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## 12th February, 2021

## SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

## MONDAY, 15<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY TO FRIDAY, 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday**, **15**<sup>th</sup> **February to Friday**, **19**<sup>th</sup> **February**, **2021** is herein published.

In accordance with the Communication of the Honourable Speaker of the Senate issued on Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 on the Guidelines for Senate Plenary and Committee Sittings During the COVID-19 Pandemic, Members of the public who may wish to make representations to any of the Committees are requested to do so by way of written memoranda submitted by email on the address <u>csenate@parliament.go.ke</u>.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Monday, 15 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives to deliberate on the locust invasion in various parts of the country.
		Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for the year 2021.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Tuesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Meeting with the Governors of Siaya, Kisumu and Vihiga Counties to deliberate on the Petition by the Abanyore Community on the boundary dispute in Kisumu-Siaya-Vihiga Counties.

		Wednesday, 17 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for the year 2021.
3.	Standing Committee on Education	Thursday, 18 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for 2021. (Education Sector)
		Friday, 19 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee and the Draft Work Plan for February and March, 2021.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for 2021. (Energy Sector).
		Thursday 18th February, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance & Budget	Tuesday, 16th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Consideration of the Petition report on alleged irregular acquisition of National Bank of Kenya Ltd building by Uasin Gishu County Executive.
		Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Presentation of the Budget Policy Statement for 2021 by the Parliamentary Budget Office.
		Thursday 18th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with Stakeholders to deliberate on the Budget Policy Statement for 2021.
		Friday, 19th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Submission of Reports on Budget Policy Statement for 2021 by the Standing Committees
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 16th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	<ul> <li>Consideration of the report on-</li> <li>1. The COVID-19 pandemic response; and;</li> <li>2. The health worker challenges at the county level.</li> </ul>

7.	Standing Committee on Information and Technology	Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting Thursday, 18th February, 2021 Online Meeting Tuesday, 16th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am 9.00 am 9.30 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for 2021. (Health Sector). Consideration of the Report on the Budget Policy Statement for 2021. Consideration of- 1. Sessional Report of the Fourth (4th) Session; Year 2020; 2. Draft Work Plan for the Fifth (5th) Session; Year 2021; and 3. Updates from the Committee
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 16 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online meeting	8.00 am	Secretariat. Consideration of pending legislative business.
		Wednesday, 17 <sup>th</sup> February, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of a Statement sought by Sen. Mary Seneta, MP on the roadmap of activities leading to the 2022 General Elections.
		Thursday, 18th February, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for the financial year 2021/2022. (JLAHR Sectors).
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Tuesday, 16th February, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	<ul> <li>Consideration of the following Statements sought by-</li> <li>1. Sen. Petronila Were MP, regarding the welfare support for unionisable employees affected by the COVID19 Pandemic;</li> <li>2. Sen. Mohammed Faki, MP, regarding the appointment of the Director General of Kenya Maritime Authority.</li> </ul>
10.	Senate Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Friday, 19th February, 2021 Mombasa & Kwale Counties	10.00 am	<ul> <li>Visit to-</li> <li>1. Mombasa County to deliberate on the Petition regarding the historical land injustices involving Plot No. 162/V/M.N.CR 1070; and</li> <li>2. Kwale County following a request by Sen. Boy Issa Juma, M.P. to deliberate on the eviction of residents from Plot No. LR 4572 situated in Diani, Kwale County</li> </ul>

11.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 17 <sup>th</sup> - February, 2021 Online Meeting	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Interior and Coordination of National Government to deliberate on recent conflicts in Marsabit, Isiolo, Wajir, West Pokot, Turkana and Mandera Counties.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 16th February, 2021 Online Meeting	10.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business.
13.	Standing Committee on Roads & Transportation	Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	<ul> <li>Consideration of-</li> <li>1. Consideration of Statement by Sen. Fred Outa, M.P. regarding ongoing demolitions of properties and evictions in Kisumu County;</li> <li>2. Legislative Business before the Committee.</li> </ul>
		Thursday, 18th, February, 2021 Online Meeting	8.30 am	Consideration of the Budget Policy Statement for 2021 (Roads, Transport, Infrastructure, Housing and public works subsectors)
14.	Standing Committee on Trade, Tourism and Industrialization	Wednesday, 17th February, 2021 Online Meeting	10.30 am	<ul> <li>Consideration of-</li> <li>3. Legislative Business before the Committee;</li> <li>4. Briefing by the Parliamentary Budget Office on the Budget Policy Statement for 2021. (Tourism, Trade &amp; Manufacturing Sectors).</li> </ul>
		Thursday, 18th, February, 2021 Online Meeting	10.30 am	<ul> <li>Consideration of-</li> <li>1. Schedule of activities and work plan for February to April, 2021;and</li> <li>2. Recommendations of the Committee on the Budget Policy Statement for 2021.</li> </ul>

Note: The Schedule is also available on Parliamentary website *www.parliament.go.ke*.