

Annex 2:

***Statement sought by Sen. Okong'o Mogeni,
CBS, SC, MP***

*Rt. Hon. Speaker
You may approve.
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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (FOURTH SESSION)
THE SENATE

REQUEST FOR STATEMENT

**ON THE STATE OF AFFAIRS AT THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF
NYAMIRA**

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

I rise, pursuant to Standing Order 53(1), to seek a Statement from the Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations regarding the leadership and operational crisis currently affecting the County Assembly of Nyamira.

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

The Assembly has split into two rival factions, each conducting parallel sittings in different venues, led by separate individuals claiming to be the legitimate Speaker and Clerk. This state of affairs has caused confusion, undermined legislative integrity and will potentially jeopardize public confidence in the institution and the oversight role of the Senate.

In the Statement, the Committee should address the following:

1. The officially designated and gazetted location of the County Assembly of Nyamira and whether sittings held outside that location were duly approved, tabling evidence.
2. The status and legal standing of business transacted by the two factions, including the adoption of the supplementary budget and other legislative decisions made during the standoff.
3. The process through which the two Speakers and Clerks were appointed, and whether due process and relevant Standing Orders were followed in their installation.
4. The steps taken by the relevant constitutional and intergovernmental bodies to resolve the leadership dispute and restore order in the County Assembly.
5. The Committee's recommendations on initiating and leading a reconciliation and mediation process to return the Assembly to institutional normalcy, safeguard the rule of law, and protect the interests of the residents of Nyamira County.

SEN. OKONG'O MOGENI, CBS, SC, MP
SENATOR FOR NYAMIRA COUNTY
Date: 1st April, 2025

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