

PARLIAMENT OF KENYA

THE SENATE

THE HANSARD

Tuesday, 29th November, 2022

*The House met at the Senate Chamber,
Parliament Buildings, at 2.30 p.m.*

[The Speaker (Hon. Kingi) in the Chair]

PRAYER

QUORUM CALL AT COMMENCEMENT OF SITTING

The Speaker (Hon. Kingi): Clerk, do we have quorum? Serjeant-at-Arms, kindly ring the Quorum Bell for ten minutes.

(The Quorum Bell was rung)

Serjeant-at-Arms, it seems we are yet to get the quorum. Kindly proceed to ring the quorum Bell for a further ten minutes.

(The quorum Bell was rung)

Hon. Senators, Standing Order No.39 provides that-
“The quorum of the Senate or a Committee of the Whole shall be fifteen Senators.”

Standing Order No. 40 (1) Provides as follows-
“If there is no quorum present when the Chair is taken at the time appointed for a sitting of the Senate, the Speaker shall, immediately after the prayer, order the bell to be rung for ten minutes.”

Which has been done.
Standing Order No. 40 (2) Provides as follows-
“If no quorum is present at the expiration of the ten minutes, the Speaker may direct that the bell be rung for a further ten minutes and if there is still no quorum present, the Speaker shall adjourn the Senate forthwith to the next sitting.”

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker (Hon. Kingi): Hon. Senators, pursuant to Standing Order No.40, there being no quorum, the Senate stands adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, 30th November, 2022 at 2.30 p.m.

The Senate rose at 2.58 p.m.