



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2025 AT 2.30 P.M.**

1. The House assembled at Forty Minutes past Two O'clock
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
3. **Presiding** – the Honourable Speaker
4. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The Speaker issued the following Communication-

“Honourable Members, Following the Communication and Address(proclamation) by His Excellency the President of the Nation, announcing the passing on of Rt. Hon. Raila Amolo Odinga, this House joins the country in this sombre state. We will have an opportunity for each one of you to eulogise the late Prime Minister tomorrow. Time is likely to move pretty fast in preparation for his official send-off in a State funeral. So, tomorrow is the only day available for all of us.

Like it was said in Shakespeare in England, “The Queen is dead, long live the queen”, Raila is dead, long live Baba. That is the mood in the country. We shall be sending our condolences to Mama Ida, our elder brother, Dr Oburu Odinga, Senator, Prime Minister's children, Rosemary, Junior and Winnie, the entire family, and the much larger political family that includes all of us. The late Prime Minister was larger than Kisumu. He was a colossus across the country. Loved from Vanga to Kibish, from Lamu to Malaba. I request all of you to be upstanding, to observe a minute's silence. Thank you”.

5. **RE-ORGANISATION OF BUSINESS**

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 40(2), the Honourable Speaker reorganised the sequence of business so that consideration of Order No. 8 (*Procedural Motion– Resolution to hold a Thursday Morning Sitting, Adjournment of the House, Extension of Sitting Time and Limitation of Debate*) to be undertaken before reverting to Order Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7, and deferment of Order Nos. 9 to 18.

6. **PROCEDURAL MOTION – RESOLUTION TO HOLD A THURSDAY MORNING SITTING, ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE, EXTENSION OF SITTING TIME, AND LIMITATION OF DEBATE**

Motion made and Question Proposed–

**THAT**, following the Presidential Proclamation issued today, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 regarding the passing on of the **Rt. Hon. Raila Amolo Odinga, EGH**, the former Prime Minister of the Republic of Kenya, and pursuant to the provisions of Standing Orders 30(3)(a) & (c), 31(1), 97 and 259D, this House **resolves** to: -

- (i) hold a Morning Sitting on Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025, commencing at 10.00 a.m.;
- (ii) adjourn until tomorrow, Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025, at 10:00a.m.;
- (iii) extend its afternoon sitting time tomorrow, Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025, at 2:30p.m. until midnight;
- (iv) record its tributes by way of an Exceptional Motion; and
- (v) exempt the Exceptional Motion on the Tributes of the House from the resolution of the House of Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> February 2025 on Limitation of Debate on Motions and the provisions of Standing Order 97.

*(Leader of the Majority Party & Leader of the Minority Party - Co-Sponsors)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

**7. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE**

- (i) The Pyrethrum (Repeal) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 40 of 2024)  
(The Leader of the Majority Party)
- (ii) The Kenya National Library Service Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 20 of 2023)  
(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Sports and Culture)

Order read

Order deferred.

**8. THE MATERNAL NEWBORN AND CHILD HEALTH BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 17 OF 2023)**

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

**9. MOTION- CONSIDERATION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 5 OF 2024 ON THE NATIONAL GREEN FISCAL INCENTIVES POLICY FRAMEWORK**

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Environment, Forestry and Mining)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**10. THE TEA (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 1 OF 2023)**

(The Hon. Brighton Yegon, M.P. – *Co-Sponsor*)

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

**11. MOTION- FIRST REPORT ON THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONSTITUTION BY THREE COMMISSIONS**

(The Chairperson, Constitutional Implementation Oversight Committee)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**12. MOTION- REPORT ON THE AUDITED ACCOUNTS FOR THE JUDICIARY MORTGAGE SCHEME FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2011/2012 TO 2021/2022**

(The Chairperson, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**13. MOTION- REPORT ON THE AUDITED ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMODITIES FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2018/2019 TO 2021/2022**

(The Chairperson, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**14. MOTION- CONSIDERATION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 5 OF 2023 ON THE NATIONAL POLICY ON LABOUR MIGRATION**

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**15. MOTION- REPORT ON THE AUDITED ACCOUNTS FOR THE STORES AND SERVICES FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2020/2021 & 2021/2022 & THE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2020/2021 & 2021/2022**

(The Chairperson, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

Order read;

Order deferred.

**16. MOTION- REPORT ON THE AUDITED ACCOUNTS FOR THE THE LAND SETTLEMENT FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2020/2021 & 2021/2022 AND THE RAILWAY DEVELOPMENT FUND (HOLDING ACCOUNT) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2017/2018 TO 2021/2022**

(The Chairperson, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

Order read;

Order deferred.

And the time being two Minutes past Three O'clock, the Honourable Speaker adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**17. HOUSE ROSE-** at two Minutes past Three O'clock

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**M E M O R A N D U M**

The Speaker will take the Chair on,  
Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2025 at 10.00 a.m.

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