



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (SECOND SESSION)

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JULY 06, 2023 AT 2.30 P.M.

1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock

2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer

3. **Presiding** – the Honourable Speaker

4. PETITIONS

The Member for Baringo County (Hon. Florence Jematiah) presented a Petition on behalf of residents of Baringo County regarding declaration of *Mukutani* area as a public forest.

The Petition was committed to the Public Petitions Committee pursuant to Standing Order 227.

5. PAPERS

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the House—

- (i) Report of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements of Human Resource Management Professionals Examinations Board for the years ending 30th June, 2019, 2020 and 2021.
- (ii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30th June 2021 and the certificates therein –
 - a) Achego Vocational Training Centre; and
 - b) Garsen Technical and Vocational College.
- (iii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Constituencies for the year ended 30th June 2022 and the certificates therein –
 - a) Turkana East;
 - b) Turkana West;
 - c) Turkana Central;
 - d) Turkana South;
 - e) Wajir South;
 - f) Bamachoge Chache;
 - g) Jomvu;
 - h) Kisauni;
 - i) Kasipul;
 - j) Saku;
 - k) Moyale;
 - l) Laisamis;
 - m) North Horr;
 - n) Isiolo South;
 - o) Isiolo North;

- p) Samburu East;
 - q) Samburu West;
 - r) Samburu North;
 - s) Laikipia East;
 - t) Laikipia West;
 - u) Laikipia North;
 - v) Kajiado East;
 - w) Kajiado Central;
 - x) Kajiado North;
 - y) Baringo Central; and
 - z) Baringo North.
- (iv) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements in respect of the following Institutions for the year ended 30th June 2022 and the certificates therein –
- a) Kenya National Examinations Council;
 - b) Covid-19 Monitoring Impacts on Learning Outcomes (MILO) Project;
 - c) National Cereals and Produce Board;
 - d) Koshin Technical Training Institute;
 - e) Ol'lessos Technical Training Institute;
 - f) Tigania East Technical and Vocational College;
 - g) Eldas Technical and Vocational College;
 - h) Meru National Polytechnic;
 - i) Agriculture and Food Authority;
 - j) Agriculture and Food Authority (AFA) Car Loan & Mortgage Fund;
 - k) Kenya Maritime Authority Staff Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme; and
 - l) Jomo Kenyatta Foundation.
- (v) Report of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements of Norwegian Programme for Capacity Development in Higher Education and Research (NORHED II) for the year ended 31st December, 2022 and the certificates therein.

(Hon. Samuel Chepkonga on behalf of the Leader of the Majority Party)

- (vi) Report of the Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock on its consideration of the Sugar Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 34 of 2022).

(Hon. Geoffrey Odanga on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture & Livestock)

- (vii) Report of the Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on its First Report on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions.

(Chairperson, Select Committee on National Cohesion & Equal Opportunity)

6. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notice of Motion was given by the Chairperson, Select Committee on National Cohesion & Equal Opportunity –

THAT, this House **adopts** the First Report of the Committee on National Cohesion & Equal Opportunity on the Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 6th July, 2023.*

7. STATEMENTS

The following Statements were made/requested –

- a) Pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the Member for Likoni (Hon. Mishi Mboko) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Select Committee on Implementation regarding implementation of the resolution of the House on school feeding programme;

- b) Pursuant to the provision of Standing Orders 44(2)(d) and 210(5A)), the Chairperson Committee on Delegated Legislation (Hon. Samuel Chepkonga) on status of Statutory Instruments considered/under consideration by the Committee;
- c) The Member for Kiambu County (Hon. Ann Wamuratha) issued a general statement regarding reported mistreatment of female employees in Brown Cheese Company Limited in Limuru, Kiambu County;
- d) On a Point of Order, the Member for Kisumu West Constituency (Hon. Rozah Buyu) made a Statement regarding insecurity in Kisumu West Constituency – the Speaker directed that the matter be forwarded to the Ministry of Interior for response; and
- e) Pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 44(2)(a), the Leader of the Majority Party issued a Statement regarding the Business of the House for the week commencing Tuesday, July 25, 2023.

8. THE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT BILL(NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 29 OF 2023)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and referred to the relevant Committee pursuant to the Standing Orders 127(1).

9. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF THE DRAFT CHARTER FOR THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF KENYA

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Committee on Delegated Legislation on its consideration of the draft Charter for the Open University of Kenya, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 29th June, 2023*, and pursuant to the provisions of section 24(1) of the Universities Act, 2012, **approves** the award of Charter for the Open University of Kenya.

(Chairperson, Committee on Delegated Legislation)

(Change of Chair from Hon. Speaker to Sixth Chairperson of Committees)

Debate arising

(Change of Chair from Sixth Chairperson to Third Chairperson of Committees)

Rising in his place on a point of order pursuant to Standing Order 95, the Member for Suna East (Hon. Mohamed Junet) claimed to move, “That the Mover be now called upon to reply”; And the Third Chairperson having acceded to the request;

Question put and agreed to;

Thereupon Mover replied;

Question on the Motion put and agreed to.

10. MOTION – APPROVAL OF THE DEFENCE COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THEREPUBLIC OF KENYA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SEYCHELLES

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations on its consideration of the Defence Cooperation

Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 13th June, 2023 and pursuant to the provisions of section 8(4) of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, 2012, **approves** the Defence Cooperation Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Republic of Seychelles.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence & Foreign Relations)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, July 04, 2023 resumed;

Rising in his place on a point of order pursuant to Standing Order 95, the Member for Suna East (Hon. Mohamed Junet) claimed to move, "That the Mover be now called upon to reply"; And the Third Chairperson having acceded to the request;

Question put and agreed to;

Thereupon Mover replied;

Question on the Motion put and agreed to.

11. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF THE CONSOLIDATED FUND SERVICE EXPENDITURES UNDER THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023/2024 BUDGET ESTIMATES

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Public Debt and Privatization Committee on its consideration of the Consolidated Fund Service Expenditures under the financial year 2023/2024 Budget Estimates, laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 21st June 2023.

(Hon. (Dr.) Makali Mulu – Vice Chairperson, Public Debt & Privatization Committee)

Debate arising;

There being no other Member wishing to contribute to the Motion;

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question deferred pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 53(3).

And the time being Seven O'clock, the Third Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

12. HOUSE ROSE - at Seven O'clock.

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Tuesday, July 25, 2023 at 2.30 pm