

# Kitui County Assembly

## THE HANSARD

First County Assembly –First Session

Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> June 2013

*The County Assembly met at 2:40pm*

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

### PRAYERS

**The Speaker:** Honourable Members. We seem to have a problem.

We had reserved today and tomorrow to discuss the budget for the next financial year.

I am yet to receive the budget from the executive. The budget for the assembly is ready, it has more or less been scrutinized by the budget committee. And we can't proceed now before I get the other part of the budget. We are still waiting for it.

I was hoping that this afternoon, tomorrow and maybe Friday we would vote for the budget. And because of that...

*(Members walk into the house)*

Order! Order! Order!

Mwanduka! Senator! Go back to the...

*(The two members walk out amid applause by their seated colleagues)*

**The Speaker:** we are at a dilemma, because we don't have the budget, and therefore, even if it comes this afternoon, it needs to go to the budget committee, they need to look at it, make decisions, put in writing their decisions, combine it with the assembly budget, produce one budget for the County Government of Kitui and then present it to us. I don't see that happening this afternoon or this evening or tomorrow in the morning.

So the earliest I can hope to present this budget to the assembly is tomorrow at 2:30(pm).

I'm therefore left with no choice, because I did not prepare any other business for the day; this was specifically set for the budget and we did not

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prepare any order paper or any other business. And accordingly I have no other option, but to ask you to stand up, and I adjourn the house until we get the business.

Can you stand up please.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The house stands adjourned until tomorrow; the 27<sup>th</sup> June 2013, at 2:30pm.

*The County Assembly rose at 2:45pm*