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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 2025 AT 2.30PM

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

4. QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE HOUSE

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

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

5. <u>PAPERS</u>

The following <u>Papers</u> were laid on the Table of the House—

- (i) The following documents submitted together with the Budget Statement from the National Treasury
 - a) Budget Highlights The "Mwananchi" Guide for the FY 2025/26 Budget; and
 - b) Statistical Annex to the Budget Statement for the FY 2025/26.
- (ii) Parliamentary Service Commission Annual Report for the Financial Year 2023/2024;
- (iii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of
 - a) Loreto High School Matunda;
 - b) Mbita High School;
 - c) Santa Maria Girls' Secondary School;
 - d) Loreto High School Limuru-Kiambu;
 - e) Kilgoris Boys High School;
 - f) Ole Tipis Girls' Secondary School;
 - g) Kiambogo Secondary School;
 - h) Mary Mount Secondary School;
 - i) AIC Morop Girls' Secondary School;
 - j) Maai-Mahiu Girls' Secondary School; and
 - k) St. Joseph's High School Githunguri.

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- (iv) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of the following Training Institutes
 - a) Nairobi Technical;
 - b) Mitunguu Technical;
 - c) Ramogi Institute of Advanced Technology;
 - d) Siaya Institute of Technology;
 - e) Kitutu Chache;
 - f) Mukiria; and
 - g) Kiirua.
- (v) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of the following Technical and Vocational Colleges
 - a) Lang'ata;
 - b) Sirisia;
 - c) Chuka;
 - d) Kaelo; and
 - e) Mabera.
- (vi) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2023 and 30th June, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of the following Technical and Vocational Colleges
 - a) Sabatia;
 - b) Gatundu South;
 - c) Ugunja;
 - d) Mbeere North;
 - e) Ugenya;
 - f) Riragia;
 - g) Seme;
 - h) Siruti;
 - i) Rangwe; and
 - j) Runyenjes.
- (vii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June, 2023 and 30th June, 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of the following Technical Training Institutes
 - a) St. Joseph's for the Deaf Nyang'oma;
 - b) Murang'a;
 - c) Nkabune; and
 - d) Muraga.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

- (viii) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs on its consideration of
 - a) Nominees for Appointment as Chairperson and Members of the Public Benefit Organisation Dispute Tribunal; and
 - b) The Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 4 of 2025).

6. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notice of Motion was given-

<u>Consideration of Nominees for Appointment to the Public Benefit Organisations</u> <u>Dispute Tribunal</u>

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs in its report on the Approval Hearing of Nominees for Appointment as the Chairperson and Members of the Public Benefit Organisations Dispute Tribunal, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 17th June 2025*, and pursuant to the provisions of section 50 of the Public Benefit Organisation Dispute Tribunal Act, 2013 and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap 7F, **approves** the appointment of the following persons to the Public Benefit Organisations Dispute Tribunal–

(i) Ms. Eunice Adoyo Otieno Arwa	-	Chairperson
(ii) Ms. Christabel Mideva Eboso	-	Member;
(iii) Ms. Elizabeth Mbithe Mulwa	-	Member;
(iv) Dr. Leonard Kinyulusi	-	Member; and
(v) Mr. Mohamed Sheikh Noor	-	Member.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

7. STATEMENTS

(a) <u>Request for Statements pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)</u>

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c)-

- (i) The Member for Ol Jororok (Hon. Michael Muchira) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration & Internal Security regarding disappearance of identity cards from the National Registration Bureau office in Nyandarua West, Ol Jorok Constituency;
- (ii) The Member for Kigumo (Hon. Joseph Munyoro) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water & Irrigation regarding Review of water tariffs of the Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Ltd by the Water Services Regulatory Board (WASREB);
- (iii) The Member for Fafi (Hon. Farah Yakub) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Health regarding non-medical use of *Tramadol* and *Benzodiazepines* drugs in Northern Kenya; and
- (iv) The Member for Baringo County (Hon. Flowrence Jematiah) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning regarding the unlawful and illegal occupation of land Registration No. LR 209/10210 (LR No. 66157) belonging to the College of Insurance.

(b) <u>Responses to Statements pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)</u>

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (i) A Member of the Departmental Committee on Education (Hon. Jerusha Momanyi) responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Emuhaya (Hon. Omboko Milemba) regarding delay in disbursement of funds for Teachers' Medical Scheme;
- (ii) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Nyatike (Hon. Tom Mboya) regarding state of the infrastructure of Kenya Power within Nyatike Constituency and power supply in the area;
- (iii) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Health responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Embakasi West (Hon. Mark Mwenje) regarding shortage of *Polio* and *Bacillus Calmette-Guerin* (BCG) vaccines in the country; and
- (iv) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Eldas (Hon. Adan Keynan) regarding extension of the national power grid from Garissa to Wajir and Mandera counties in North Eastern region;

The following Statements were deferred—

- (i) A response by the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security to a Statement requested by the Member for Nyando (Hon. Jared Okello) regarding the circumstances surrounding the death of *Mr. Albert Ojwang*, a teacher and social media influencer;
- (ii) A response by the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy to a Statement requested by the Member for Vihiga County (Hon. Beatrice Adagala) regarding power outages across the country; and
- (iii) A response by the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs to a Statement requested by the Nominated Member (Hon. Umulkher Harun) regarding status of prosecution of Kenya Defense Forces Officer, *Mr. Hassan Muse Mire*, for alleged murder of *Mr. Abdullahi Kassim Yussuf*.

8. <u>PROCEDURAL MOTION - REDUCTION OF THE PUBLICATION PERIOD OF</u> <u>SPECIFIED BILLS</u>

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 120, this House resolves to reduce the publication period of the following Bills—

- (i) The Equalisation Fund Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 21 of 2025 from **seven (7) days** to **six (6) days**; and
- (ii) The Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 23 of 2025) from seven (7) days to five (5) days.

(Deputy Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no debate arising;

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

9. <u>THE EQUALISATION FUND APPROPRIATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL</u> <u>NO. 21 OF 2025)</u>

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Order for First Reading read;

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

10. THE APPROPRIATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 23 OF 2025)

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Order for First Reading read;

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

11. <u>SPECIAL MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT TO</u> <u>THE NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE COMMISSION (NPSC)</u>

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security in its report on the Approval Hearing of Nominees for Appointment as Members of the National Police Service _Commission, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 12th June 2025,* and pursuant to the provisions of Article 246(2) and 250(2) of the Constitution and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of the following nominees as Members of National Police Service Commission—

- (i) Ms. Peris Muthoni Kimani;
- (ii) Mr. Benjamin Juma Imai; and
- (iii) Prof. Collette A. Suda.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

[Change of Chair from the Honourable Speaker to the Deputy Speaker]

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question <u>deferred</u>.

12. THE FINANCE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 19 OF 2025)

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Finance Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 19 of 2025) be now read a Second Time.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning) [Change of Chair from the Deputy Speaker to the Fifth Chairperson of Committees] Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question <u>deferred</u>.

And the time being Seven Minutes past Seven O'clock, the Hon. Speaker interrupted proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

13. <u>**HOUSE ROSE**</u> - at seven minutes past seven O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Wednesday, 18th June 2025 at 9.30 a.m.

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