(No. 39)



Fourth Session Morning Sitting (500)

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - FOURTH SESSION THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 2025 AT 9.30AM

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

4. QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE HOUSE

There being no Quorum present at the commencement of the House; the Speaker ordered the Quorum Bell to be rung for ten minutes;

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

5. PAPERS

The following Papers were laid on the Table—

- (i) Report of the Auditor-General on Turkana East Technical Vocational College for the year ended 30th June;
- (ii) Report of the Auditor-General on Hybrid Generation of Off-Grid Power Systems Credit NO.CKE 1066 01L for the Year Ended 30th June 2021 Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC;
- (iii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2021, 2022, 2023 and the certificates therein in respect of:
 - (a) Gathuri Secondary School; and
 - (b) Kwale High School.
- (iv) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30thJune, 2022, 2023, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of:
 - (a) Kagumo Teachers Training College;
 - (b) Kamwenja Teachers Training College; and
 - (c) Murang'a Teachers Training College.
- (v) The Annual Performance Report for the Financial Year 2023/2024 from the Ministry of Defence;
- (vi) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of:
 - (a) Machakos Teachers College; and
 - (b) Kitui Teachers Training College.
- (Vii) Report of the Auditor-General on National Government Constituencies Development Fund for the year ended 30th June 2024; and
- (Viii) Report of the Third Quarter for the National Government Constituencies Development Fund Board on Project Proposal Approvals, Disbursement Status and Restrictions Imposed on Constituency Account for the financial year 2024/25.

(ix) Third Report of the Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions.

(Chairperson, Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

6. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notice of Motion was given -

Consideration of the Third Report of the Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions

THAT, this House adopts the Third Report of the Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions, laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 20th April 2025.

(Chairperson, Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

7. RE-ORGANISATION OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 40, the Deputy Speaker reorganised the sequence of business so as to dispose of Order No. 8, 9, and 10 on the Order Paper and thereafter revert to Order No. 7, followed by the subsequent Orders.

8. STATEMENTS

(a) Requests for Statements pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (i) The Member for *Lungalunga* (Hon. Chiforomodo Mangale) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security regarding the Status of construction of Lungalunga Sub- County Headquarters;
- (ii) The Member for *Subukia* (Hon. Samuel Gachobe) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security regarding the Murder of *Ms. Wanjiru Mutonga* and the rise of insecurity in Subukia Constituency;
- (iii) The Member for *Soy* (Hon. David Kiplagat) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding the Plight of unemployed teachers aged 45 years and above;
- (iv) The Member for *Nyatike* (Hon. Tom Mboya) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy regarding State of the infrastructure of Kenya Power within Nyatike Constituency and power supply in the area;
- (v) The Member for *Kuresoi South* (Hon. Joseph Tonui) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Housing, Urban Planning and Public Works regarding stalled construction of the *Olenguruone* Stadium;
- (vi) The Member for *Nandi County (Hon. Cynthia Muge)* requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Labour regarding Welfare of Kenyans working in the Middle East;

- (vii) Mjumbe wa *Msambweni* (Mheshimiwa Bader Feisal) aliomba Taarifa kutoka kwa Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya Kisekta ya Ardhi kuhusu unyakuzi wa ardhi ya Msikiti wa Kongo katika Eneobunge la Msambweni;
- (viii) The Member for *Chepalungu* (*Hon. Victor Koech*) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Tourism & Wildlife regarding Human-wildlife conflict in Chepalungu Constituency; and
- (ix) The Member for *Aldai* (Hon. Marianne Kitany) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Tourism & Wildlife regarding human-wildlife conflict attack in *Chepkilot* Village in Aldai Constituency.

(b) Responses to Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(C)—

- (i) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water and Irrigation (Hon. Bowen Kagongo) responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Machakos County (Hon. Joyce Kamene) regarding the recruitment of status of Mavoko Water Supply Project;
- (ii) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Health (Hon. James Nyikal) responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Mbalambala (Hon. Abdi Shurie) regarding the exclusion of Kenya Medical Training Colleges students from Higher Education Loans Board; and

(Change of Chairperson from the Fourth Chairperson to the Sixth Chairperson)

(iii) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperatives responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Sotik (Hon. (Amb.) Francis Sigei) regarding the status of upgrading new Kenya Creameries Milk processor plant in Sotik Constituency.

9. PROCEDURAL MOTION -EXEMPTION OF BUSINESS FROM THE PROVISIONS OF STANDING ORDER 40(3)

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, this House resolves to exempt the business appearing as **Order Nos. 9, 11, 13 and 14** in today's Order Paper from the provisions of Standing Order 40(3), being a Wednesday Morning, a day allocated for Business not sponsored by the Majority or Minority Party or Business sponsored by a Committee.

(Hon. George Murugara)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

10. MOTION - REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON THE SOCIAL PROTECTION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NO. 12 OF 2025)

Motion made and question proposed

THAT, this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the Whole House on its consideration of the Social Protection Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 12 of 2025)

(The Majority Party Whip)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on Tuesday, 29.04.2025;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Social Protection Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 12 of 2025) be now Read a Third Time.

(The Majority Party Whip)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill Read a Third Time and passed.

9. THE INDUSTRIAL TRAINING (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 50 OF 2024)

(The Hon. Joshua Oron)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and referred to the relevant Committee pursuant to Standing Order 127.

10. SPECIAL MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT AS MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CENTRAL BANK OF KENYA

Motion made and Question proposed:

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Joint Committee of the National Assembly Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning and the Senate Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the approval hearing of nominees for appointment as members of the Board of Central Bank of Kenya, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday*, 29th April 2025, and pursuant to section 11(2) of the Central Bank of Kenya Act, Cap 491, this House **approves** the appointment of the following nominees as members of the Board of Central Bank of Kenya—

- (i) FCPA Sophie Moturi;
- (ii) CPA Abdullahi Mohamed Abdi;
- (iii) Ms. Beatrice Kosgei; and
- (iv) Mr. David Simpson Osawa Owuor.

(Co-Chairperson, Joint Parliamentary Committee on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Members of the Board of Central Bank of Kenya)

Debate arising;

Rising in his place pursuant to Standing Order 95(1), the Member for Homabay Town (Hon. Peter Kaluma) claimed to move, "that the Mover be called upon to reply".

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And the Sixth Chairperson of Committees having acceded to the request;

Thereupon, Mover replied;

Question <u>deferred</u> pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 53 (3);

11. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

The Assisted Reproductive Technology Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 61 of 2022)

Order for Committee Read;

Rising in his place on a Point of Order, the Member for Homabay Town (Hon. Peter Kaluma) requested that the Order be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 131 awaiting conclusion of harmonization;

And the Hon. Speaker having acceded to the request;

Thereupon, Order was deferred.

And the time being One O'clock, the Sixth Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

12. HOUSE ROSE -

at One O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on, Wednesday, 30th April 2025 at 2.30 p.m.