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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 25TH OCTOBER TO FRIDAY, 29TH OCTOBER, 2021

In accordance with standing order 39, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 25th October to Friday, 29th October, 2021** is hereby published.

In accordance with the Communication of the Honourable Speaker of the Senate issued on Tuesday, 31st 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 cSenate@parliament.go.ke.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Monday, 25 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11:00 am	Consideration of a Statement sought by Sen. Cleophas Malala, MP on the status of Mumias Sugar Company Limited and its impending take-over and resuscitation.
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Wednesday, 27 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.30 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
3.	Standing Committee on Education	Monday, 25 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	2:30 pm	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
		Thursday, 28 th October, 2021	9:00 am	Meeting with the Governors of Kisii and Trans Nzoia Counties to

		Online Meeting		deliberate on the Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) landscape in the country.
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Wednesday, 27th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
5.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 26th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Nairobi Metropolitan Services to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. Johnson Sakaja, CBS, MP on the status of facilities and patient care at the Mbagathi Referral Hospital.
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
6.	Standing Committee on Information & Technology	Monday, 25th October, 2020 Online Meeting	9:30 am	Meeting with the Director General of the Communications Authority of Kenya to deliberate on the implementation of Phase III of the Universal Service Fund (USF) connectivity projects.
		Wednesday, 27th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:30 am	Consultative meeting with- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Airtel Kenya; 2. Telkom Kenya; and 3. the Kenya Private Sector Alliance (KEPSA); to deliberate on the Statement sought by Sen. Petronilla Were, MP on alleged monopolistic practices by Safaricom PLC.

7.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Thursday, 28th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9:00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, the National Treasury and Planning to deliberate on the following Statements- 1. Statement sought by Sen. Millicent Omanga, MP on cushioning Kenyans from the negative socio-economic impact of Covid-19 caused by the partial lockdown; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Aaron Cheruiyot, MP on the merger of government agencies to form the Kenya Transport and Logistics Network; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Moses Wetangula, EGH, MP on the operations of the Privatization Commission of Kenya; 4. Statement sought by Sen. Abshiro Halake, MP on the position of Value Added Tax on clean and renewable energy products; and 5. Statement sought by Sen. Cleophas Malala, MP on the increase of excise duty on beer made from sorghum, millet and cassava.
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Tuesday, 26th October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bills, Senate Bills No. 46 of 2021.
		Wednesday, 27th October, 2021 Online Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of the Lifestyle Audit Bill, Senate Bills No. 36 of 2021.
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021	8.00 am	Meeting with the Chief Registrar of the Judiciary to receive submissions on – 1. The Statement sought by Sen. Aaron Cheruiyot, MP regarding the closure of the Kericho Law

		Online Meeting		Courts; and 2. The Petition by Taratisio Ileri Kawe regarding amendment of various provisions of the Constitution and statutes relating to bail and bond.
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9.00 am	Meeting with the Commission Secretary/ CEO of the Kenya Law Reform Commission to receive submissions on the Petition by Taratisio Ileri Kawe regarding amendment of various provisions of the Constitution and statutes relating to bail and bond.
9.	Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare	Tuesday, 26th October, 2021 Online Meeting	9.30 am	Meeting with- 1. The Nairobi City County Government; 2. The Nairobi Metropolitan Services; 3. The Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission; and 4. The Public Procurement Regulatory Authority; to deliberate on the status of the new Dandora Stadium.
		Tuesday 26th – Friday 29th October, 2021 County Visits		County Visits to Bomet, Kisii, Nyamira, and Kericho Counties to consider issues relating to workers in the tea sector and various Petitions before the Committee.
10.	Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources	Wednesday, 27th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with- 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Physical Planning; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry; 3. The Chairperson, National Land Commission; and 4. The Governor, Nandi County ; to deliberate on the Petition on the re-settlement status of former Kimondi Forest evictees.
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021	11.00 am	Meeting with- 1. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands and Physical Planning; 2. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry

		Online Meeting		of Environment and Forestry; and 3. The Chairperson, National Land Commission; to deliberate on the Petition regarding the alleged gazettement of Chetambe (Webuye) Hill Forest, vide Legal Notice No. 106.
11.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Wednesday, 27th October, 2021	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary Ministry of East Africa Community and Regional Development to deliberate on issues regarding infrastructural development and utilities necessary for enhanced integration.
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021		Meeting with the Ministry of ICT, Innovation and Youth Affairs to deliberate on the role of the Ministry in promoting youth empowerment and innovation opportunities for the youth and the Ministry's compliance with the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) and Article 7(3)(b) of the Constitution.
12.	Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation	Monday, 25th October, 2021	10:00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Bungoma County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
			12:00 pm	Meeting with the Governor, Kisii County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		Tuesday, 26th October, 2021	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Vihiga County to consider utilization of
		1st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building		

				the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		1st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Governor, Kisumu County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		Wednesday, 27th October, 2021	10:00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Machakos County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		1st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building		
		Thursday, 28th October, 2021	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Narok County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		1st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Governor, Bomet County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		Friday, 29th October, 2021	10.00 am	Meeting with the Governor, Mandera County to consider utilization of the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund and the Kenya Urban Support Programme Grants for FY 2018/2019, 2019/2020 and 2020/2021.
		1st Floor, Boardroom, Red Cross Building		

13.	Standing Committee on Tourism, Trade and Industrialization	Wednesday, 27 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Meeting with Sen. Irungu Kang'ata, CBS, MP to consider a Statement on the operations of Murang'a County Creameries.
		Thursday, 28 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	11.00 am	Consideration of pending legislative business before the Committee.
14.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 26 th October, 2021 Online Meeting	2.30 p.m.	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry and the Governor, Kiambu County to deliberate on the alleged Murder of Ms. Joannah Stutchbury.
15.	Sessional Committee on County Public Accounts and Investments	Monday, 25 th October, 2021 Kisumu County	2:30 pm	Meeting with the Baringo County Executive to interrogate the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2018/2019.
		Tuesday, 26 th - Friday 29 th October, 2021 Kisumu County		Report Writing Retreat.

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