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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – THIRD SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019

- 1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Nine O'clock
- 2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
- 3. **Presiding –** the Deputy Speaker

4. **PETITION**

The Member for Sabatia (Hon. Alfred Agoi) presented a Petition regarding irregular transfer and sub-division of land belonging to a Mr. Thomas Anzeze Musila;

Petition referred to the relevant Departmental Committee pursuant to Standing Order 227(2).

5. **PAPERS LAID**

The following Papers were laid on the Table -

- a) Youth Enterprise Development Fund Board Performance Report for the period between June 2016 and May 2019.
- b) Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Tom Mboya University College for the year ended 30th June, 2017.
- c) The Reports of the Auditor-General and the Financial Statements in respect of the following institutions for the year ended 30th June, 2018 and the certificates therein: -
 - (i) Technical and Vocational Education and Training Authority;
 - (ii) Coast Water Services Board;
 - (iii) Youth Enterprise Development Fund;
 - (iv) The Kenya School of Law; and

- (v) Kenyatta National Hospital.
- d) The Reports of the Auditor-General and the Financial Statements in respect of the following constituencies for the year ended 30th June, 2018 and the certificates therein: -
 - (i) Kikuyu;
 - (ii) Ruaraka;
 - (iii) Juja;
 - (iv) Dagoretti North;
 - (v) Kabete; and
 - (vi) Kitutu Chache North.

6. **QUESTIONS**

The following Questions were asked -

(i) Question No 291/2019 by the Member for Teso South (Hon. Geoffrey Omuse, MP) regarding the Government's preparedness for the August 2019 National Population Census; whether the registration of persons will be undertaken manually or via biometric system, and further state the resources, including funding, allocated to undertake the exercise.

(To be answered by the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning before the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

(ii) Question No 292/2019 by the Member for Kilifi South (Hon. Richard Ken Chonga, MP) regarding the conclusion of the work of the Taskforce set up to inquire into early teenage pregnancies in the Country as per the terms of reference and, if so, provide the final report on the inquiry; mechanisms the Ministry is putting in place to curb early pregnancies among school going children in the country, and in particular, in Kilifi South Constituency.

To be answered by the Cabinet Secretary for Education before the Departmental Committee on Education and Research)

(iii) Question No 295/2019 by the Member for Mwea (Hon. Kabinga Wachira, MP) regarding the current status of the construction of the *Wamumu* Kenya Medical Research Institute (KEMRI) building facility in Mwea Constituency; details of the company awarded the project, construction commencement date, scope of works, the range of services to be offered once complete and the nature of the medical facility intended to be constructed on the 100-acre piece of public land donated by the Kirinyaga County Government.

(To be answered by the Cabinet Secretary for Health before the Departmental Committee on Health) The following Questions were deferred -

- (iv) Question No 293/2019 by the Member for North Imenti (Hon. Abdul Rahim Dawood, MP) regarding the total value of unclaimed assets that is currently held by public and private financial institutions belonging to both Kenyans and foreign nationals; measures being put in place by the Ministry to guarantee efficient and prudent management of the said unclaimed assets;
- (v) Question No 294/2019 by the Member for Kwanza Constituency (Hon. Ferdinand Wanyonyi, MP) regarding the number of Technical Training Institutes have been established so far in the country under the Technical and Vocation Education and Training Act (TVET) 2013, per constituency; what is the scheduled road-map for completion of the remaining institutes to cover all the 290 constituencies.

7. <u>MOTION</u> - <u>DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A CURRICULUM</u> FOR TRAINING STUDENTS AND PUPILS IN SCHOOLS ON ROAD SAFETY

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, concerned that available reports indicate that on average, road traffic accidents in the country cause an estimated 3,000 deaths with many other victims injured and maimed as a result, placing Kenya among the Countries with the highest road carnage globally; further concerned that it is estimated that the cost to the economy from road traffic accidents is in excess of Kshs. 300 billion annually according to the National Transport Safety Authority (NTSA) Road Safety Status Report (2015); aware that legislation and policies in place to a large extent addresses the key road safety risk factors, and the challenge is in implementation and enforcement; cognizant that road safety awareness would help in combating road accidents in the country; acknowledging that section 4(2) of the National Transport and Safety Act mandates the NTSA to develop and implement road safety strategies; and facilitate the education of Members of the public on road safety; recognizing that schools provide the largest and most concentrated group of Members of the public who can benefit from road safety education; this House **resolves** that the National Government urgently develops and implements a mandatory and examinable curriculum for training of students and pupils in Primary and Secondary Schools on road safety.

(Hon. Silvanus Osoro – 19.06.2019)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on Wednesday, June 19, 2019;

Question put and <u>agreed to.</u>

8. <u>THE CROPS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.25 OF</u> 2019)

(The Hon. Tandaza Kassim Sawa, MP)

Order for First Reading read;

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

9. <u>THE KENYA INSTITUTE OF CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT (AMENDMENT)</u> BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.33 OF 2019)

(The Hon. Joyce Emanikor, MP)

Order for First Reading read;

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

10. THE ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.34 OF 2019)

(The Hon. Millie Odhiambo Mabona, MP)

Order for First Reading read;

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

11. THE LAW OF CONTRACT (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. OF 2019)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Law of Contract (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No.1 of 2019) be now read a Second Time

(Hon. Francis Waititu)

Debate arising;

(Change of Chair from Deputy Speaker to Second Chairperson)

(Change of Chair from Second Chairperson to Fourth Chairperson)

Rising in his place on a Point of Order pursuant to Standing Order 95, the Member for Tharaka (Hon. Gitonga Murugara) claimed to move "that the Mover be now called upon to reply";

And the Fourth Chairperson being of the view that the claim was an abuse of proceedings pursuant to Standing Order 82;

Thereupon declined to put the Question;

Debate interrupted resumed;

Rising in her place on a Point of Order pursuant to Standing Order 95, the Member for Gilgil (Hon. Martha Wangari) claimed to move "that the Mover be now called upon to reply";

And the Fourth Chairperson acceding to the claim;

Question put and <u>agreed to;</u>

Thereupon, Mover replied;

Question deferred.

And the time being One o'clock, the Fourth Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House <u>without</u> Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

12. **HOUSE ROSE** - at One O'clock

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair today, Wednesday, June 26, 2019 at 2.30 p.m.

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