



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (FIFTH SESSION)

THE SENATE

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2026 (MORNING SITTING)

1. The Senate assembled at thirty minutes past Nine O'clock.
2. The proceedings were opened with Prayer said by the Speaker.
3. **QUORUM OF THE SENATE**

The Speaker, having counted the Honourable Senators present at the commencement of the Sitting and confirming that there was no Quorum, directed that the Bell be rung for ten minutes, pursuant to Standing Order 40;

And there being no Quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the Speaker directed that the Bell be rung for a further ten minutes;

And there being a Quorum at the expiry of the further ten minutes;

The Speaker invited the Clerk to call the Orders of the day.

4. **PAPERS**

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the Senate:

- i) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Webuye Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- ii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Mt. Elgon Sub – County Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- iii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kimilili Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

- iv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Karuri Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kiambu, the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- v) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Langata Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Nairobi, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- vi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kiambu Level 5 Hospital, County Government of Kiambu, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- vii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Dagoretti Sub-County Hospital Mutuini, County Government of Nairobi City, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- viii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Tassia Kwa Ndege Level 4 Hospital, Nairobi City County Government, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- ix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Njenga Level 4 Hospital, Nairobi City County Government, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- x) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kihara Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kiambu, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nyathuna Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kiambu, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Sagana Sub-County Level Hospital, County Government of Kirinyaga, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Municipality of Nyeri, County Government of Nyeri, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nyeri County Referral Hospital, County Government of Nyeri, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Westlands Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Nairobi City, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kandara Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Murang'a, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

- xvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Othaya Sub-County Level IV Hospital, County Government of Nyeri, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Ihururu Treatment and Rehabilitation Hospital, County Government of Nyeri, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Mt. Kenya Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Nyeri, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xx) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Olkalou Water and Sanitation Company Limited, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Gatanga Water and Sanitation PLC, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Murang'a Municipality, County Government of Murang'a, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on God Kwer Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Migori for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Ober Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Etago Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Kisii for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Malela Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Suba South Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Ogongo Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Rangwe Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

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- xxx) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Keumbu Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Kisii for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Migosi Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Kisumu for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Taveta Municipality for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kendu Bay Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Marindi Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Uasin Gishu County Assembly Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme Fund for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Municipality of Eldoret – County Government of Uasin Gishu for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on University of Eldoret Endowment Fund for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xxxix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Macalder Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Migori for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xl) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Rachuonyo County Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xli) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nyamagundo Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Kisii for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xlii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nyandiwa Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

- xliv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Amukura Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Busia for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xliv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Likuyani Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Kakamega for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xliv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Khwisero Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Kakamega for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xlvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Archers Post Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Samburu for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xlvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Karuri Water and Sanitation Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xlviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kikuyu Water Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xliv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Angurai Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Busia for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - l) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Teso North Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Busia for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - li) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Port Victoria Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Busia for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - lii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements of Lodwar Water and Sanitation Company for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - liii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kacheliba Sub-County Hospital – County Government of West Pokot for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - liv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Muriranja’s Level 4 Hospital – County Government of Muranga for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - lv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kirinyaga Water and Sanitation PLC for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - lvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kangema Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Muranga for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

- lvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kirwara Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Muranga for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Matayos Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Busia for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Naitiri Sub-County Hospital – County Government of Bungoma for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lx) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Isiolo County Referral Hospital, County Government of Isiolo for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Makunga Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Butere County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Navakholo Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kakamega County Emergency Fund, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Busia Water and Sewerage Services Company Limited, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Shibwe Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kimilili Municipality for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Sirisia Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Bungoma Municipality for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

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- lxx) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Bungoma County Referral Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kakamega County Microfinance Corporation for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Bungoma County Referral Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Mautuma Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Malava Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Matete Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nairobi City County Assembly Car Loan and Mortgage Scheme Fund for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Thika Water and Sewerage Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Githunguri Water and Sanitation Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Gatundu Water and Sanitation Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxx) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Samburu Water and Sanitation Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on County Assembly of Laikipia Car Loan and Mortgage (Members) Scheme fund for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on County Assembly of Laikipia Car Loan and Mortgage (Staff) Scheme fund for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

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- lxxxiii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Baragoi Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Samburu, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxiv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Busia County Referral Hospital, County Government of Busia, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Ol Kalou Municipality, County Government of Nyandarua, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kenneth Matiba Eye and Dental Hospital, County Government of Murang'a, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kianyaga Sub-County Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kirinyaga, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Equalisation Fund, County Government of Isiolo, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- lxxxix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Khunyangu Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Busia, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xc) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nyahururu County Referral Hospital, County Government of Laikipia, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xcii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Mukhobola Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Busia, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xciii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Cheptalal Level 3B Hospital, County Government of Bomet, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xciv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kipkelion Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kericho, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xcv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Longisa County Level 4 Referral Hospital, County Government of Bomet, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xci) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kericho Municipality for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

- xcvi) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Nairobi City Water and Sewerage Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xcvii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Bokoli Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Bungoma, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xcviii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Lupida Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Busia, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
- xcix) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Matunda Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - c) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kakamega County General Teaching and Referral Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - ci) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Manyala Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - cii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kakamega County Rural Water and Sanitation Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - ciii) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Kakamega Municipality for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - civ) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Matungu Sub-County Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.
 - cv) Report of the Auditor General on financial statements on Iguhu Level 4 Hospital, County Government of Kakamega, for the year ended 30th June, 2025.

(The Senate Majority Leader)

5. QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

QUESTIONS

- i) Question No. 001 by the Senator for Bungoma County (Sen. David Wakoli, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for National Treasury and Economic

Planning on the status of national poverty reduction programmes and resource allocation in the country was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.

- ii) Question No. 002 by the Senator for Bungoma County (Sen. David Wakoli, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for National Treasury and Economic Planning on the regulation, consumer protection and responsible practices in digital lending platforms was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.
- iii) Question No. 003 by Nominated Senator (Sen. Shakila Abdalla, MP) on behalf of Nominated Senator (Sen. Joyce Korir, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration on the status of investigations into the fatal shooting of Mr. Victor Kipng'eno Mutai was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.
- iv) Question No. 004 by the Senator for Bungoma County (Sen. David Wakoli, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration on the overall increase in mob justice incidents across the country was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.

The Temporary Speaker (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP), for the convenience of the Senate, pursuant to Standing Order 34(2A), adjourned the Senate at ten minutes past One O'clock, without Question put.

6. **SENATE ROSE** – at ten minutes past One O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Wednesday, February 25, 2026 at 2:30 p.m.