



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT – THIRD SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2019

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

The following papers were laid on the Table of the House:-

- i) 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: -
 - a) National Social Security Fund;
 - b) Siala Technical Training Institute; and
 - c) Ekerubo Gietai Technical Training Institute.
- ii) 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: -
 - a) Suna East;
 - b) Mathira;
 - c) Borabu;
 - d) Sotik;
 - e) Webuye East;
 - f) Kanduyi;
 - g) Keiyo South;
 - h) Emgwen;
 - i) Tarbaj;
 - j) Eldas;
 - k) Lagdera;
 - l) Wajir West;
 - m) Ijara; and
 - n) Balambala.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

5. QUESTIONS

The following Question was asked –

- (i) **Question No.384/2019** by the Member for Kimilili (Hon. Didmus Baraza Wekesa, MP) regarding the number of patients who have sought cancer treatment out of the country for the last five years and measures being undertaken by the Ministry taking to ensure that cancer diagnosis and management is carried out at all levels of hospitals in the Country.

(To be replied by the Cabinet Secretary for Health before the Departmental Committee on Health)

- (ii) **Question No.383/2019** by the Member for Member for Busia County (Hon. Florence Mutua, MP) regarding measures that the Ministry put in place to enhance disaster risk reduction in the Country, and ensure that key priorities of the United Nation's Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction are inculcated to enhance risk reduction in view of the current upsurge of cancer cases and food contamination.

(Question deferred)

- (iii) **Question No.385/2019** by the Member for Member for Tharaka Nithi County (Hon. Beatrice Nkatha, MP) regarding issuance of birth certificates to newborn babies immediately upon discharge from hospital.

(Question deferred)

- (iv) **Question No.386/2019** by the Member for Member for Gem (Hon. Elisha Ochieng' Odhiambo, MP) regarding measures in place to ensure smooth and easy transition from the use of the old currency notes to the new ones.

(Question deferred)

6. THE INSTITUTE OF DIRECTORS OF KENYA BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 3 OF 2019)

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Institute of Directors of Kenya Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2019) be now read a Second Time.

(The Hon. Chrisantus Wamalwa, M.P. – 31.07.2019)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on 31.07.2019;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole House tomorrow.

7. **MOTION - CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICES TO ALL WOMEN AND ISSUANCE OF THE HPV VACCINE TO BOYS AND GIRLS BY THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT**

Motion having been made and Question proposed:

THAT, aware that Cervical cancer is the leading type of cancer in the country causing the greatest number of deaths with at least 8 to 10 women succumbing every day to the disease; further aware that most women diagnosed with precancerous changes in the cervix are in their 20s and 30s, but the average age of women when they are diagnosed with cervical cancer is the mid-50s; considering that Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) is one of the most common viruses in the world with 4 out of 5 (80%) persons getting some type of HPV at least once in a lifetime; cognizant of the fact that men and women can get HPV typically with the immune system getting rid of HPV without needing treatment; deeply concerned that HPV is a major risk factor of cervical cancer with nearly 99.7 percent of cervical cancers being caused by infection from high-risk HPV; appreciating that cervical cancer could be totally eliminated and further averted by putting preventative measures through timely treatments, this House therefore **resolves** that the National Government rolls out free screening services to all women and issuance of the HPV vaccines to boys and girls to reduce the mortality rates and completely eradicate deaths caused by Cervical Cancer in the Country.

(Hon. (Dr.) Tecla Tum – 31.7.2019)

Debate on the Motion having been concluded on 7.08.2019;

Question put and agreed to.

8. **THE RADIOGRAPHERS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 47 OF 2019)**

(The Hon. Sabina Chege, M.P.)

Order for First Reading read;

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

9. **THE BANKING (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 55 OF 2019)**

(The Hon. Jude Njomo, M.P.)

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Banking (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2019) be now read a Second Time.

Debate arising;

(Change of Chair from Deputy Speaker to Fourth Chairperson of Committees)

(Change of Chair from Fourth Chairperson to Second Chairperson of Committees)

And the time being One o'clock, the Second Chairperson interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

10. HOUSE ROSE - at One O'clock

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M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair today,
Wednesday, September 11, at 2.30 p.m.

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