, Clause 20(8) of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "adoptive" appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the word "adaptive".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 20 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 20

- approved

National Assembly amendment to Clause 21

THAT, Clause 21 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (2), by inserting the words "where an employer has at least twenty employees," immediately before the word "reserve" in paragraph (a); and
- (b) in sub-clause (5)(e), by deleting the word "solely".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 21 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 21 - approved

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 25

THAT, Clause 25(e) of the Bill be amended by inserting the words "putting in place mechanisms for" immediately before the words "prompt attendance".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 25 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

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- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 25

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 26

THAT, Clause 26 of the Bill be amended –

- (a) by deleting sub-clause (1) and substituting therefor the following new sub-clause
  - (1) Every person with disability has the right to freedom of expression and opinion, including the freedom to seek, receive and impart information and ideas, and the right to access information, on an equal basis with others, in a timely manner and without additional cost";
- (b) in sub-clause (2), by inserting the words "forms of" immediately after the words "and other";
- (c) in sub-clause (7), by deleting the words "Media Council of Kenya" and substituting therefor the words "Communication Authority of Kenya in consultation with the Council";
- (d) in sub-clause (8), by deleting the words "sub-titles" and substituting therefor the words "closed captioning"; and
- (e) in sub-clause (10), by inserting the words "and private" immediately after the word "public".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 26 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzavo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 26

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 28

THAT, Clause 28(2) of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "Kenya" appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the word "Kenyan".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 28 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP

- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

## National Assembly amendment to Clause 28

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 29

THAT, Clause 29(4) of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "Kenya" and substituting therefor the word "Kenyan".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 29 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

# **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzavo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 29

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 45

THAT, Clause 45(4) of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "five" and substituting therefor the word "three".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 45 be approved.

((The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP

- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 45

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 50

THAT, Clause 50 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (1), by inserting the words "upon request by a member of the public or" immediately before the words "where it considers" appearing in paragraph (a);
- (b) in sub-clause (3), by inserting the words "or a member of the public" immediately after the words "regulatory body".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 50 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

ABSTENSIONS - 0

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES – 27 NOES – 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally

27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 50

- approved

National Assembly amendment to Clause 56

THAT, Clause 56 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (1), by deleting the expression "Kshs. 150,000/=" and substituting therefor the words "of such amount as may be prescribed by the Cabinet Secretary"; and
- (b) in sub-clause (2), by deleting the expression "Kshs. 10,000/=" and substituting therefor the words "such amount as may be prescribed by the Cabinet Secretary".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 56 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 56

- approved

## National Assembly amendment to Clause 62

THAT, Clause 62 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "one million" and substituting therefor the words "two million".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 62 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP

- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 62

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 63

THAT, Clause 63 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by renumbering the existing clause as sub-clause (1);
- (b) by inserting the following new sub-clause immediately after sub-clause (1)—
  - "(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding one million shillings or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year or to both".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 63 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
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- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 63

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 65

THAT, Clause 65 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "two hundred thousand shillings" and substituting therefore the words "two million shillings".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 65 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP

- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 65

- approved

## National Assembly amendment to Clause 66

THAT, Clause 66 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "two hundred thousand shillings" and substituting therefore the words "one million shillings".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 66 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 66

- approved

#### National Assembly amendment to Clause 72

THAT, Clause 72 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (b)—

"(c) ensuring that bus-stops are barrier-free".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 72 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP

- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to Clause 72

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to Clause 74

THAT, Clause 74 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in sub-clause (1) by deleting the word "alone" appearing in the opening statement; and
- (b) in sub-clause (2) by deleting the word "alone".

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to Clause 74 be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

#### National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 36A

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 36—

Headquarters 36A.(1) The headquarters of the Council shall be in and other Nairobi.

offices of the

Council.

(1) The Council shall establish other offices and decentralize its services to such other parts of the country as it considers necessary in accordance with Article 6(3) of the Constitution.

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 36A be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote as "Yes"-

Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

## **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkev Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP voted verbally
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 36A

- approved

# National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 66A

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 66—

Begging and 66A. A person who causes, procures, encourages or receiving solicits a child or an adult with disabilities to engage in begging or receiving alms commits an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding two million shillings or imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or to both.

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 66A be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote as "Yes"-

Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua

# County delegation

- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP voted verbally
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 66A

- approved

### National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 73A

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 73—

Housing. 73A. Every Government agency putting up residential and commercial buildings shall reserve at least five percent of the said residential and commercial buildings for acquisition by persons with disabilities and the terms and conditions of such acquisition to persons with disabilities shall include interest free and longer periods of repayment.

Motion made and Question Proposed;

THAT, the National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 73A be approved.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote as "Yes"-

Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP voted verbally
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

National Assembly amendment to insert New Clause 73A

- approved

# Report -

Motion made;

THAT, the Committee of the Whole do report on its consideration of the National Assembly amendments to the Persons with Disabilities Bill (Senate Bills No. 7 of 2023) and their <u>approval</u> thereof, without amendments.

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

8. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (the Deputy Speaker – in the Chair)

# 9. THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 7 OF 2023)

### Bill reported;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

And there being no Senators wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (2), the Deputy Speaker ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

National Assembly amendments to the Persons with Disabilities Bill (Senate Bills No. 7 of 2023) approved.

### 10. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for Committee read;

#### IN THE COMMITTEE

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary, MP) – in the Chair)

# The Energy (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 42 of 2023)

Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP – 02.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2025 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary, MP) directed that the doors be locked, and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 26 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP

- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 23. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 24. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 25. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 26. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

### Report -

Motion made;

THAT, the Committee of the Whole House do report to the Senate its consideration of the Energy (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 42 of 2023) and its approval thereof <u>without</u> amendments.

(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

Question put and agreed to.

### 11. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (Deputy Speaker – in the Chair)

### 12. THE ENERGY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF 2023)

Bill reported without amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said report.

(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP)

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Deputy Speaker ruled that the Motion does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

### 13. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for the Committee read;

### IN THE COMMITTEE

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) – in the Chair)

# The County Public Finance Laws (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 39 of 2023)

Clauses 3, 4 and 5

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 3, 4 and 5 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed four (4) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 2. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 3. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP voted verbally
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP voted verbally
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP voted verbally
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### Clauses 3, 4 and 5 - agreed to

### Clause 6 - amendment proposed

THAT clause 6 of the Bill be amended

- (a) in the proposed new section 109A by-
- (b)
- (i) by deleting paragraph (b) and (d) appearing in subsection (2);

- (ii) in subsection (7) by deleting the word "Service" appearing immediately after the words "County Assembly" in paragraph (b); and
- (iii) by deleting subsection (10).
- (c) in the proposed new section 109B by deleting paragraph (c)

(The Vice- Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget – 08.04.2025)

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Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed four (4) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 2. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 3. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP voted verbally
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
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- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
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- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### Clause 6 (as amended) - agreed to

### Clause 7

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 7 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP-08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

### **AYES**

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- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
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- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clause 7 - agreed to

# Clause 8 - amendment proposed

THAT clause 8 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word "Service" appearing immediately after the words "County Assembly".

(The Vice- Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
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- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### <u>Clause 8 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

### Clause 9

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 9 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP-08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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- 3. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS – 0

### **AYES**

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- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
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- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
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- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
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- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

# Clause 9 - agreed to

### Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 part of the Bill.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP – 08.04.2025)

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And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

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- 1. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 2. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 3. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
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- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 - agreed to

## Report

Motion made -

THAT, the Committee of the Whole House do report to the Senate its consideration of the County Public Finance Laws (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 39 of 2023) and its approval thereof with amendments.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Sigei, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

### 14. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (Deputy Speaker)

# 15. THE COUNTY PUBLIC FINANCE LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 39 OF 2023)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) ruled that the Motion does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

### 16. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for Committee read;

### IN THE COMMITTEE

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) – in the Chair)

# The County Assembly Services (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 34 of 2023)

### Clauses 2 and 3

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 2 and 3 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed four (4) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkev Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 3. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 4. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENSIONS - 0

### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP voted verbally
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP voted verbally
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
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- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### Clauses 2 and 3

- agreed to

### Clause 4

- amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 4.

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote as "Yes"-

Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP - voted verbally

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
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- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
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- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP

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26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP - voted verbally

27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 4</u> - <u>deleted</u>

Clause 5 - Deletion proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 5.

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

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Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote as "Yes"-

Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP - voted verbally

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES

AYES - 27

NOES – 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP

- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
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- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
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- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP voted verbally
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 5</u> - <u>deleted</u>

# Clauses 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 3. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 4. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
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- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clauses 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10

- agreed to

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Title and Clause 1 be part of the Bill.

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86 (2) and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) allowed four (4) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 2. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 3. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 4. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:

AYES - 27

NOES - 0

ABSTENSIONS - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP voted verbally
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP

- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP voted verbally
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted on behalf of the Nyandarua County delegation
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

# The Title and Clause 1

- agreed to

# Report -

Motion made;

THAT, the Committee of the Whole do report on its consideration of the County Assembly Services (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 34 of 2023) and its <u>approval</u> thereof with amendments.

(The Senate Majority Leader on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

- 17. **HOUSE RESUMED** (the Deputy Speaker in the Chair)
- 18. THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 34 OF 2023)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

(The Senate Majority Leader on behalf of Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP)

And there being no Senators wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (2), the Deputy Speaker ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

### 19. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for the Committee read:

### IN THE COMMITTEE

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) – in the Chair)

# The County Assemblies Pensions Scheme Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2024)

### Clause 3

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 3 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

# **AYES**

- Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clause 3 - agreed to

Clause 4 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 4 of the Bill be amended by deleting-

- (a) Sub clause (2); and
- (b) the words "social security benefits including" appearing at the end of the introductory clause to Sub clause (3).

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP

- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 4 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

<u>Clause 5</u> - <u>amendment proposed</u>

THAT Clause 5 of the Bill be amended by deleting—

- (a) the words "and members of staff of county assemblies" appearing at the end of Sub clause (1); and
- (b) deleting the words "and staff" appearing immediately after the word "assemblies" in Sub clause (2).

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button:

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

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- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 5 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

<u>Clause 6</u> - <u>amendment proposed</u>

THAT Clause 6 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by inserting the following new sub clause immediately after Sub clause (1)—
- (1A) The Board shall be a body corporate with perpetual succession and a common seal and shall, in its corporate name, be capable of—
  - (a) suing and being sued;

- (b) taking, purchasing or otherwise acquiring, holding, charging or disposing of movable and immovable property;
- (c) entering into contracts; and
- (d) doing or performing all other things or acts for the furtherance of the provisions of this Act which may be lawfully done or performed by a body corporate.
- (b) in Sub clause (2) by—
  - (i) deleting the word "two" appearing at the beginning of paragraph(c) and substituting therefor the word "three";
  - (ii) deleting the word "two" appearing at the beginning of Subparagraph (d) (i) and substituting therefor the word "three"; and deleting Paragraph (e).

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally

- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

### Clause 6 (as amended) - agreed to.

### Clauses 7 and 8

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 7 and 8 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

# **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clauses 7 and 8 - agreed to

Clause 9 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 9 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting Subclause (2); and
- (b) in Subclause (3) by deleting the words "The Board" appearing at the beginning of the subclause and substituting therefor the words "The Cabinet Secretary".

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP

- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
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- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
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- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

# <u>Clause 9 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

### Clause 10

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT Clause 10 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

### 1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

### AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

# **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

### Clause 10 - agreed to

### Clause 11 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 11 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after Paragraph (g)—

(h) term expires;

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 11 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

#### Clause 12

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 12 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP

- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clause 12 - agreed to

Clause 13 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 13 of the Bill be amended by deleting Paragraph (g).

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### AYES

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 13 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

Clauses 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP

- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

<u>Clauses 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

Clause 23

- amendment proposed

THAT Clause 23 of the Bill be amended by deleting Subclause (2).

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clause 23 (as amended) - agreed to.

<u>Clause 24</u> - <u>amendment proposed</u>

THAT Clause 24 of the Bill be amended by deleting—

- (a) Subclause (4);
- (b) Subclause (6) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
- (6) Any contribution not paid to the scheme by a sponsor within ten days after the last day of the calendar month to which the contributions relate, shall attract interest which shall not be less than the interest declared during the period the contribution remains unremitted.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 24 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

Clause 25

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 25 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP

- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

<u>Clause 25</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

<u>Clause 26</u> - <u>amendment proposed</u>

#### THAT Clause 26 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting the words "or a staff of a county assembly" appearing at the end of Subclause (1);
- (b) in Subclause (3)—
  - (i) by deleting Paragraph (a);
  - (ii) in Paragraph (b) -
    - (a) by deleting the introductory phrase to Paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following new phrase—

(b)where a member ceases being a member of a county assembly before attaining the early retirement age, that member may opt for payment of—

- (b) by deleting Sub paragraph (i) and substituting therefor the following new sub paragraph—
- (i) not more than fifty percent of his total accrued benefits and the investments income that has accrued in respect of those contributions provided that a

member may withdraw any additional voluntary contributions made into the scheme and accrued interest in full;

(iii)in the introductory phrase to Paragraph (c) by deleting the words "before attaining the early retirement age" appearing at the end of the paragraph.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally

- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
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- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 26 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

#### Clauses 27 and 28

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 27 and 28 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" –

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clauses 27 and 28 - agreed to

#### Clause 29 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 29 of the Bill be amended by deleting the words "Despite the provisions of any other written law" appearing at the introductory part of Subclause (2) and substituting therefor the words "Subject to the Retirement Benefits Act".

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
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- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP

- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clause 29 (as amended) - agreed to.

Clause 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP

- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

<u>Clause 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37,</u> 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 and 48

- agreed to

#### Clause 49

#### - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 49 of the Bill be amended by deleting Subclause (4) and substituting therefore the following new sub clause—

(4) Without prejudice to any proceedings instituted under the provisions of this section, a sponsor who makes a deduction from a member's emoluments for remittance to the Scheme and fails to remit the contribution to the Scheme within fifteen days commits an offence and shall on conviction be liable to a fine not exceeding five million shillings or in the case of a natural person to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years or to both.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP

- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

<u>Clause 49 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

Clauses 50 and 51

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 50 and 51 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP

- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzavo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clauses 50 and 51 - agreed to

Clause 52 - deletion proposed

THAT the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 52.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his votes as "Yes" -

Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### **AYES**

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP Voted verbally
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clause 52 - deleted

Clause 53 - amendment proposed

THAT the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 53 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Transition 53. (1) A member of a county assembly who is a member of the of members Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Local Authorities Pension

of county assemblies to the Scheme Trust, the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Defined Benefits) Scheme and the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Umbrella) Retirement Fund shall be transitioned into the Scheme within one year upon the commencement of this Act.

- (2) The funds, assets and other movable or immovable property which immediately before the commencement date were held by or on behalf of the Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Local Authorities Pension Trust, the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Defined Benefits) Scheme and the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Umbrella) Retirement Fund for the members of county assemblies shall vest in the Scheme.
- (3) All the records of members of county assemblies held by the Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Local Authorities Pension Trust, the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Defined Benefits) Scheme and the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Umbrella) Retirement Fund shall be transferred to the Scheme administrator.
- (4) All rights, liabilities and duties whether arising under any written law or otherwise, which immediately before the commencement date were accruing, imposed or enforceable by or against the Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Local Authorities Pension Trust, the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Defined Benefits) Scheme and the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Umbrella) Retirement Fund with regard to members of county assemblies shall vest in, be imposed on, or be enforceable against the Scheme.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button:

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### AYES

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

#### <u>Clause 53 (as amended)</u> - <u>agreed to.</u>

#### Clause 54

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 54 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP

- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Clause 54

- agreed to

New Clause 46A

of this Act

- insertion of new clause proposed

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 46—

Exemption 46A. The Cabinet Secretary may, by order in the *Gazette*—

from compliance with compliance with any specified provisions of this Act; or

(b) extend the time for compliance by any person or class of persons with any specified provisions of this Act

provided that nothing in this section shall apply in respect of payment of retirement benefits.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

#### Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, New Clause 46A be now read a Second Time.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 3. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 4. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP Voted verbally
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP Voted verbally
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Question agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, New Clause 46A be part of the Bill.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP

- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

New Clause 46A - agreed to

New Clause 46B - insertion of new clause proposed

THAT the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 46—

Provisions 46B. The provisions of the Retirement Benefits Act (Cap. 197) of the and regulations thereunder shall apply to the Fund.

Retirement

**Benefits** 

Act

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

#### Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, New Clause 46B be now read a Second Time.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 3. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 4. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP Voted verbally
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP Voted verbally
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Question agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, New Clause 46B be part of the Bill.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

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The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP

- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

New Clause 46B - agreed to

#### Clause 2 - amendment proposed

THAT Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by—

(a) inserting the definition of the term "beneficiary" immediately after the definition of the term "Authority"—

"beneficiary" means a dependant, a person nominated by the member in writing or any other person other than a member entitled to receive a benefit;

- (b) deleting the definition of the term—
  - (i) "existing schemes" and inserting therefor the following new definition—

"existing scheme" means the Local Authorities Provident Fund, the Local Authorities Pension Trust, the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Defined Benefits) Scheme and the Local Authorities Pension Trust (Umbrella) Retirement Fund;

(ii) "income drawdown" and inserting therefor the following new definition—

"income drawdown" means an arrangement that allows a member of a retirement benefits scheme to access his or her accumulated retirement benefits as a regular income through reinvesting his or her benefits from an income drawdown fund registered by the Retirement Benefits Authority;

(iii) "member" and inserting therefor the following new definition—
"member" means an eligible member of a county assembly who has become a
member of the Scheme and includes a person entitled to or receiving a benefit
under the Scheme;

(iv) "normal retirement age" and inserting therefor the following new definition—

"normal retirement age" means the age of sixty years or such other age set out in written law or applicable policy;

> (v) "spouse" and inserting therefor the following new definition— "spouse" means a husband or a wife;

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally

- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

Clause 2 (as amended) - agreed to.

#### <u>The Title</u> - <u>amendment proposed</u>

THAT the Bill be amended by deleting the long title and substituting therefor the following new long title—

AN ACT of Parliament to provide for a contributory pension scheme for members of county assemblies; establish a county assemblies pensions fund for the payment or granting of pensions or retirement benefits to members of county assemblies; and for connected purposes.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare - 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button:

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded their votes as "Yes" -

- 1. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 3. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 4. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

#### AYES

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP Voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP Voted verbally
- 9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP Voted verbally
- 10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 11. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 12. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 13. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP
- 15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 17. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 18. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 22. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 27. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP

#### The Title (as amended) - agreed to.

#### Clause 1

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 1 be part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86(5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes" -

1. Sen. Adan Fatuma Dullo, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 30 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang, Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP

- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

#### Clause 1

- agreed to

#### Report

Motion made: -

THAT, the Committee of the Whole do report to the Senate its consideration of the County Assemblies Pensions Scheme Bill (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2024) and its approval thereof <u>with</u> amendments.

(The Senate Majority Leader)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Hillary Wakili, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

20. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (The Deputy Speaker – in the Chair)

## 21. THE COUNTY ASSEMBLIES PENSIONS SCHEME BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 14 OF 2024)

Bill reported **with** amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

(The Senate Majority Leader)

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(1), the Deputy Speaker ruled that the question does not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

# 22. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE- THE NATIONAL DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 24 OF 2023) (The Senate Majority Leader)

Order read;

Order deferred.

#### 23. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for the Committee read;

#### IN THE COMMITTEE

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) – in the Chair)

#### The Land (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 40 of 2022)

#### Clause 3 - amendment proposed

THAT clause 3 of the Bill be amended in the introductory phrase to the proposed sub-section (16) by inserting the words "publish a notice in the Gazette specifying the particulars of the registration and" immediately after the words "the Registrar shall".

(Sen. Karen Nyamu on behalf of the Chairperson, Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources - 08.04.2025)

Resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that a roll call voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 88(1) and that the Division Bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the **"Yes"**, **"No"** or **"Abstain"** button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson allowed seven (7) Senators to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes verbally as "Yes"

- 1. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP voted verbally
- 2. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP voted verbally on behalf of the Nyandarua Delegation
- 3. Sen. Mogeni Erick Okong'o, MP voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP voted verbally
- 5. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP voted verbally
- 6. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP Voted Verbally
- 7. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP voted verbally

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed the Clerk to call out the names of Senators in alphabetical order;

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 31 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass, Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 7. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP voted verbally
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP Voted verbally on behalf of the Nyandarua Delegation
- 15. Sen. Mogeni Erick Okong'o, MP voted verbally
- 16. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 17. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
- 18. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP voted verbally
- 19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP voted verbally
- 20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP

- 23. Sen. Onyonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP Voted Verbally
- 25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of
- 26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 27. Sen. Sifuna Edwine Watenya, MP
- 28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 30. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP
- 31. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP voted verbally

#### Clause 3 (as amended)

- agreed to

#### Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 part of the Bill.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.04.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 8th April, 2025 resumed on a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Divison bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the **"Yes"**, **"No"** or **"Abstain"** button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson allowed one (1) Senator to record his vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded his vote verbally as **"Yes"** Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP – voted verbally

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) put the Question and directed the Clerk to call out the names of Senators in alphabetical order;

The results of the Division were as follows: -

AYES - 31

NOES - 0

**ABSTENTION - 0** 

- 1. Sen. Abass, Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 3. Sen. Boy Issa Juma, MP
- 4. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
- 5. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
- 6. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 8. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 9. Sen. Haji Abdul Mohammed, MP
- 10. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 12. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 13. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 14. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 15. Sen. Mbugua George Mungai, MP Voted on behalf of the Nyandarua Delegation
- 16. Sen. Mogeni Erick Okong'o, MP
- 17. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 18. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP voted verbally
- 19. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 20. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 21. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 22. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 23. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 24. Sen. Onvonka Richard Momoima, MP
- 25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 26. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP voted on behalf of the Mandara Delegation
- 27. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 28. Sen. Sifuna Edwine Watenya, MP
- 29. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
- 30. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
- 31. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP
- 32. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

#### Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 - agreed to;

#### Reported-

Motion made -

THAT, the Committee of the Whole House do report to the Senate its consideration of the Land (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 40 of 2022) and its approval thereof **with** amendments;

(The Senate Majority Leader - 08.04.2025)

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) ruled that the Question did not affect counties;

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

Question put and agreed to.

#### 24. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (Deputy Speaker)

## 25. THE LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 40 OF 2022)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed'-

THAT, the Senate do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

(The Senate Majority Leader)

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Deputy Speaker ruled that the Motion does not affect counties.

And the Speaker having ascertained that there was Quorum, pursuant to Standing Order 42 (1);

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

26. MOTION - MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON DEVOLUTION AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS AND THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE, LEGAL AFFAIRS AND HUMAN RIGHTS ON A PETITION TO THE SENATE BY MR. LABAN OMUSUNDI CONCERNING RESTRAINING COUNTY GOVERNMENTS FROM HIRING LAW FIRMS TO REPRESENT THEM IN COURT CASES

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations and the Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights on a Petition to the Senate by Mr. Laban Omusundi concerning restraining county governments from hiring law firms to represent them in court cases, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations – 08.04.2025)

Debate arising;

And there being no more Senators wishing to contribute;

Mover replied;

Pursuant to Standing Order 66 (3), the Mover requested for the deferment of the putting of the Question to a later date.

And the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP), acceding to the request, nominated Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025, as the day when the Question shall be put.

### 27. THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (STATE OFFICERS REMOVAL FROM OFFICE) PROCEDURE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 34 OF 2024)

(Sen. Karungo Thang'wa, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

### 28. THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 39 OF 2024)

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

### 29. THE LABOUR MIGRATION AND MANAGEMENT (NO. 2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF 2024)

(Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

## 30. THE STREET NAMING AND PROPERTY ADDRESSING SYSTEM BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 43 OF 2024)

(Sen. Fatuma Dullo, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

### 31. MOTION - ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIONAL TEACHING AND REFERRAL HOSPITALS IN KENYA

(Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP)

Order read;

THAT, AWARE THAT Article 43 (1) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya provides that every person has the right to the highest attainable standard of health, including reproductive health care;

NOTING THAT in Kenya, we have five National Teaching and Referral hospitals with Kenyatta University Research and Teaching Hospital in Kiambu County and Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital in Eldoret, Uasin Gishu County being the only ones outside Nairobi County;

CONCERNED THAT the bed capacity, medical equipment and human capital in these National Teaching and Referral hospitals are not sufficient to absorb all the patients seeking specialized treatment;

FURTHER CONCERNED THAT many Kenyans with critical health conditions travel long distances in order to access specialized services in Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital in Eldoret or Nairobi where the other four National Teaching and Referral hospitals are located, leading to high cost of travel, augmented disease and in some cases deaths along the way;

NOW THEREFORE the Senate urges-

- 1. The Ministry of Health to:
  - i.Establish National Teaching and Referral hospitals in the Coast, Eastern, North Eastern, Nyanza and Western regions; and
  - ii.Fully equip the National Teaching and Referral Hospitals with modern medical equipment, medical supplies and personnel; and
- 2. The County Governments to allocate more funds to their respective health dockets to adequately facilitate their County Level 5 and Level 6 hospitals in order to enhance provision of critical health services to reduce the demand for such services from the National Teaching and Referral Hospitals.

Order deferred.

### 32. MOTION - CONSOLIDATION OF BURSARY FUNDS FOR EQUITABLE ACCESS TO EDUCATION IN KENYA

(Sen. Karungo Thangwa, MP)

Order read;

THAT AWARE THAT, Pursuant to Article 53 of the Constitution, every child in Kenya is entitled to free and compulsory basic education, and the Basic Education Act provides that, basic education should be guided by principles such as equitable access to all youth and equal access to education or institutions;

FURTHER AWARE THAT, many students in secondary schools and higher education institutions come from financially disadvantaged backgrounds, making it difficult for them to afford school fees and access education opportunities;

NOTING THAT, over the years, various interventions have been made, including the issuance of bursaries through the National Government Constituency Development Fund (NCDF), National Government Affirmative Action Fund (NGAAF), the Ministry of Education and county governments through various county bursary funds;

CONCERNED THAT, despite these efforts, schools fees remain unaffordable for many parents and the allocation of bursaries has been plagued by nepotism, favoritism, and political manipulation, lack of transparency and accountability;

FURTHER CONCERNED THAT public learning institutions are primarily funded by the Government through the Ministry of Education, and in the financial year 2024/25, approximately Kshs. 656 billion was allocated to the education sector, making it difficult to ascertain the specific funds granted to each student and that the lack of transparency in the disbursement of bursaries from various agencies makes it difficult to determine the total amount allocated in a financial year, thus hindering efforts to ensure equitable access to education for financially disadvantaged students;

NOW THEREFORE, the Senate urges the Ministry of Education, to:

- 1) audit the funds allocated to bursaries by both the National Government and county governments;
- consolidate the funds distributed by various government entities and agencies, with the aim of directing these funds directly to schools as supplementary capitation to facilitate the achievement of free secondary education; and
- 3) calculate the cost of education per learner and make this information public for primary, secondary, and tertiary

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institutions, including a detailed breakdown of the annual financial requirements for each student across the country.

Order deferred.

And there being no other business on the Order Paper, the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina,MP) adjourned the Senate at forty-seven minutes past Five O'clock without Question put, pursuant to the Standing Orders.

#### 33. **SENATE ROSE**

- at forty-seven minutes past Six O'clock.

#### **MEMORANDUM**

The Speaker will take the Chair on Thursday, April 10, 2025 at 2.30 p.m.