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## SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS MONDAY, $26^{TH}$ JULY TO FRIDAY, $30^{TH}$ JULY, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> July to Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> July, 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 <a href="mailto:csenate@parliament.go.ke">csenate@parliament.go.ke</a>.

|    | COMMITTEE  | DATE & VENUE   | TIME     | AGENDA  |
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| 1. | Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock & Fisheries                     | Friday, 30 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting       | 11.00 am | Consideration of a programme for the proposed retreat on public participation on the Coconut Industry Development Bill, Senate Bills No. 24 of 2021.  |
| 2. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Devolution and<br>Intergovernmental<br>Relations | Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> July,<br>2021<br>Online Meeting | 9.00 am  | Joint meeting with the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget to consider the Report on the suspension of the implementation of the budget of Vihiga County for Financial Year 2021/2022. |
|    |  | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting    | 11.30 am | Meeting with the Petitioner to consider a Petition on alleged corruption and violation of the Constitution and other laws by the County Government of Bungoma.                              |
|    |  | Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting      | 11.30 am | Meeting with the Governor, Bungoma<br>County to consider a Petition on<br>alleged corruption and violation of the<br>Constitution and other laws by the<br>County Government of Bungoma.    |

| 3. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Education             | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021  Online Meeting  Friday, 30 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 | 9.00 am 9.00 am | Meeting with the Governors of Kwale and Kilifi Counties to deliberate on implementation of Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) Policies in the Counties.  Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.  |
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| 4. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Energy                | Online Meeting Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 County Hall, Mini Chamber             | 11.00 am        | Meeting with- 1. The Cabinet Secretary, the National Treasury; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Mining; and 3. The Director General, Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority (EPRA); to deliberate on the recent increase in the price of cooking gas and high taxes and levies applied to petroleum products. |
| 5. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Finance and<br>Budget | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting  | 9:00 am         | Joint meeting with the Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations to consider the Report on the suspension of the implementation of the budget of Vihiga County for Financial Year 2021/2022.   |
|    |   | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                                       | 9:00 am         | Meeting with Mr. Roy Tanga to deliberate on sovereign debt in the post- pandemic era - building a resilient economy in Financial Year 2021/22.  |
| 6. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Health                | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting  | 9.00 am         | Consideration of- 1. Committee Report and proposed Amendments to the Health (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills, No. 26 of 2020; and 2. Committee Work Programme.  |
|    |   | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup><br>July, 2021   | 9.00 am         | Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.   |

|    |  | Online Meeting                                       |          |  |
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| 7. | Standing Committee on Information and Technology | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July 2021 Online meeting   | 10:00 am | Meeting with the Commission on Administrative Justice (CAJ) to consider responses to a Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, on the status of the Access to Information Regulations provided for in the Access to Information Act, 2016.  |
|    |  | Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting | 9:30 am  | Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Information, Communication, Technology, Innovation and Youth Affairs to deliberate on a Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, on the status of the Access to Information Regulations provided for in the Access to Information Act, 2016.   |
| 8. | Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting  | 8.00 am  | Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.  |
|    | Human Rights                                     | Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting | 8.00am   | Consideration of Reports on the following –  1. Statement sought by Sen. Mary Seneta, MP, on the roadmap of activities leading to the 2022 General Elections;  2. Petition on alleged corruption and mismanagement at the Nyamira County Government;  3. Petition on alleged mass examination failure at the Kenya School of Law; and  4. Petition on alleged historical injustices against the Kipsigis Community by the colonial government. |
|    |  | Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup><br>July, 2021              | 11.00 am | Consideration of legislative proposals and draft regulations received from the   |

|     |  |                             |          | Independent Electoral Boundaries            |
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|     |  | <b>Online Meeting</b>       |          | Commission (IEBC).                          |
| 9.  | Standing                               | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup>   | 10.00 am | Consideration of pending legislative        |
|     | Committee on Labour and Social         | July, 2021                  |          | business before the Committee.              |
|     | Welfare                                | Online Meeting              |          |   |
|     |  | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> | 11.00 am | Meeting with stakeholders to deliberate     |
|     |  | July, 2021                  |          | on matters affecting the creative industry. |
|     |  | Online Meeting              |          | ,   |
|     |  | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup>  | 10.00 am | Meeting with petitioners on the             |
|     |  | July, 2021                  |          | Petition by former employees of Kenya       |
|     |  | Online Meeting              |          | United Steel Company.                       |
| 10. | Senate Standing                        | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup>  | 11.00 am | Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary,         |
|     | Committee on                           | July, 2021                  |          | Ministry of Interior and Coordination       |
|     | Land,                                  | ٠                           |          | of National Government and the              |
|     | Environment and<br>Natural Resources   | <b>Online Meeting</b>       |          | Directorate of Criminal Investigations      |
|     | Naturai Resources                      |                             |          | to deliberate on the Petition on the        |
|     |  |                             |          | alleged encroachment of land                |
|     |  |                             |          | belonging to Mkamenyi Residents by          |
|     |  |                             |          | Voi Point Limited in Taita Taveta           |
|     |  |                             |          | County.                                     |
| 11. | Standing                               | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> | 12.00 pm | Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary,         |
|     | Committee on                           | July, 2021                  |          | Ministry of Labour and Social               |
|     | National Cohesion<br>Equal Opportunity | Online Meeting              |          | Protection to deliberate on the role of     |
|     | and Regional                           |                             |          | the National Council of Children's          |
|     | Integration                            |                             |          | Services in protecting the rights of        |
|     |  | - a oth                     | 12.00    | children in Kenya.                          |
|     |  | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup>  | 12.00 pm | Consideration of pending legislative        |
|     |  | July, 2021                  |          | business before the Committee.              |
|     |  | Online Meeting              |          |   |
|     |  | Friday, 30 <sup>th</sup>    | 8.00 am  | Workshop with the National Cohesion         |
|     |  | July, 2021                  |          | and Integration Commission to               |
|     |  |                             | Mombasa  | consider the National Cohesion and          |
|     |  |                             | County   | Peace-Building Bill, 2021.                  |
| 12. | Standing                               | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> | 11.00 am | Consideration of the Kenya Citizenship      |
|     | Committee on                           | July, 2021                  |          | and Immigration (Amendment) Bill,           |
|     | National Security,<br>Defence and      |                             |          | Senate Bills No. 33 of 2021.                |
|     | Foreign Relations                      | Online Meeting              |          |   |

| 13. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Roads and<br>Transportation       | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                       | 8.30 am  | Consideration of- 1. The Statement sought by Sen. Gideon Moi, CBS, MP, regarding the future of Kazi Mtaani programme by the National Government; and 2. Responses on the status of compensation of project affected persons for the Kibwezi-Athi- Mutomo-Migwani road project. |
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|     |   | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                     | 9.00 am  | Meeting with stakeholders and petitioners in respect of a Petition concerning access to title deeds for properties bought at Jamii Bora Makao Estate, Kisaju, Kajiado County.  |
|     |   | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                      | 8.30 am  | Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.  |
| 14. | Standing<br>Committee on<br>Tourism, Trade<br>and             | Wednesday, 28 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                     | 11.00 am | Consideration of proposed amendments to the Investment Promotion (Amendment) Bill, Senate Bills No. 2 of 2021.   |
|     | Industrialization   | Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021 Online Meeting                      | 11.00 am | Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary,<br>Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife to<br>apprise the Committee on the<br>implementation status of projects<br>undertaken by the Ministry.   |
| 15. | Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments | Monday, 26 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021  Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC | 10.00 am | Meeting with the County Executive of Kilifi to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2018/2019.   |
|     |   | Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup><br>July, 2021                                   | 10.00 am | Meeting with the County Executive of<br>Kericho to interrogate the Report of the<br>Auditor General on the Financial   |

| Shimba Hills<br>Hall,<br>First Floor,<br>KICC                               |                          | Statements for Financial Year 2018/2019.  |
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| Wednesday, 2<br>July, 2021<br>Shimba Hills<br>Hall,<br>First Floor,<br>KICC | 8 <sup>th</sup> 10.00 am | Meeting with the County Assembly of Nairobi City to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2018/2019. |
| Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021  Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor, KICC | 10.00 am                 | Meeting with the County Executive of Vihiga to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2018/2019.      |

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