



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KITUI

THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

SECOND COUNTY ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY 20TH MARCH, 2018 AT 2.30 AM

1. The House convened at Thirty Minutes past Two O'clock.
2. The proceedings were opened with a prayer.
3. **PRESIDING** - Hon. Speaker on the Chair
4. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR.**

The Chair made the following Communication;

Honorable members,

I would like to inform you that on Wednesday, 21st March, 2018 starting from 9.00am, there will be a training workshop at Machakos, Kyaka Hotel, for the Members of County Assembly on the vetting of Nominees for the appointment as Chief Officers to the different County Departments.

I therefore urge all Members to attend since the exercise is very vital.

5. PAPERS LAID

The following paper was laid on the table of the County Assembly;

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- I. The County Fiscal Strategy paper for the financial year 2018/2019
- *Leader of Majority Party*

(Hon. Peter M Kilonzo, MCA).

6. MOTION ON ADJOURNMENT FOR URGENT COUNTY IMPORTANCE - (Leader of Majority Party)

Motion made and Question proposed;

AWARE that Article 41(1) of the Constitution provides for the right to fair labour practices;

CONCERNED that, there have been allegations of intimidation, frustrations, imposition of compulsory leave and unprocedural interdictions of staff including the Chief Finance Officer, Assistant Director Ministry of Environment, the Communications Department, amongst others, without adherence to the applicable laws;

FURTHER CONCERNED that Article 47 (1) of the Constitution provides for the right to fair administrative action which should be expeditious, efficient, lawfully reasonable and procedurally fair;

NOTING that intimidation, frustration and fear of the unknown negatively affects staff productivity leading to non- performance, resignations, brain drain amongst other adverse effects;

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This House hereby resolves that:

- i. The Committee on Labour and Social Welfare to conduct an inquiry into this matter and other matters touching on staff welfare by interrogating the County Secretary and other relevant staff or parties, and table its report within a period one month after approval of this motion;
- ii. The Public Service Board to provide credible evidence on what advisory role they might have played in this matter;
- iii. The head of human resource be interrogated by the Committee on Labour and Social welfare to know the root-cause of these matters touching on staff welfare.

(Hon. Peter M. Kilonzo, MCA)

Debating arising;

Question put and **Agreed to.**

7. MOTION ON ADJOURNMENT OF THE ASSEMBLY - (Leader Of Majority Party)

Motion made

That, Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No 25(3), this assembly do now adjourn its sitting with effect from today, the 20th of March, 2018 to 3rd April 2018 at 2.30 PM, to allow members of the County Assembly to attend a Training on vetting, conduct vetting of County Chief

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Officers, and alignment of Committees' work plans with the budgetary allocations recommended by the liaison Committee.

(Hon. Peter Kilonzo – M.C.A)

8. ADJOURNMENT

And the time being Twenty minutes to six o'clock, the Honourable Speaker adjourned the house.

9. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at twenty minutes to six o'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Honorable Speaker will take the chair on

Tuesday, 3^d April, 2018 at 2.30 pm

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