



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (SECOND SESSION)**

**THE SENATE**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**SPECIAL SITTING**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 2023 AT 2.30 PM**

1. The proceedings were opened with Prayer said by the Speaker.

2. **QUORUM IN THE HOUSE**

The Speaker, having counted the Honourable Senators present at the commencement of the Sitting and confirming that there was no Quorum, caused the Bell to be rung for ten minutes pursuant to Standing Order 40;

And there being a Quorum after the expiry of the ten minutes;

The Speaker invited the Clerk to call the Orders of the day.

3. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

Order for Committee read;

**IN THE COMMITTEE**

(The Acting Chairperson of Committees (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) – in the Chair)

**The Climate Change (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 42 of 2023)**

Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1, be part of the Bill.

*(The Senate Majority Leader)*

There being no Senators wishing to contribute;

The Committee proceeded to a Division;

The Acting Chairperson (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2) and that the Division bell be rung for two minutes;

Upon the expiry of two minutes, the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log in for electronic voting;

The Acting Chairperson put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the **“Yes”**, **“No”** or **“Abstain”** button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Acting Chairperson allowed four (4) Senators to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their vote as **“YES”**-

1. Sen. Ogola Beatrice, MP – on behalf of Homa Bay County Delegation.
2. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP.
3. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – on behalf of Mandera County Delegation.
4. Sen. Tobiko, Peris Pesi, MP – on behalf of Kajiado County Delegation.

**AYES – 33**

**NOES - 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

The results of the Division were as follows: -

1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson Kiprotich, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohammed Said, MP
5. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
6. Sen. Ogola Beatrice, MP – voted verbally on behalf of Homa-bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
8. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
9. Sen. Kipkiror William Cheptumo, MP
10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
11. Sen. Lomenen James Ekomwa, MP
12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP

13. Sen. Mandago Jackson Kiplagat, MP
14. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
15. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi,MP
16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
17. Sen. Murango James Kamau,MP MP
18. Sen. Murgor Recha, Julius, MP
19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
20. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
21. Sen. Nderitu John Kinyua, MP
22. Sen. Ngugi Joe Joseph Nyutu, MP
23. Sen. Oburu Oginga, MP
24. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP – voted verbally
25. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
26. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP - voted verbally on behalf of Mandera County Delegation
27. Sen. Tobiko Peris Pesi, MP Voted verbally on behalf of Kajiado County Delegation
28. Sen. Sifuna, Edwine Watanya, MP
29. Sen. Thangwa Paul Karungo, MP
30. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
31. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
32. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP
33. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, Clause 2, the Title and Clause 1 -agreed to

**Motion made: -**

THAT, the Committee of the Whole do report to the Senate its consideration of the Climate Change (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 42 of 2023) and its approval thereof without amendments;

*(Senate Majority Leader)*

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(1), the Acting Chairperson (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

Question put and agreed to.

4. **HOUSE RESUMED** – (The Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) – in the Chair)
5. **THE CLIMATE CHANGE (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 42 OF 2023)**

Bill reported **without** amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed: -

THAT, the House do agree with the Committee of the Whole in the said Report.

*(Senate Majority Leader)*

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(1), the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) ruled that the Question does not affect counties;

Question put and agreed to.

**Motion made and Question proposed: -**

THAT, the Climate Change (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 42 of 2023) be now Read a Third Time.

*(Senate Majority Leader)*

There being no Senator wishing to contribute;

The House proceeded to a Division on the Third Reading of the Bill;

The Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) directed that electronic voting be taken pursuant to Standing Order 86(2);

The Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) directed that the doors be locked and the bars be drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the **“Yes”**, **“No”** or **“Abstain”** button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to Standing Order 86 (5), the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) allowed three (3) Senator to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their vote as **“Yes”**: -

1. Sen. Ogola Beatrice, MP – on behalf of Homa Bay County Delegation
2. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – on behalf of Mandera County Delegation
3. Sen. Tobiko Peris Pesi, MP – on behalf of Kajiado County Delegation

**AYES – 33**

**NOES - 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

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9. Sen. Kipkiror William Cheptumo, MP
10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
11. Sen. Lomenen James Ekomwa, MP
12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
13. Sen. Mandago Jackson Kiplagat, MP
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16. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
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19. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
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29. Sen. Thangwa Paul Karungo, MP
30. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
31. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
32. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP
33. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question agreed to.

Bill Read a Third Time and **passed**.

6. **MOTION – ALTERATION OF THE SENATE CALENDAR**

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, notwithstanding the Resolutions of the Senate made on 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 (approval of the Senate Calendar), on 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 and on 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 (alteration of the Senate Calendar), pursuant to Standing Order 32 (4), the Senate resolves to further alter its Calendar (Regular Sessions) for the Second Session, 2023, in respect of Part V, to resume from recess on Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2023.

*(The Senate Majority Leader)*

And there being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Speaker ruled that the Motion does not affect counties.

Question put and agreed to.

**RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY**

THAT, notwithstanding the Resolutions of the Senate made on 16<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 (approval of the Senate Calendar), on 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 and on 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 (alteration of the Senate Calendar), pursuant to Standing Order 32 (4), the Senate resolves to further alter its Calendar (Regular Sessions) for the Second Session, 2023, in respect of Part V, to resume from recess on Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2023.

And there being no other business in the Order Paper, the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Veronica Maina, MP) adjourned the Senate at seventeen minutes past three O'clock pursuant to the Standing Orders, without Question put.

7. **SENATE ROSE** – at seventeen minutes past Three O'clock.

**MEMORANDUM**

*The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Tuesday, September 19, 2023 at 2:30 p.m.*

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