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THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FIFTH SESSION

**PROGRAMME OF SENATE BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2026**

TUESDAY **Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers,
17/02/2026** **Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions and Bills**

**A. EXTENSION OF TIME FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE CROPS (BIXA)
REGULATIONS (LEGAL NOTICE NO. 145 OF 2025)**

(The Chairperson, Delegated Legislation)

THAT AWARE THAT, the Crops (Bixa) Regulations (Legal Notice No. 145 of 2025) were tabled in the Senate on Thursday, 25th September, 2025 and referred to the Select Committee on Delegated Legislation for consideration pursuant to Section 12(1) of the Statutory Instruments Act;

COGNIZANT THAT the Committee is required to make a report within twenty-eight sitting days after the date of referral of the instrument by the Senate pursuant to Section 15 (2) of the Statutory Instruments Act which will lapse on Tuesday, 17th February, 2026;

AWARE THAT Section 15(3) of the Statutory Instruments Act, provides that by a resolution, Parliament may extend the time for consideration of a Statutory Instrument by a period not exceeding twenty-one calendar days;

NOTING that the Committee requires more time to consider concerns raised by stakeholders on the Regulations;

NOW THEREFORE the Senate resolves to extend the timeline for the consideration of the Crops (Bixa) Regulations (Legal Notice No. 145 of 2025) for a further twenty-

one (21) days pursuant to section 15(3) of the Statutory Instruments Act, to enable the Committee consider objections raised by the public and make its resolution on or before Tuesday, 3rd March, 2026.

B. *THE KENYA NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 72 OF 2023)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)
*(Resumption of debate interrupted on Wednesday, 11th February, 2026 –
Afternoon Sitting)*
(Mover to reply)

C. MOTION - APPROVAL OF THE SENATE CALENDAR (REGULAR SESSIONS) FOR THE FIFTH SESSION
(The Senate Majority Leader)

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 32 (1), the Senate approves its Calendar (Regular Sessions) for the Fifth Session (February to December, 2026), laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 12th February, 2026.

D. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE ON THE COFFEE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 10 OF 2023)
(The Vice Chairperson, Mediation Committee)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Mediation Committee on the Coffee Bill (Senate Bills No. 10 of 2023), laid on the table of the Senate on Thursday, 4th December, 2025, and that pursuant to Article 113(2) of the Constitution and Standing Order 167(3) of the Senate, approves the mediated version of the Bill.

E. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND SOCIAL WELFARE ON A PETITION TO THE SENATE BY EMPLOYEES OF THE FORMER KENYA COOPERATIVE CREAMERIES LIMITED (KCC) CONCERNING NON-PAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING TERMINAL BENEFITS AND MAZIWA SACCO DUES TO FORMER EMPLOYEES OF KENYA COOPERATIVES CREAMERIES LTD

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on a petition to the Senate by employees of the former Kenya Cooperative Creameries Limited (KCC) concerning non-payment of outstanding terminal benefits and Maziwa Sacco dues to former employees of Kenya Cooperatives Creameries Ltd, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 27th November, 2025.

F. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND SOCIAL WELFARE ON A PETITION TO THE SENATE BY MR. TITUS NJOROGE CONCERNING HIS DISMISSAL BY THE AFRICAN INLAND CHURCH (AIC) OF KENYA AND NON-PAYMENT OF ARREARS OWED TO HIM

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare on a petition to the Senate by Mr. Titus Njoroge concerning his dismissal by the African Inland Church (AIC) of Kenya and non-payment of arrears owed to him, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 27th November, 2025.

G. *THE WILDLIFE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 46 OF 2023)

(Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP)

(Second Reading)

H. *THE WILDLIFE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 49 OF 2023)

(Sen. Lenku Ole Kanar Seki, MP)

(Second Reading)

I. *THE NARCOTIC DRUGS AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES (CONTROL) (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 1 OF 2024)

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

(Second Reading)

J. *THE CULTURE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 12 OF 2024)**

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

K. *THE COUNTY WARDS (EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 20 OF 2024)

(Sen. Karungo Thang'wa, MP and Sen. Godfrey Osotsi, MP)

(Second Reading)

**L. *THE LIVESTOCK PROTECTION AND SUSTAINABILITY BILL
(SENATE BILLS NO. 32 OF 2024)**

(Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP)

(Second Reading)

M. Any Other Business

WEDNESDAY **Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers,
18/02/2026 Notices of Motion, Motions, and Bills.**
(Morning Sitting)

**A. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH ON
THE COUNTY OVERSIGHT AND NETWORKING ENGAGEMENTS TO
MANDERA, WAJIR AND MARSABIT COUNTIES**

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Health)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Health regarding the County Oversight and Networking engagements to Mandera, Wajir and Marsabit Counties, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 2nd October, 2025.

**B. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (STATE OFFICERS REMOVAL FROM
OFFICE) PROCEDURE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 34 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Karungo Thang'wa, MP)

(Second Reading)

**C. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS
NO. 39 OF 2024)**

(Sen. George Mbugua, MP)

(Second Reading)

**D. *THE STREET NAMING AND PROPERTY ADDRESSING SYSTEM BILL
(SENATE BILLS NO. 43 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Fatuma Dullo, MP)

(Second Reading)

E. MOTION - MAINSTREAMING A FRAMEWORK FOR CLEAN COOKING IN KENYA

(Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP)

THAT AWARE THAT, Article 42 of the Constitution guarantees every person the right to a clean and healthy environment, which includes access to safe energy options;

FURTHER AWARE THAT, over 900 million Africans, including more than 90% of households in Kenya's rural areas, still rely on traditional biomass (firewood, charcoal, animal waste) for cooking, resulting in high levels of indoor air pollution that cause premature deaths, particularly among women and children;

CONCERNED THAT, in Kenya, indoor air pollution has been linked to over 23,000 annual deaths, with women and girls bearing the disproportionate burden of time spent collecting firewood and cooking, limiting their education and economic opportunities;

NOTING THAT, traditional cooking methods contribute significantly to deforestation, greenhouse gas emissions, and climate vulnerability at the county level, undermining national commitments under the Energy Act, 2019, the Climate Change Act, 2016, and Kenya's Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs);

RECALLING THAT, the Africa Clean Cooking Summit (Paris, 2023) mobilized USD 2.2 billion in commitments for clean cooking, and the International Energy Agency has recommended urgent financing and policy action to achieve universal access by 2040;

ACKNOWLEDGING, the efforts of some counties, development partners, and private sector actors in piloting clean cooking projects, but recognizing that these remain small-scale and fragmented;

NOW THEREFORE, the Senate resolves that the: -

1. Council of Governors develops county-level policies, frameworks, and budgets that mainstream clean cooking into devolved energy and health functions;
2. National Treasury and Ministry of Energy prioritize clean cooking in financing frameworks, including results-based financing and blended finance models to de-risk private investment;
3. County Governments incorporate clean cooking targets in their County Integrated Development Plans (CIDPs) and ensure public institutions such as schools, health facilities, and prisons adopt clean cooking solutions;

4. National Treasury and County Governments to fast-track letters of authorization to unlock carbon finance markets (Article 6.2 and CORSIA) for clean cooking projects;
5. County Governments engage the private sector actors, and community organizations to expand clean cooking access, create local jobs, and reduce pressure on forest resources.

F. Any Other Business

WEDNESDAY **Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers, Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions, Bills and any other Business not concluded on Tuesday, 17th February, 2026.**
18/02/2026
(Afternoon
Sitting)

- A. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
***THE COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICES BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 40 OF 2024)**
(Sen. Joyce Korir, MP)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, 30th September, 2025)
(Division)

- B. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
CONSIDERATION OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENTS TO THE METEOROLOGY BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 45 OF 2023)
(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources)

- C. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
****THE CANCER PREVENTION AND CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 45 OF 2022)**
(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Health)

(Consideration of His Excellency the President's recommendations)

- D. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
***THE LABOUR MIGRATION AND MANAGEMENT (NO. 2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF 2024)**
(Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP)

E. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
***THE TOBACCO CONTROL (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 35 OF 2024)**
(Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP)

F. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
***THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ELECTION LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 2 OF 2024)**
(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

G. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
***THE NUTS AND OIL CROPS DEVELOPMENT BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 47 OF 2023)**
(Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP)

H. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
*****THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) (NO. 4) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 45 OF 2024)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

I. *THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND ASSET DISPOSAL (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 48 OF 2024)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

J. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 52 OF 2024)
(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

(Second Reading)

K. *THE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT DISPOSAL RECYCLING AND REUSE BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 5 OF 2025)
(Sen. Peris Tobiko, MP)

(Second Reading)

L. **THE ENERGY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 11 OF 2025)
(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy)

(Second Reading)

M. Any Other Business

THURSDAY
19/02/2026

Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers,
Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions, Bills and any other
Business not concluded on Wednesday, 18th February, 2026.

A. *THE HEALTH (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 12 OF 2025)
(Sen. Mogeni Erick Okong'o, MP)

(Second Reading)

B. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 14 OF 2025)
(Sen. Abdul Haji, MP)

(Second Reading)

C. *THE NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 15 OF 2025)
(Sen. Eddy Oketch, MP)

(Second Reading)

D. *THE AGRICULTURE PRODUCE (MINIMUM GUARANTEED RETURNS) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 17 OF 2025)
(Sen. Veronica Maina, MP)

(Second Reading)

E. *THE COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTERS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 53 OF 2022)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

F. *THE KENYA HEALTH PRODUCTS AND TECHNOLOGIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 54 OF 2022)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

G. *THE PUBLIC AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 4 OF 2024)**
(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

H. *THE KENYA ROADS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 3) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 34 OF 2025)**

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

I. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE SPORTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 33 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP)

J. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 47 OF 2024)**

(Sen. David Wafula Wakoli, MP)

K. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

******THE PUBLIC FUNDRAISING APPEALS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 36 OF 2024)**

(The Senate Majority Leader)

L. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

****THE HERITAGE AND MUSEUMS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 8 OF 2023)**

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

M. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE ENVIRONMENT LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 23 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Abdul Haji, MP)

N. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

******THE STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 10 OF 2024)**

(The Senate Majority Leader and the Senate Minority Leader)

O. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE SPORTS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 45 OF 2024)**

(Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, MP and Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP)

P. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE COUNTY CIVIC EDUCATION BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 4 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Esther Okenyuri, MP)

Q. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE COUNTY HALL OF FAME BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 18 OF 2023)**

(Sen. Miraj Abdillahi Abdulrahman, MP)

R. Any Other Business

TUESDAY

24/02/2026

Communication from the Chair, Messages, Petitions, Papers, Notices of Motion, Statements, Motions, Bills and any other Business not concluded on Thursday, 19th February, 2026.

A. *THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 66 OF 2023)

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP, Co-Sponsor)

(Second Reading)

B. *THE AUTISM MANAGEMENT BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 19 OF 2025)

(Sen. Karen Nyamu, MP)

(Second Reading)

C. *THE ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 61 OF 2022)

(Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP, Co-Sponsor)

(Second Reading)

D. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS (REVENUE RAISING PROCESS) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 11 OF 2023)**

(The Senate Majority Leader)

(Second Reading)

E. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 53 OF 2023)**

(Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP)

F. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE COUNTY OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 3 OF 2024)**

(Sen. Ledama Olekina, MP and Sen. William Kisang, MP)

G. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

***THE SEEDS AND PLANT VARIETIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 4 OF 2025)**

(Sen. Ledama Olekina, MP)

KEY

****** - Denotes a Majority /Minority Party Bill**

***** - Denotes a National Assembly Bill**

**** - Denotes a Committee Bill**

*** - Denotes any other Bill**