



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KITUI
THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY
SECOND COUNTY ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
WEDNESDAY 07TH MARCH, 2018 AT 2.30 P.M.

1. The House convened at fifty two minutes past two O'clock.
2. The proceedings were opened with a prayer.
3. **PRESIDING** -Hon. Speaker.
4. **PROCEDURAL MOTION TO REDUCE THE PUBLICATION PERIOD FOR THE KITUI COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2018-**
(Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 116, the Publication Period for the Kitui County Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2018(C/A Bill No.1 of 2018) be reduced from Seven (7) to Five (5), days to allow fast tracking of its legislative process.

(Hon. Boniface Kila Kasina-M.C.A)

No Debate arising;

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Question put and **Agreed to**

5. THE KITUI COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2018()/C/A BILL 1, 2018)- FIRST READING.

Order for the first reading;

A BILL for

AN ACT of the County Assembly of Kitui to authorize the issue of a sum of money out of the County Revenue Fund and its application towards service of the year ending on the 30th June, 2018 and to appropriate the sums for certain public services and purposes.

5. MOTION ON ADJOURNMENT ON DEFINITE MATTER OF URGENT COUNTY IMPORTANCE-(*Deputy Majority Party Leader*)

Motion made and question proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of standing order no. 30, this Assembly hereby adjourns to discuss to logical conclusion the following matter of urgent County importance:

- i. The derogatory song targeting the kamba community

*(Hon. Colleta Kimanzi-**MCA**)*

And there being no Debate-the House adjourned on definite matter of urgent County importance, without Question being put.

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5. MOTION ON THE DEROGATORY SONG TARGETING THE KAMBA COMMUNITY - (Deputy *Leader of Majority Party*)

Motion made and Question proposed;

Aware that there is a derogatory music video recorded in the Kikuyu vernacular language that has been circulating on social media titled IKAMBA and ostensibly done by Isaiah featuring Waharaka,

Further aware, that, the said music video insults and ridicules her Excellency the Governor, Charity Kaluki Ngilu, and the Kamba community at large,

Concerned that, the song also mocks and condemns the efforts that Kitui County is trying to make in the fight against environment degradation through the enforcement of the charcoal ban;

Noting that; though the Constitution under Article 33 (1b) specifically provides for the freedom of artistic creativity, it also under sub article 2 limit that same freedom not to extend to propaganda for war, incitement to violence, hate speech, or advocacy of hatred that constitutes ethnic incitement, vilification of others or incitement to cause harm,

Further noting that, the song may foment ethnic animosity between the Kamba and Kikuyu community if left to spread further,

THEREFORE, this assembly hereby resolves that;

- i. The National Cohesion and Integration Commission should investigate the matter, and subsequently, the office of the Director of Public Prosecutions should prosecute the parties involved,
- ii. The Kenya Film Classification Board should immediately ban forthwith the distribution and sharing of the music video,

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- iii. The relevant stakeholders and specifically the national government, in furtherance of the provisions of article 189 (1b) of the constitution and section 4 (c) of the Forest Conservation and Management Act, 2016 which advocates for consultation between the national and county governments in matters of environment conservation, should assist and support Kitui County in the successful implementation of the charcoal ban.

*(Hon. Colleta Kimanzi-**MCA**)*

Debate arising;

Question put and **Agreed to**

6. ADJOURNMENT

And the time being twenty minute past four O'clock, the Honorable Speaker adjourned the house.

7. ASSEMBLY ROSE- at twenty minutes past four O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Honorable Speaker will take the chair on the

Thursday 08th March, 2018 at 2.30 P.M

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