



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (FIFTH SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2026 AT 2.30 P.M.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

1. Administration of Oath
2. Communication from the Chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion
7. Questions and Statements

8*. SPECIAL MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF A NOMINEE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Labour in its Report on the Approval Hearing of a Nominee for Appointment as a Member of the Public Service Commission, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 18th August 2026*, and pursuant to the provisions of Article 250(2)(b) of the Constitution and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap. 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of **Ms. Flora Nduku Mutua**, as a Member of the Public Service Commission.

9*. SPECIAL MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF A NOMINEE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE INDEPENDENT POLICING OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security in its Report on the Approval Hearing of a Nominee for Appointment as Chairperson of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 18th August 2026*, and pursuant to the provisions of Article 250(2)(b) of the Constitution and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, Cap. 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of **Dr. Duncan Oburu Ojwang**, as the Chairperson of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority.

10*. MOTION - NINTH REPORT ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR VARIOUS STATE CORPORATIONS

(The Chairperson, Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Ninth Report of the Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture on its examination of audited Financial Statements of the following State Corporations, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 2nd April 2026*—

- (i) Kenya Medical Supplies Authority for the Financial Year 2021/2022;
- (ii) Agriculture and Food Authority for the Financial Years 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017, 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022, 2022/2023 and 2023/2024;
- (iii) Agriculture and Food Authority for the Financial Years 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017, 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022, 2022/2023 and 2023/2024;
- (iv) Tea Board of Kenya for the Financial Years 2021/2022, 2022/2023, 2023/2024 and 2024/2025;
- (v) National Social Security Fund for the Financial Year 2024/2025;
- (vi) National Hospital Insurance Fund (Social Health Authority) for the Financial Years 2021/2022, 2022/2023, 2023/2024 and 2024/2025; and
- (vii) Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Service for the Financial Years 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022, 2022/2023, 2023/2024 and 2024/2025.

(Question to be put)

11*. MOTION - SEVENTH REPORT ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR VARIOUS FUNDS

(The Chairperson, Special Funds Accounts Committee)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Seventh Report of the Special Funds Accounts Committee on its consideration of the Report of the audited Financial Statements for the Land Settlements Fund for the Financial Years 2020/2021 & 2021/2022 and the Railway Development Fund (Holding Account) for the Financial Years 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021 & 2021/2022, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 7th December 2023*.

(Question to be put)

12*. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 5 OF 2026 ON THE NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Energy)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Energy on its consideration of Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2026 on the National Energy Policy, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 2nd July 2026* and **approves** *Sessional Paper No. 5 of 2026 on the National Energy Policy*.

(Question to be put)

13*. **THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 34 OF 2023)**

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour)

Second Reading
(Question to be put)

14*. **MOTION - THIRD REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF REPORTS ON PETITIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Third Report of the Select Committee on Implementation on status of Reports on Petitions and Resolutions passed by the House, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 5th December 2024*.

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, August 18, 2026)
(Balance of time 2hrs)

15*. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE**

The Business Laws (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 51 of 2024)
(The Leader of the Majority Party)

16*. **MOTION - FIFTH REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF REPORTS ON PETITIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Fifth Report of the Select Committee on Implementation on the Implementation status of Reports on Petitions and Resolutions passed by the House, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 3rd December 2025*.

17*. **MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 4 OF 2026 ON THE NATIONAL PETROLEUM POLICY**

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Energy)

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Energy on its consideration of **Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2026** on the National Petroleum Policy, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 2nd July 2026* and **approves** *Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2026* on the National Petroleum Policy.

Denotes Orders of the Day

...../Notices*

NOTICES
NOT LATER THAN 3.00 P.M.

QUESTION TIME IN PLENARY

PURSUANT to the provisions of Standing Order 42A(6B), the Speaker will today, not later than 3.00 p.m., invite the **Cabinet Secretary for Education and the Cabinet Secretary for Tourism and Wildlife** to respond to Questions as appearing in the Appendix.

I. THE BUSINESS LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 51 OF 2024)

Notice is given that the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperatives intends to move the following amendments to the Business Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2024 at the Committee Stage—

CLAUSE 2

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting clause 2 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

“2. The Investment Promotion Act is amended by deleting the heading “PART II—INVESTMENT CERTIFICATES—APPLICATION AND ISSUE, ETC” appearing immediately after section 2 and substituting therefor the following new heading—“PART II—REGISTRATION OF FOREIGN INVESTMENTS”

CLAUSE 3

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting clause 3.

CLAUSE 4

THAT, clause 4 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in the proposed section 4 (1) by deleting the word “direct” appearing immediately after the word “foreign”.
- (b) by deleting the proposed section 4(2) and substituting therefor the following new provision—
 - (2) A foreign investor shall apply for registration of a foreign investment in the prescribed form.

CLAUSE 5

THAT, clause 5 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in the proposed new section 6(1) by deleting the word “direct” appearing immediately after the word “foreign”; and
- (b) by deleting the proposed section 6(2) and substituting therefor the following new provisions—

(2) In determining whether an investment and any activity related to the investment are beneficial to Kenya for the purposes of subsection (1)(c), the Authority shall consider the extent to which the investment or activity will contribute to the conditions specified in paragraphs (a), (b) (c), (d) (f) and (g) and any or all of the conditions specified in paragraphs (e) and (h) —

- (a) creation of employment for Kenyans;
- (b) acquisition of new skills or modern compatible state of the art technology for Kenyans;
- (c) contribution to tax revenues or other Government revenues;
- (d) utilization of domestic raw materials, supplies and services if available and can meet the required standards;
- (e) adoption of necessary value addition in the processing of local, natural and agricultural resources;
- (f) transfer of technology to Kenya;
- (g) an increase in foreign exchange, either through exports or import substitution; and
- (h) utilization, promotion, development and implementation of information and communication technology.

CLAUSE 8

THAT, clause 8 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in paragraph (a) by—
 - (i) deleting the word “six” appearing in the proposed new subsection 1(a) and substituting therefor the word “three”; and
 - (ii) deleting the word “six” appearing in the proposed new subsection 1(b) and substituting therefor the word “three”.
- (b) by deleting paragraph (b)

CLAUSE 17

THAT, clause 17 of the Bill be amended by deleting paragraph (c).

CLAUSE 19

THAT, clause 19 of the Bill be amended by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new provision —

- (a) in paragraph (b) by deleting the words “destruction or alienation” and substituting therefor the word “disposal”

CLAUSE 20

THAT, clause 20 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words “at the expense of the local manufacturer or importer, as the case may be” immediately after the words “shall be disposed” appearing in the proviso in the proposed paragraph (a)

CLAUSE 22

THAT, clause 22 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting paragraph (a); and
- (b) in paragraph (b) by deleting the expression “subsection (4)” and substituting therefor the expression “subsection (14)”.

CLAUSE 24

THAT, the Bill be amended in clause 24 by deleting the word “seven” appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the word “five”.

LIMITATION OF DEBATE

The House resolved on Wednesday, February 11, 2026 as follows—

Limitation of Debate on Motions

- II. THAT**, each speech in a debate on any **Motion, including a Special motion** shall be limited as follows: A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that order.

Limitation of Debate on Other Committee Reports

- III. THAT**, each speech in a debate on **Other Committee Reports**, including a Report of a Joint Committee of the Houses of Parliament or any other Report submitted to the House for which limitation of time has not been specified, be limited as follows:- A maximum of two and a half hours, with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover in moving and five (5) minutes for any other Member speaking, **including** the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Committee Report is not moved by the Chairperson of the relevant Committee), and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and further that priority in speaking shall be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that order.

Limitation of Debate on Audit Committee Reports

- IV. THAT**, each speech in debate on **Reports of Audit Committees** be limited as follows:- A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that order.

Limitation of Debate on Bills sponsored by Parties or Committees

- V. THAT**, each speech in a debate on **Bills sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party** be limited as follows:- A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and fifteen minutes (15) in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by the relevant Committee), and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen minutes (15) each (if the Bill is not sponsored by either of them); and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that order.

NOTICE PAPER

Tentative business for **Thursday, August 20, 2026**

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 38(1))

It is notified that the following business is tentatively scheduled to appear in the Order Paper for Thursday, August 20, 2026—

A. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

The Business Laws (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 51 of 2024)
(The Leader of the Majority Party)

(If not concluded on Wednesday, August 19, 2026 – Afternoon Sitting)

B. MOTION - THIRD REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF REPORTS ON PETITIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation)

(If not concluded on Wednesday, August 19, 2026 – Afternoon Sitting)

C. MOTION - FIFTH REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF REPORTS ON PETITIONS AND HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

(The Chairperson, Committee on Implementation)

(If not concluded on Wednesday, August 19, 2026 – Afternoon Sitting)

D. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 4 OF 2026 ON THE NATIONAL PETROLEUM POLICY

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Energy)

(If not concluded on Wednesday, August 19, 2026 – Afternoon Sitting)

APPENDIX

NOTICE OF PETITIONS, QUESTIONS & STATEMENTS

ORDER NO. 4 – PETITIONS

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 225, the following Petition will be presented—

No.	Subject	Petitioner	Relevant Committee
20/2026	Human wildlife conflict occasioned by invasion of vervet monkeys in Nyweri Community of Meru County	<i>To be reported by the Hon. Speaker on behalf of Nyweri Community of Meru County</i>	Public Petitions
23/2026	Harmonization of salaries and allowances of veterinary doctors and veterinary interns with those of medical doctors	<i>To be reported by the Hon. Speaker on behalf of Dr. Kelvin Osore of the Kenya Veterinary Association</i>	Public Petitions

ORDER NO. 7 - QUESTIONS

It is notified that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 42A (6B), the following **Cabinet Secretaries** will respond to the following Questions in plenary: -

(i) The Cabinet Secretary for Education –

QUE. NO

ORDINARY QUESTIONS

015/2026 The Member for Bahati (Hon. Irene Njoki, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Education: -

Could the Cabinet Secretary—

- (i) state the measures being taken by the Ministry to review and harmonise school reporting times in public learning institutions to safeguard the safety, welfare and well-being of learners while ensuring that adequate learning hours are maintained?
- (ii) clarify whether the Ministry will issue appropriate guidelines to heads of public learning institutions to review and adjust reporting times, particularly in areas experiencing insecurity and increased cases of sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV), including Bahati Constituency?
- (iii) outline the immediate measures taken to enhance the safety and security of learners and ensure their unhindered access to education?

016/2026 The Member for Matayos (Hon. Geoffrey Odanga, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Education: -

Could the Cabinet Secretary—

- (i) explain why many primary and secondary schools across the Country lack headteachers and deputy headteachers, despite the availability of qualified personnel to fill these positions?
- (ii) state when the vacancies for headteacher and deputy headteacher positions in schools will be filled to ensure effective administration and leadership in the affected institutions?

017/2026 The Member for Yatta (Hon. Robert Basil, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Education:

Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the fate of serving interns whose contracts are due to expire in December 2026 and clarify whether the Ministry intends to absorb them into permanent and pensionable terms?

(ii) The Cabinet Secretary for Tourism and Wildlife –

QUE. NO

ORDINARY QUESTIONS

018/2026

The Member for Kilgoris (Hon. Julius Sunkuli, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Tourism and Wildlife: -

Could the Cabinet Secretary—

- (i) state the reasons for the inordinate delay in commencing construction of the *Ildolisho* Branch of Kenya Utalii College and indicate the timelines for commencement including its estimated completion date?
- (ii) outline the factors that informed the Ministry's decision to establish a branch of the College in *Ildolisho* town, considering that it is not close to other towns and neither is it a tourist area?
- (iii) clarify whether public participation was conducted prior to the approval of this project, and if so, provide a report on the outcome of the exercise?
- (iv) provide the estimated cost of the project, indicating the total funds allocated and the actual expenditure incurred on the construction of *Ildolisho* branch?

019/2026

The Member for Kilifi South (Hon. Ken Chonga, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Tourism and Wildlife: -

Could the Cabinet Secretary—

- (i) explain the circumstances and reasons that led to officers from the Kenya Utalii College being denied access to the Ronald Ngala Utalii College on 24th July 2026?
- (ii) clarify the respective mandates and responsibilities of the Tourism Fund and the Kenya Utalii College in relation to the management, operationalisation and handover of the Ronald Ngala Utalii College?
- (iii) Clarify whether the planned commencement of operations on 1st September 2026 will proceed as scheduled, and if not, the reasons for any changes?

020/2026

The Member for Kajiado South (Hon. Samuel Parashina, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Tourism and Wildlife:

- (i) explain the cause of death of sixteen (16) elephants in the Amboseli Ecosystem between 24th June and 31st July 2026 and the status of investigations, including any toxicological tests done to ascertain the cause of death by the Kenya Wildlife Service or any other government agency?
- (ii) state the urgent action being taken to prevent further deaths in the Amboseli Ecosystem by the Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife?

(iii)state the measures taken by the Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife to prevent further wildlife deaths in the Amboseli Ecosystem?

(iv)outline the measures being taken to support farming and pastoralist communities in Kajiado South Constituency affected by the deaths, including addressing loss of tourism-related livelihoods and any adverse effects arising from allegations concerning the deaths.

ORDER NO. 7 - STATEMENTS

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the following Statements will be –

(i) requested –

No.	Subject	Member	Relevant Committee
1.	Proliferation of substandard and falsified medicines across the country	Hon. Irene Kasalu, MP <i>(Kitui County)</i>	Health
2.	Preparedness for the anticipated El Niño rains in ASAL Counties	Hon. Umul Ker Kassim, MP <i>(Mandera County)</i>	Regional Development

(ii) responded to –

No.	Subject	Member	Relevant Committee
1.	Rising cases of motor vehicle theft	Hon. Linet Chepkorir, MP <i>(Bomet County)</i>	Administration & Internal Security
