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THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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INTERRUPTION OF BUSINESS

**PRONOUNCEMENT ON THE BUDGET POLICY HIGHLIGHTS AND
REVENUE-RAISING MEASURES FOR THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023/24**

Honourable Members,

1. Section 40 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and Standing Order 244C require the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury to make a public pronouncement on the budget policy highlights and revenue-raising measures for the national government each financial year. In this regard, and as communicated earlier, the Cabinet Secretary will be making this pronouncement shortly.
2. **Honourable Members**, I wish to recognise the dignitaries present in the galleries today. They include members of the Cabinet led by **the Prime Cabinet Secretary, the Hon. (Dr.) Wycliffe Musalia Mudavadi, EGH.**
3. Other guests present today include Principal Secretaries, Chairpersons and Chief Executive Officers of Parastatals, senior government officials, members of the diplomatic corps and development partners.

4. **On behalf of the National Assembly and on my own behalf, I welcome you all to the National Assembly.**
5. **Honourable Members**, Before I invite the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning to make his pronouncement, I wish to remind the House that, in accordance with the provisions of **Standing Order 244C(3)**, the Cabinet Secretary shall be heard without question or clarification. Further, the provisions of the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act, 2017 do apply to the Cabinet Secretary during this sitting.
6. **Honourable Members**, I now interrupt business of the House to allow the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning to make public pronouncement on the *Budget Policy Highlights and Revenue Raising Measures for the National Government* for the Financial Year 2023/2024 and the Medium Term.
7. Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning, **Prof. Njuguna Ndung'u, CBS**, you may now proceed.


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SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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