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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

TUESDAY, 28TH OCTOBER TO FRIDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER, 2024

In accordance with standing order 44, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 28th October to Friday, 1st November, 2024** is hereby published. Members of the public attending the hearings will be admitted on a *“first-come first-served basis”* and in accordance with the Speaker’s Rules on admittance to parliamentary hearings.

No.	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Monday, 28th October, 2024 Lamu County	9.00 a.m.	Public Participation on the Nuts and Oil Crops Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 47 of 2023).
		Thursday, 31st October, 2024 Kenya Veterinary Vaccines Production Institute.	8.00 a.m.	Visit to the Kenya Veterinary Vaccines Production Institute (KEVEVAPI).
		Friday, 1st November, 2024 Bungoma County	9.00 a.m.	Public Participation on the Nuts and Oil Crops Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 47 of 2023).
2.	Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations	Monday, 28th October, 2024 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	9.30 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Tharaka-Nithi County to deliberate on the low expenditure on development by the County Government in Financial Year 2022/2023.
			10.30 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Busia County to deliberate on the low

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				expenditure on development by the County Government in Financial Year 2022/2023.
		Thursday, 31st October, 2024 Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	9.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Kisii County to deliberate on the low expenditure on development by the County Government in Financial Year 2022/2023.
			10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor of Kiambu County to deliberate on the Low Expenditure on Development by the County Government for the Financial Year 2022/2023.
		Friday, 1st November, 2024 Turkana County	9.00 a.m.	Visit to Turkana County to inspect various development projects and assess the general state of devolution.

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3.	Standing Committee on Education	Tuesday, 29 th October, 2024 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	12.00 p.m.	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Education to deliberate on the following Statements - <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statement sought by Sen. Betty Syengo, MP, regarding compliance by schools to road safety provisions; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP, regarding access to village and youth polytechnics for the youth in informal settlements; 3. Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, regarding placement of students in universities and the state of financial health of public universities in the country;

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4.				<p>4. Statement sought by Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP, regarding management and operation of Mbele Primary School in Mackinon Town that is currently being administered by the County Government of Taita/Taveta;</p> <p>5. Statement sought by Sen. Betty Syengo, MP, regarding delay in disbursement of capitation funds to Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) institutions in Kenya;</p> <p>6. Statement sought by Sen. Andrew Omtatah, MP, regarding extortion of parents through illegal demands for fees for remedial classes in schools;</p> <p>7. Statement sought by Sen. Agnes Kavindu, MP, regarding transition rates to secondary schools, universities and tertiary institutions in the country;</p> <p>8. Statement sought by Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP, regarding the safety of pupils and students in schools across the country;</p>

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5.				<p>9. Statement sought by Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP, regarding lack of Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) funding and government capitation for certificate and diploma students in primary and secondary school teachers' colleges; and</p> <p>10. Statement sought by Sen. Alexander Mundigi, MP, regarding the rising cases of fires in boarding schools.</p>
6.	Standing Committee on Energy	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024. Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of the proposed Public-Private Partnership (PPP) between Adani Group and Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Ltd (KETRACO).
7.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024. Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall.	9.00 a.m.	<p>Meeting with-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Unclaimed Financial Assets Authority (UFAA) to deliberate on a Statement sought by Sen. Gloria Orwoba, MP, regarding the alleged financial improprieties at the Authority; and 2. Kenya National Assurance Company (2001) Limited to deliberate on a Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Faki, CBS, MP, concerning receivership of the Company.

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		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024.</p> <p>Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall.</p>	9.00 a.m.	<p>Consideration of stakeholder submissions on the Public Finance Management (Amendment) Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 27 of 2024) and the County Wards (Equitable Development Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No.20 of 2024).</p>
8.	Standing Committee on Health	<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024.</p> <p>Committee Room 8, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	10.00 a.m.	<p>1. Consideration of pending legislative business and the work plan of the Committee for the remainder of the Session;</p> <p>2. Consideration of Reports of the Committee on oversight and networking engagements; and</p> <p>3. Pre-publication scrutiny of the Health (Amendment) Bill, 2024.</p>
9.	Standing Committee on Information Communication Technology	<p>Tuesday, 29th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 8, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	12.00 p.m.	<p>Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Health to deliberate on the implementation, transition and operations of the Social Health Insurance Fund (SHIF) Healthcare Systems.</p>
		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 4, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	12.00 p.m.	<p>Meeting with the Cabinet, Secretary, Ministry of Interior and National Administration to deliberate on security concerns relating to critical telecommunication and ICT infrastructure in the country.</p>

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10.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Monday, 28 th October, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings.	2.30 p.m.	Consideration of the framework for actualization of the recommendations for amendment to the Constitution as contained in the Reports of- 1. The National Dialogue Committee; and 2. The Multi-Sectoral Working Group on the Implementation of the Two-Thirds Gender Principle.
		Tuesday, 29 th October, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings.	8.00 a.m.	Adoption of the report of the Committee on the framework for actualization of the recommendations for amendment to the Constitution as contained in the Reports of- 1. The National Dialogue Committee; and 2. The Multi-Sectoral Working Group on the Implementation of the Two-Thirds Gender Principle.
		Wednesday, 30 th October, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of - 1. Statement sought by Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MGH, MP, on governance issues in Meru County; 2. Statement sought by Sen. Peris Tobiko, MP, on the alleged abduction and disappearance of M/s. Bob Micheni Njagi, Jamil Langton and Aslam Langton;

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				<p>3. Statement sought by Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP, on the alleged defilement and incestuous impregnation of a minor from Kigoto Village in Suba South Sub- County, Homa Bay County; and</p> <p>4. Statement sought by Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP, regarding the criminalization and re-victimization of survivors of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM), particularly in Bomet and Narok counties.</p>
		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings.</p>	<p>8.00 a.m.</p>	<p>Consideration and adoption of reports of the Committee on -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The County Civic Education Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 4 of 2024); 2. The Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 17 of 2024); and 3. Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2023 on the Kenya Policy on Public Participation.
<p>11.</p>	<p>Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare</p>	<p>Monday, 28th October, 2024</p> <p>County Hall Mini Chamber</p>	<p>2.00 p.m.</p>	<p>Meeting with -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New Kenya Cooperative Creameries Limited; 2. The Attorney General; 3. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Labour and Social Protection; 4. The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Co-operatives and MSME Development;

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				<p>5. The Cabinet Secretary, National Treasury and Economic Planning; and</p> <p>6. The Cabinet Secretary, Agriculture and Livestock Development;</p> <p>on the Petition regarding payment of outstanding terminal benefits and <i>Maziwa Sacco</i> dues.</p>
		<p>Tuesday, 29th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 2, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	<p>10.00 a.m.</p>	<p>Meeting Petitioners and stakeholders on a Petition by Ms. Beatrice Likwop concerning people living with invisible disability.</p>
		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 2, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	<p>10.00 a.m.</p>	<p>Public Hearing and Stakeholder engagement on the Sport (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No 45 of 2024).</p>
		<p>Friday, 1st November, 2024</p> <p>County Hall Mini Chamber.</p>	<p>10.00 a.m.</p>	<p>Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Youth Affairs, Creative Economy and Sports, Football Kenya Federation (FKF), County football associations and soccer associations on the state of football in the country.</p>
<p>12.</p>	<p>Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources</p>	<p>Tuesday, 29th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	<p>9.00 a.m.</p>	<p>1. Pre-publication scrutiny of the Environmental Professionals Society of Kenya Bill, 2024; and</p> <p>2. Consideration of the Report on the Land (Amendment) Bill, 2022 (National Assembly Bills No. 40 of 2022).</p>

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13.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Monday, 28 th October, 2024 Committee Room 2, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	9.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor, Bungoma County, to deliberate on the implementation of the resolutions of the Senate arising from the adoption of the Motion on the Current State of the Nation.
			10.30 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor, Embu County, to deliberate on the implementation of the resolutions of the Senate arising from the adoption of the Motion on the Current State of the Nation.
		Tuesday, 29 th October, 2024. Committee Room 1, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.	9:00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor, Nandi County, to deliberate on the implementation of the resolutions of the Senate arising from the adoption of the Motion on the Current State of the Nation.
			10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Governor, Laikipia County, to deliberate on the implementation of the resolutions of the Senate arising from the adoption of the Motion on the Current State of the Nation.
		Thursday, 31 st October, 2024. Committee Room 1, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	9.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Kenya Ports Authority (KPA) to deliberate on the inquiry into the status of the Access to Government Procurement Opportunities (AGPO) programme.
			10.30 a.m.	Meeting with the Committee on Gender, Children and Social Welfare of the National Assembly of Gambia.

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14.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024 Committee Room 7, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	12.00 p.m.	Consideration of a response from the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Interior and National Administration on the recommendations of the Senate on the Motion on the Current state of the Nation.
		Thursday, 31st October, 2024 Mini Chamber, First Floor, County Hall	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with- 1. the National Police Service Commission; and 2. the Directorate of Occupational Safety and Health Services; 3. the Social Health Authority; and 4. the Insurance Regulatory Authority; to deliberate on the Petition concerning compensation of police officers injured in the line of duty.
15.	Standing Committee on Roads, Transportation and Housing	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024 Committee Room 3, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of the Report of the Committee on a Statement sought by Sen. Richard Onyonka, MP, concerning the leasing of Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA) to Adani Airport Holding Ltd.
		Thursday, 31st October, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of- 1. Pending legislative business before the Committee; and 2. The Work Plan of the Committee for the remainder of the Session.
16.	Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	8.00 a.m.	Consideration of the Report of the Committee on the Petition regarding the introduction of the Hospitality Professionals Bill, 2024.

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		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 5, First Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	8.00 a.m.	<p>Consideration of the Report of the Committee on the Creative Economy Support Bill, 2024 (Senate Bills No. 30 of 2024).</p>
17.	County Public Accounts Committee	<p>Monday, 28th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 9, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	10.00 a.m.	<p>Meeting with the County Executive of Uasin Gishu to interrogate the Reports of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Years 2021/2022 and 2022/2023.</p>
		<p>Tuesday, 29th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 9, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	10.00 a.m.	<p>Meeting with the County Executive of Machakos to interrogate the Reports of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Years 2020/2021 and 2022/2023.</p>
		<p>Thursday, 31st October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 9, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	10.00 a.m.	<p>Meeting with the County Executive of Busia to interrogate the Reports of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2022/2023.</p>
18.	County Public Investments and Special Funds Committee	<p>Monday, 28th October, 2024</p> <p>Committee Room 10, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.</p>	2.00 p.m.	<p>Meeting with the County Executive of West Pokot to interrogate Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Municipality of Kapenguria, Kapenguria County Referral Hospital, Keringet Level 4 Hospital and Sigor Sub-County Hospital for Financial Years 2021/2022.</p>

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		Tuesday, 29th October, 2024 Committee Room 10, Second Floor, Bunge Tower.	10.00 a.m.	Meeting with the County Executive of Embu to interrogate Reports of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Municipality of Embu for Financial Years 2020/2021, 2021/2022 and 2022/2023 and the Embu Level 5 Hospital for the Financial Year 2022/2023.
19.	Delegated Legislation	Tuesday, 29th October, 2024 Committee Room 3, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Consideration of- 1. The Employment and Labour Relations Court (Procedures) Rules, Legal Notice No. 133 of 2024; and 2. The Pest Control Products (Registration) Regulations, 2024, Legal Notice No. 130 of 2024.
		Thursday, 31st October, 2024 Committee Room 6, First Floor, Bunge Tower.	11.00 a.m.	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development to deliberate on- 1. The draft Crops (Bixa) Regulations, 2024; 2. The draft Crops (Pyrethrum) Regulations, 2024; and 3. The Pest Control Products (Registration) Regulations, Legal Notice No. 130 of 2024.

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