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KITUI COUNTY ASSEMBLY

SECOND ASSEMBLY- THIRD SESSION

OFFICIAL REPORT

(THE HANSARD)

Thursday 16th March, 2019

The County Assembly met at 2.40 p.m.

[The Speaker (Hon. George Ndotto)] in the Chair

PRAYERS

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

The Speaker: Hon. Members, I have got a very brief communication here to make. On Tuesday 14th May, 2019 during the afternoon Sitting, I promised to update you of the pending business in this House. In light of this I have directed that the schedule of pending business be placed in your pigeon- holes for your perusal.

PAPERS LAID

1. THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE LANDS INFRASTRUCTURE AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ON THE BENCHMARKING EXERCISE ON DEVELOPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND REHABILITATION OF ROAD NETWORKS IN KILIFI AND MOMBASA COUNTIES.

The Speaker: Let us start with Chairperson Committee on Lands, Infrastructure and Urban Development. Who is the Vice Chairman of this Committee? They are all in Nairobi? Right. Let us move to the next one.

2. THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, WATER AND IRRIGATION ON THE INSPECTION TOUR OF WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES IN KITUI.

The Speaker: Hon. Kyene

Hon. (M.s) Kyene (MCA Nzambani Ward): Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir, **THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 179(6), I beg to lay the following paper on the table of the County Assembly today, Thursday 16th May, 2019. The Report by the

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Committee on Agriculture, Water and Irrigation on the inspection tour of Water Infrastructure facilities in Kitui.

Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to lay.

The Speaker: Thank you very much Hon. Kyene. Next

3. THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND MINERAL INVESTMENTS DEVELOPMENT ON BENCHMARKING STUDY VISIT TO SOUTH AFRICA ON EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRY.

The Speaker: Hon. Kavolonza

Hon. Kavolonza (MCA Mui Ward): Mr Speaker Sir,

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 179(6), I beg to lay the following paper on the table of the County Assembly today, Thursday 16th May, 2019. The Report by the Committee on Environment, Energy and Mineral Investments Development on Benchmarking Study Visit to South Africa on extractive industry.

Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to lay.

The Speaker: Thank you. Next

4. THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION TRAINING AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT ON POOR TRAINING CONDITION OF THE KITUI YOUTH EMPOWERMENT AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT TRAINEES IN TRENDY TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING CENTRE, SOUTH EASTERN KENYA UNIVERSITY (SEKU) AND KITUI COUNTY TEXTILE COMPANY (KICOTEC).

The Speaker: Hon. Kiruru

Hon. Kiruru (MCA Nguni Ward): Mr Speaker Sir,

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 179(6), I beg to lay the following Paper on the table of the County Assembly today, Thursday 16th May, 2019. The Report by the Committee on Basic Education Training and Skills Development on poor training conditions of the Kitui Youth Empowerment and Skills Development Trainees in Trendy Technical and Vocational training centre, South Eastern Kenya University (SEKU) and Kitui County Textile Company (KICOTEC).Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to lay.

The Speaker: Thank you. Next.

5. THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND PLANNING ON CONSIDERATION OF THE MEDIUM DEBT STRATEGY PAPER.

The Speaker: Hon. Masaku

Hon. Masaku (MCA Mutomo/Kibwea Ward): Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir.

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 49 to 65 of the Public Finance Management Act as read together with Standing Order No. 179(6), I beg to lay the following paper on the table of the County Assembly today, Thursday 16th May, 2019. The Report by the Committee on Finance and Planning on consideration of the Medium Debt Strategy Paper. Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to lay.

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The Speaker: Thank you very much indeed. Next order.

NOTICE(s) OF MOTION(s)

1. MOTION ON ADOPTION OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON LANDS INFRASTRUCTURE AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ON THE BENCHMARKING EXERCISE ON DEVELOPMENT, MAINTAINANCE AND REHABILITATION OF ROADS NETWORKS IN KILIFI AND MOMBASA COUNTY.

The Speaker: LIUD chairperson is not around therefore we go to Agriculture, water and Irrigation.

2. MOTION ON ADOPTION OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, WATER AND IRRIGATION ON THE INSPECTION TOUR OF WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES IN KITUI.

The Speaker: Hon. Kyene.

Hon. (M.s) Kyene (MCA Nzambani Ward): Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. I wish to give notice of the following motion. Motion on adoption of the report by the Committee on Agriculture, Water and Irrigation on the inspection tour of Water Infrastructure facilities in Kitui.

Mr Speaker Sir, **THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order Nos. 179(6) and 190(5), this Assembly hereby adopts the Report by the Committee on Agriculture Water and Irrigation on the inspection tour of Water infrastructure facilities in Kitui, laid on the table of the County Assembly on Thursday 16th May, 2019.

Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to give notice. Thank you.

The Speaker: Very good Hon. Kyene. Next

3. MOTION ON ADOPTION OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND MINERAL INVESTMENTS DEVELOPMENT ON BENCHMARKING STUDY VISIT TO SOUTH AFRICA ON EXTRACTIVE INDUSTRY

The Speaker: Hon. Kavolonza.

Hon. Kavolonza (MCA Mui Ward): Mr Speaker Sir, I wish to give notice of the Motion on adoption of the report by the Committee Environment, Energy and Mineral Investments Development on Benchmarking Study Visit to South Africa on extractive industry.

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order Nos. 179(6) and 190(5), this Assembly hereby adopts the Report by the Committee Environment, Energy and Mineral Investments Development on Benchmarking Study Visit to South Africa on extractive industry, laid on the table of the County Assembly on Thursday 16th May, 2019. I beg to give the notice.

The Speaker: Thank you Hon. Kavolonza. Next.

4. MOTION ON ADOPTION OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON BASIC EDUCATION, TRAINING AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT ON INQUIRY ON POOR TRAINING CONDITION OF THE KITUI YOUTH EMPOWERMENT AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT TRAINEES IN TRENDY TECHNICAL AND

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VOCATIONAL TRAINING CENTRE, SOUTH EASTERN KENYA UNIVERSITY (SEKU) AND KITUI COUNTY TEXTILE CENTRE (KICOTEC)

Motion on adoption of the Report by the Committee on Basic Education, Training and Skills Development on inquiry on poor training condition of the Kitui Youth Empowerment and Skills Development Trainees in Trendy Technical and Vocational training centre, South Eastern Kenya University (SEKU) and Kitui County Textile Centre (KICOTEC)

The Speaker: Hon. Kiruru

Hon. Kiruru (MCA Nguni Ward): Mr Speaker Sir, I beg to give notice of the following motion; Motion on adoption of the Report by the Committee on Basic Education, Training and Skills Development on inquiry on poor training condition of the Kitui Youth Empowerment and Skills Development Trainees in Trendy Technical and Vocational training centre, South Eastern Kenya University (SEKU) and Kitui County Textile Centre (KICOTEC).

Mr. Speaker Sir, **THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order Nos. 179(6) and 190(5), this Assembly hereby adopts the Report by the Committee on Basic Education, Training and Skills Development on inquiry on poor training condition of the Kitui Youth Empowerment and Skills Development Trainees in Trendy Technical and Vocational training centre, South Eastern Kenya University (SEKU) and Kitui County Textile Centre (KICOTEC), laid on the table of the County Assembly on Thursday 16th May, 2019.

Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to give notice of the motion.

The Speaker: Thank you Hon. Kiruru. Next order.

STATEMENTS

1. SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS AND PLENARY FOR THE WEEK ENDING 24TH MAY 2019

(The schedule was read and subsequently laid on the table by Hon. Ms Mwathi)

The Speaker: Thank you Hon. Mwathi. Anyone doing this for Hon. Maema because he is away with the LIUD committee on an official duty.

(Hon. Kiruru stood in his place)

He has requested you to do it for him? Okay, go on.

2. STATEMENT REQUEST FOR MLIKA MWIZI AT KASOVONI, SYOMIKUKU AND KWAMBUNGU SHOPPING CENTRES IN KIVOU WARD

Hon. Kiruru (MCA Nguni Ward): Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. Statement request for Mulika Mwizi at Kasovoni, syomikuku and Kwambungu shopping centres in Kivou ward. Mr. Speaker Sir, pursuant to provisions of standing orders no. 41(2) (c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson Committee on Environment, Energy and Mineral Investments

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Development concerning the installed Mlika Mwinzi at Kasovoni, Syomikuku and Kwambungu shopping centres in Kivou Ward.

Whether he (the Chairperson Committee on Environment, Energy and Mineral Investments Development) is aware of the following and if so what measures has the Ministry taken to address the issue stated below;

1. The mlika Mwizi at Kasovoni, syomikuku and Kwambungu shopping centres have not been operational since installation.
2. Batteries for the mlika Mwizi at Kwambungu shopping centre have been stolen.
3. There has been reported cases of insecurity in the vicinity due to lack of proper lighting.

Thank you Mr. Speaker

The Speaker: Thank you Hon. Kiruru. That brings us to the end of the business on the Order paper today.

(Hon. Philip Nguli stood in his place)

I think we agreed that we must follow the House procedures. We are not going to start introducing things in between which are not catered for in our standing orders. I think we are getting out of control and it may not be very healthy. This is a House of rules and regulations and when we start talking without following the standing orders, I do not know whether we will be able to manage the House. Honestly though I know you may have valid points to raise, but under what standing orders? We talked about this the other day and we agreed we stop it but I can see people still persisting.

Hon. Members I plead with you, in the interest of order and law in this house please let us stop that practice. Now immediately after the rise of the house, I kindly the House business Committee we meet for few minutes. There is something which we did not discuss which is urgent and we need to look at it before the break for the weekend. I would request Hon. Kilaa as the Chair for Budget to see me briefly so that we can agree on one or two things before we disperse.

(Hon. Kanandu stood in his place)

Hon. Kanandu I respect every one of you, I would like to hear what you want to say, but in the interest of stopping this habit, I decline and therefore we adjourn the House.

ADJOURNMENT

Hon. Members, the House now stands adjourned until next week Tuesday 21st May 2019 at 2:30 pm.

The County Assembly rose at 3.05 p.m.

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