

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (THIRD SESSION)

THE SENATE

ORDER PAPER

MORNING SITTING

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2024 AT 9.30 AM

PRAYER

- 1. Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions
- 5. Papers
- 6. Notices of Motion
- 7. Questions and Statements (as listed in the Appendix)
- 8. MOTION REPORT OF THE KENYA DELEGATION TO THE EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE SIXTH PARLIAMENT OF THE PANAFRICAN PARLIAMENT (PAP) HELD AT THE GALLAGHER CONVENTION CENTRE, MIDRAND, SOUTH AFRICA, FROM 20TH TO 27TH MARCH, 2024 (Sen. Danson Mungatana, MP)
 - **THAT,** the Senate notes the Report of the Kenya Delegation to the Extraordinary Session of the Sixth Parliament of the Pan-African Parliament (PAP) held at the Gallagher Convention Centre, Midrand, South Africa, from 20th to 27th March, 2024, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 24th April, 2024.

(Resumption of Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 9th October, 2024 – Morning Sitting)

9. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION ON A PETITION TO THE SENATE REGARDING THE DISCRIMINATION BY TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION (TSC) ON PAYMENT OF HARDSHIP AND ENHANCED HOUSE ALLOWANCES TO SOME TEACHERS IN KILIFI AND TAITA TAVETA COUNTIES

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Education)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Education on a Petition to the Senate regarding the discrimination by Teachers

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Service Commission (TSC) on payment of hardship and enhanced house allowances to some teachers in Kilifi and Taita Taveta counties, laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 8th October, 2024.

10. MOTION - REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COUNTY PUBLIC INVESTMENTS AND SPECIAL FUNDS ON ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE AUDIT REPORTS OF THE WATER SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2019, 30TH JUNE, 2020 AND 30TH JUNE, 2021 (The Chairperson, Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Reports of the Select Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds on its consideration of the Audit Reports for the year ended, 30th June, 2019, 30th June, 2020 and 30th June, 2021 of the following Water Service Providers-

- i.) Amatsi Water Services Company Limited Vihiga County;
- ii.) Bomet Water Company Limited Bomet County;
- iii.) Gusii Water and Sanitation Company Limited Kisii/Nyamira Counties:
- iv.) Kisumu Water and Sanitation Company Limited –Kisumu County;
- v.) Kwale Water and Sewerage Company Limited Kwale County; and
- vi.) Nyeri Water and Sanitation Company Limited Nyeri County.

and the Audit Report of the Wajir Water and Sewerage Company Limited for the year ended 30th June, 2021, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 23rd November, 2023.

11. MOTION - REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COUNTY PUBLIC ACCOUNTS ON ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORTS OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THARAKA NITHI, HOMA BAY, KAKAMEGA, KIRINYAGA, MAKUENI, MERU, BOMET, MURANG'A, NANDI, NYAMIRA, NYERI, SIAYA, VIHIGA, WAJIR AND SAMBURU COUNTY EXECUTIVES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2019/2020

(The Chairperson, County Public Accounts Committee)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Select Committee on County Public Accounts on its consideration of the Reports of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements of Tharaka Nithi, Homa Bay, Kakamega, Kirinyaga, Makueni, Meru, Bomet, Murang'a, Nandi, Nyamira, Nyeri, Siaya, Vihiga, Wajir and Samburu County Executives for the Financial Year 2019/2020 laid on the table of the Senate on Tuesday, 5th March, 2024.

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12. MOTION - REPORTS OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COUNTY PUBLIC INVESTMENTS AND SPECIAL FUNDS ON ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE AUDIT REPORTS OF VARIOUS WATER SERVICE COMPANIES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2018/2019, 2019/2020 AND 2020/2021

(The Chairperson, Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Reports of the Select Committee on County Public Investments and Special Funds on its consideration of the Audit Reports for the Financial Years 2018/2019 (Volume IV), 2019/2020 (Volume V) and 2020/2021(Volume VI), for the following Water Service Companies laid on the table of the Senate on Wednesday, 29th May, 2024;

- i) Busia Water and Sewerage Services Company Limited;
- ii) Iten-Tambach Water and Sewerage Company Limited;
- iii) Kirinyaga Water and Sanitation Company Limited;
- iv) Malindi Water and Sewerage Company Limited;
- v) Mandera Water and Sewerage Company Limited;
- vi) Migori Water and Sanitation Company Limited;
- vii) Mombasa Water and Sanitation Company Limited;
- viii) Nanyuki Water and Sanitation Company Limited; and
- ix) Nithi Water and Sanitation Company Limited.

13. MOTION - ADDRESSING THE CHALLENGE OF POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT RENEWALS AND ELECTRICITY SUPPLY IN KENYA

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy)

THAT, AWARE THAT on 29th March 2021, a presidential taskforce was formed to review power purchase agreements between the Government and Independent Power Producers, during which a moratorium was imposed on Kenya Power and Lighting Company (KPLC), preventing KPLC from signing new agreements or renewing existing ones with Independent Power Producers, which moratorium was lifted by the Cabinet in March 2023;

FURTHER AWARE THAT the National Assembly, vide a Motion adopted on 19th April, 2023 placed a moratorium, restricting KPLC from signing and renewing power purchase agreements (PPAs) with Independent Power Producers (IPPs) pending a report of inquiry by the Departmental Committee on Energy and the consequent House resolution on the report;

CONCERNED THAT Kenya imports 17% of its electricity from neighboring countries and faces a challenge as the growing demand for electricity is conflicted with the lengthy process of developing power plants, which usually takes 6-10 years from conception to generation, leading to electricity shortage and load shedding which impedes economic growth;

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COGNIZANT of the Senate resolution of 28th February, 2024 on a Motion by the Standing Committee on Energy on inquiry into the high cost of electricity in the country calling upon the Ministry of Energy to, among others, create a one stop IPP office that comprises all the stakeholders required for approval of power plants and that the Ministry, through KPLC and Independent Power Producers renegotiate the current power purchase agreements within 12 months of adoption of the report;

NOW THEREFORE notwithstanding the resolution of the National Assembly that imposed a moratorium on Kenya Power whose timeline has lapsed, the Senate, in order to cushion Kenyans from the high cost of electricity, resolves:

- i. that the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum and Kenya Power and Lighting Company be allowed to enter into new power purchase agreements or renew existing power purchase agreements with Independent Power Producers; and
- ii. that the Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority (EPRA) fast tracks the acquisition of necessary licenses required by Independent Power Producers with valid power purchase agreements for setting up power plants.
- 14. MOTION REPORT OF THE 9TH INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION (IPU) GLOBAL CONFERENCE OF YOUNG PARLIAMENTARIANS HELD IN HANOI, VIETNAM FROM 15TH TO 17TH SEPTEMBER, 2023

(Sen. John Methu, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the 9th Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) Global Conference of Young Parliamentarians held in Hanoi, Vietnam from 15^{th} to 17^{th} September, 2023 laid on the table of Senate on Tuesday, 5^{th} March, 2024.

15. MOTION - REPORT OF THE PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION TO THE 2024

JOINT UNITED NATIONS - INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION
PARLIAMENTARY HEARING HELD AT THE UNITED NATIONS
HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FROM 8TH
TO 9TH FEBRUARY, 2024

(Sen. Veronica Maina, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Parliamentary Delegation to the 2024 Joint United Nations – Inter-Parliamentary Union Parliamentary Hearing held at the United Nations headquarters in New York, United States of America from 8th to 9th February, 2024 laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 17th September, 2024.

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- 16. MOTION REPORT OF THE 14TH ORDINARY SESSION OF THE PLENARY ASSEMBLY AND RELATED MEETINGS OF THE FORUM OF PARLIAMENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE GREAT LAKES REGION, HELD IN LIVINGSTONE, ZAMBIA, FROM 15TH TO 19TH APRIL, 2024 (Sen. Ali Ibrahim Roba, MP)
 - **THAT,** the Senate notes the report of the 14th Ordinary Session of the Plenary Assembly and Related Meetings of the Forum of Parliaments of the International Conference of the Great Lakes region, held in Livingstone, Zambia, from 15th to 19th April, 2024 laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 30th May, 2024.
- 17. MOTION REPORTS OF THE 63RD AND 64TH SESSIONS OF THE OACPS PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY AND THE 43RD AND 1ST SESSIONS OF THE ACP-EU JOINT PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY MEETINGS HELD IN BRUSSELS, BELGIUM AND LUANDA, ANGOLA RESPECTIVELY (Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Reports of the-

- (i) 63rd Session of the Organization of African, Caribbean and Pacific States (OACPS) Parliamentary Assembly and the 43rd Session of the African, Caribbean and Pacific -European Union (ACP-EU) Joint Parliamentary Assembly meetings in held Brussels, Belgium from 19th to 28th June, 2023; and
- (ii) 64th Session of the Organization of African, Caribbean and Pacific States (OACPS) Parliamentary Assembly and the 1st Session of the African, Caribbean and Pacific -European Union (ACP-EU) Joint Parliamentary Assembly meetings in held in Luanda, Angola from 17th to 21st February, 2024,

laid on the table of Senate on Wednesday, 6th December, 2023 and Wednesday, 2nd October, 2024 respectively.

18. REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PARLIAMENTARIANS'
DIALOGUE AT THE AFRICA CLIMATE SUMMIT, 2023 HELD IN THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS, NAIROBI ON
3RD - 6TH SEPTEMBER, 2023

(Sen. Moses Kajwang', MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Proceedings of the Parliamentarians' Dialogue at the Africa Climate Summit, 2023 held in the National Assembly Chamber, Parliament Buildings, Nairobi, on 3rd – 6th September, 2023, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 2nd October, 2024.

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19. MOTION - ESTABLISHMENT OF A MONTHLY CAR FREE DAY AND COUNTY CAR FREE ZONES

(Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

THAT, AWARE THAT Kenyans have a right to a clean and healthy environment pursuant to Article 42 of the Constitution;

NOTING THAT the National Climate Change Action Plan identifies transportation as the fourth largest contributor to greenhouse gas emissions, which if uncontrolled, will result to negative impact of climate change with adverse effect to millions of Kenyans;

CONCERNED THAT the number of private vehicles has significantly grown, leading to increased road accidents, carbon emission and vehicle congestion, costs of which are in excess of Kshs. 100 billion in GDP per year;

NOW THEREFORE the Senate urges the Ministry of Roads and Transport, Ministry of Environment, Climate Change and Forestry, in collaboration with the Council of Governors and the National Climate Change Council to –

- i.) identify, publicize and execute suitable monthly car-free days and County car-free zones in urban areas across the country;
- ii.) Identify and develop County car-free zones, also known as "pedestrians' precincts", in urbanized areas, where its infrastructure and activities are restricted to pedestrians alone;
- iii.) provide affordable, safe and universally designed public transport access to and around these car-free zones, including, but not limited to, development of Bus Rapid Transport (BRT) in the urban areas;
- iv.) Design inclusive mobility infrastructure that supports non motorized transport facilities, such as pedestrian spaces, bicycle lanes and green spaces, within the Central Business District of every County; and
- v.) ensure inter-modal connectivity among the various transport modes.

20. MOTION - STOPPAGE OF FUNDS TO ISIOLO COUNTY DUE TO THE FAILURE BY THE GOVERNOR TO HONOUR SENATE SUMMONSES (Sen. Fatuma Dullo, MP)

THAT AWARE THAT, pursuant to Article 96 of the Constitution, the Senate represents the counties and serves to protect the interests of the counties and their governments, and that the Senate exercises oversight over national revenue allocated to the county governments;

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FURTHER AWARE THAT, Article 124 of the Constitution establishes Committees to carry out specific mandates and that Article 125 of the Constitution gives any Committee the power to summon any person to appear before it for the purpose of giving evidence or providing information;

WHEREAS, the Senate Standing Committee on Health invited and later summoned the Governor of Isiolo County, Hon. Abdi Ibrahim Hassan, to respond to questions relating to, among others, the ongoing crisis at Isiolo Morgue, NHIF deductions and remittance status and total amount of pending bills owed to the county hospital, which invitation he failed to honour on 21st May, 2024 and similarly failed to honour the summonses on 28th May, 2024 and 10th June, 2024;

AND WHEREAS the Governor of Isiolo County failed to honour an invitation by the County Public Investments and Special Funds Committee to respond to issues raised in the Auditor-General's Reports on Isiolo County Bursary Fund, the Isiolo County Emergency Fund and the Isiolo County Youth, Women and People with Disability Fund for the Financial Years 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 on 28th May, 2024;

AND FURTHER WHEREAS the Governor of Isiolo County failed to honour five (5) invitations on diverse dates between 28th March, 2023 and 8th March, 2024 by the County Public Accounts Committee to respond to queries raised by the Auditor General in the Financial Statement of the County Executive of Isiolo for the Financial Years 2019/2020 and 2020/2021;

CONCERNED THAT following the numerous incidents of failure and or refusal by the Governor of Isiolo County to honour invitations and summonses, the County Public Accounts Committee scheduled for a meeting at Isiolo County offices on 8th March, 2024 which the Governor failed to attend;

FURTHER CONCERNED THAT the committees of the Senate, pursuant to Article 179 (4) of the Constitution, invited Governor Abdi Ibrahim Hassan in his capacity as the Chief Executive Officer of the County, and he failed and/or refused to appear before the committees to answer the respective audit queries raised by the Auditor-General with respect to whether or not public monies have been applied lawfully and in an effective manner by the county government;

NOW THEREFORE, THE SENATE RESOLVES THAT -

1) pursuant to Article 228 (4) and (5) of the Constitution, the Controller of Budget should not authorize any withdrawal of public funds by the County Government of Isiolo until the Governor has responded to the issues raised in the summonses to the satisfaction of the Senate; and

NOTICE

The Senate resolved on 14th February, 2024 as follows: -

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 111 (1), the Senate resolves that debate on a Motion not sponsored by the Majority or Minority Party or a Committee shall be limited in the following manner:-

A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty minutes for the Mover, twenty minutes for the Majority Party Official Responder, twenty minutes for the Minority Party Official Responder and fifteen minutes for each other Senator speaking and that fifteen minutes before the time expires, the Mover shall be called upon to reply.



APPENDIX

QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

QUESTIONS

Question No. 044

The Senator for Siaya County (Sen. (Dr.) Oburu Oginga, MGH, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum:

- a) Could the Cabinet Secretary state the plans in place to upgrade the electricity supply to Siriwo Rice Mill in Alego Usonga sub county in Siaya County to Three-Phase capacity, to mitigate the spoilage of rice due to the current slow processing at the Mill?
- b) What plans does the Government also have to upgrade the electricity supply to the County Aggregation and Industrial Park at Got Akara in the sub county, to cushion industries and farmers from losses occasioned by the frequent power outages?
- c) When does the Kenya Power and Lighting Company Ltd plan to relocate electricity poles in Ugunja Market in Siaya County and its environs to pave way for the upgrading of the Ring Road–Ugunja Market to bitumen standard?

Question No. 056

Nominated Senator (Sen. Shakila Abdalla, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum:

- a. When will the Kenya Electricity Transmitting Company (KETRACO) finalize the repair and restoration of the pylon that was destroyed during a terrorist attack in Lamu County on 23rd September 2023, resulting in frequent power outages, which have negatively affected the residents, including hospitals, the fishing industry and the tourism sector, and increased insecurity in the County?
- b. When will KETRACO and the Kenya Power and Lighting Company (KPLC) compensate the affected residents and businesses for the damage and loss of income incurred due to the outages?

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- c. What long-term strategies does the Government have in place to enhance security in the region, and to prevent the risk of future attacks on critical infrastructure?
- d. Could the Cabinet Secretary, in the meantime, consider the installation of a 10MW backup generator at Mokowe town, and also reshuffle KPLC staff in Lamu County, who are responsible for the delay in addressing the outage?

The Senator for West Pokot County (Sen. Julius Murgor, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide details of residents of West Pokot County who have been employed at the engineering level, technical Level and as general labourers, respectively, at the Turkwel Hydroelectric Power Station in Lorokon, West Pokot County?
- b. Could the Cabinet Secretary also provide details of the social amenities, including health facilities, schools and accessible roads, that have been constructed by the power station for use by the local community?
- c. To what extent has the company supplied power to West Pokot County, and could the Cabinet Secretary also provide details on the households and businesses in West Pokot County that have been connected to power by this project?

Question No. 070

The Senator for Kirinyaga County (Sen. James Murango, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and **National Administration:**

- a. What mitigation measures and interventions have the National Disaster Management Unit and other relevant government agencies taken to address the current flood situation in Kirinyaga County, especially in Mwea Constituency and Thiguku village in Ndia Constituency?
- b. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide specific details on the extent of the flooding in Kirinyaga County, how many people need humanitarian assistance and the level of funding allocated by the government for humanitarian aid?

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c. What are the specific challenges faced in providing aid to the affected population and detail the role played by different stakeholders, specifically Red Cross Society of Kenya and both the National and County Government of Kirinyaga have assisted those affected by floods?

Question No. 073

The Senator for Kirinyaga County (Sen. James Murango, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the measures taken by the Ministry to curb increasing insecurity in Ndia Constituency, Kirinyaga County, considering that on 21st January, 2024 unknown people raided KGMS Church; on 28th April, 2024 seven unknown people raided Kiine Mixed Secondary School and on 2nd May, 2024 unknown people attempted to raid Gurvnors Hotel in Sagana?
- b. What measures has the Ministry taken to address understaffing, inadequacy of vehicles and equipment for the security agencies in Ndia Constituency and Kirinyaga County, in general?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary also update the Senate on the numbers and status of investigation of all insecurity cases reported in Kirinyaga County and state measures taken to expedite investigations and arraign suspects in court?

Question No. 077

The Senator for Makueni County (Sen. Daniel Maanzo, EBS, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide a list of persons who lost their lives during the protests over the high cost of living in June and July, 2023, indicating the specific localities in the country where the said deaths occurred as well as the time and dates?
- b. What disciplinary actions were taken against the police officers who brutally assaulted unarmed civilians?
- c. Has any compensation been paid to the affected families and, if not, what steps has the Government taken to ensure the affected families are compensated?

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The Senator for Murang'a County (Sen. Joe Nyutu, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain why Mr. Joseph Odhiambo Ochoro (Service Number 52775) was verbally, and without a disciplinary hearing, dismissed from the Kenya Prisons Service, despite his mother reporting his illness, which was the cause of his absence from duty, to Kisii Prison?
- b. When will the irregular dismissal be reversed and the officer reinstated?
- c. What internal mechanisms has the Kenya Prisons Service put in place for appeals against dismissals from the Service, and could the Cabinet Secretary explain any measures put in place to ensure such appeals are dealt with fairly and without undue delay?
- d. What other measures has the Ministry put in place to ensure that dismissal of officers from the Kenya Prisons Service follows due process?

Question No. 084

The Senator for Machakos County (Sen. Agnes Kavindu, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide reasons for the non-operationalization of Section 49 of the Prevention of Terrorism Act, which establishes the Compensation of Victims of Terrorism Fund?
- b. Are there plans to fully operationalize the Section, and if so, could the Cabinet Secretary provide timelines for the same?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary, jointly with the Prime Cabinet Secretary and Cabinet Secretary for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs as well as the Cabinet Secretary for Labour and Social Protection, consider developing a framework for the compensation of surviving Kenyan victims of the 1998 bombing of the United States of America Embassy in Nairobi?

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The Senator for Meru County (Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MGH, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide an explanation for the recurring banditry attacks in Igembe North Constituency in Meru County, that have left behind a trail of devastation, despite the Government's security efforts?
- b. What are the findings of the investigations of the attacks that occurred in Thirua in Naathu Ward on 6th July, 2024, that resulted in death of three people, four critical injuries and theft of over 112 cows, 160 goats and 2 donkeys and the daylight attack in Ngathu, Antuambui Ward on 10th July, 2024, which resulted in one death?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the reasons for the delay in establishment of nine camps equipped with armored vehicles, as promised by the Government, and the deployment of the Anti-Stock Theft Unit (ASTU), General Service Unit (GSU) and Rapid Deployment Unit (RDU) officers to conduct targeted raids and launch multi-agency patrols led by the National Government Administration Officers (NGAOs) and other security personnel in Meru County?
- d. What actions, if any, have been taken against public officers responsible for the security lapses, inadequacies and gaps that have led to the recent attacks, to ensure accountability as provided for under the National Values and Principles of Governance in Article 10 of the Constitution?

Question No. 093

The Senator for Kisumu County [Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP] to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide a status update on the operationalization of Kabonyo Kanyagwal Division in Kisumu County, and provide timelines for the full operationalization of the Division?
- b. Are there plans by the National Government to construct offices and other supporting infrastructure, deploy administrative officers and provide necessary equipment to the Division and, if so, could the Cabinet Secretary

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explain any specific measures put in place to fast-track the process and address any challenges faced so far?

- c. Has the Ministry engaged members of the local community on their needs and concerns regarding the operationalization process, particularly relating to the location of the Divisional Headquarters?
- d. Could the Cabinet Secretary also state all Government Services that will be made available to residents of Kabonyo Kanyagwal Division upon its fulloperationalization?

Question No. 097

The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. Prof. Tom Odhiambo Ojienda, SC, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide a detailed account of civilian deaths, injuries, property destruction and vandalism/looting during the Gen Z-led demonstrations in June, July and August 2024?
- b. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the reasons behind the protests, detailing the arrests made, any charges filed, and the current status of these cases?
- c. What security measures were in place to protect Parliament during the security breach on 25th June 2024, and was there sufficient intelligence to anticipate the magnitude of the demonstrations?
- d. What protocols and measures have been implemented to ensure law enforcement manages future demonstrations while respecting constitutional rights and preventing further violence?

Question No. 104

The Senator for Kirinyaga County (Sen. James Murango, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

a. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain why Gitwe Police Post in Kirinyaga County has remained non-operational since its construction in 2017?

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- b. What measures have been put in place to ensure that the police post becomes functional and effectively serves Kirinyaga University and the neighboring community?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide specific timelines for the operationalization of the said police post?

The Senator for Kirinyaga County (Sen. James Murango, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and **National Administration:**

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the circumstances under which the project for the construction of Mwea East Sub-County Police Headquarters at Wang'uru Police Station has stalled since 2022?
- b. What plans have been put in place to ensure that the contractor resumes the construction of buildings and related infrastructure at the Police Station?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the timelines for the completion of the project?

Question No. 113

The Senator for Turkana County (Sen. James Lomenen, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and **National Administration:**

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary state the immediate measures in place to enhance security in Turkana County, particularly in Turkana East, Turkana South and the bordering constituencies of Kapenguria, Kacheliba, Sigor and Pokot South?
- b. What plans has the Government put in place to compensate families who have lost relatives or property as a result of clashes arising from the historical boundary conflict between the Turkana and Pokot communities?
- c. What action is the Government taking against political inciting violence between these leaders two communities?

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d. Could the Cabinet Secretary provide the Government's long-term strategies for enhancing security in the region and to prevent future conflicts?

Question No. 114 Nominated Senator (Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP) to ask the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and National Administration:

- a. Could the Cabinet Secretary explain the deteriorating condition of Nyayo House in Nairobi's Central Business District (CBD), which houses the State Department for Immigration and Citizen Services, and indicate whether there are immediate plans to renovate it to ensure efficient delivery of services to Kenyans?
- b. What measures has the Government put in place to ensure that both the public and government officials working at Nyayo House have access to adequate facilities, including clean water, sanitary amenities and a conducive working environment?
- c. Could the Cabinet Secretary also confirm whether there is budgetary allocation for the renovation of Nyayo House in the 2024/2025 Financial Year, and if so, state the amount?

NOTICE PAPER

Tentative Business for

Wednesday, October 23, 2024 (Afternoon Sitting)

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 43 (1))

It is notified that the Senate Business Committee has approved the following **tentative** business to appear in the Order Paper for Wednesday, October 23, 2024 (Afternoon Sitting).

A. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- i. ****THE METEOROLOGY BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 45 OF 2023) (The Senate Majority Leader)
- ii. ***THE NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 59 OF 2022)
 (The Senate Majority Leader)
- iii. ***THE CANCER PREVENTION AND CONTROL (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2)
 BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 45 OF 2022)
 (Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP Co- Sponsor)
- iv. *THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 40 OF 2023)
 (Sen. Hamida Ali Kibwana, MP)
- v. *THE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES PROFESSIONALS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 55 OF 2023)
 (Sen. Mohamed Abass Sheikh, MP)
- vi. ***THE HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT (BICAMERAL RELATIONS) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 44 OF 2023)
 (The Senate Majority Leader)
- vii. *THE PUBLIC TRANSPORT (MOTORCYCLE REGULATION) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 38 OF 2023)
 (Sen. (Dr.) Boni Khalwale, MP)

B. BILLS AT THE SECOND READING STAGE

- i. *THE NARCOTIC DRUGS AND PSYCHOTROPIC SUBSTANCES (CONTROL)
 (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 1 OF 2024)
 (Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP)
- ii. *THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ELECTION LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 2 OF 2024) (Sen. Crystal Asige, MP)

- iii. *THE COUNTY OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 3 OF 2024)
 - (Sen. Ledama Olekina, MP and Sen. William Kisang, MP)
- iv. *THE COUNTY CIVIC EDUCATION BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 4 OF 2024) (Sen. Esther Okenyuri, MP)
- v. *THE COUNTY STATISTICS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 5 OF 2024) (Sen. Ali Ibrahim Roba, MP)
- vi. *THE PROVISION OF SANITARY TOWELS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 7 OF 2024)
 (Sen. Gloria Orwoba, MP)
- vii. ***THE STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 10 OF 2024)
 (The Senate Majority Leader)
- viii. ****THE COUNTY ASSEMBLIES PENSIONS SCHEME BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 14 OF 2024)
 (The Senate Majority Leader)

C. MOTIONS

- i. <u>CONSIDERATION OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENTS TO THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 19 OF 2024)</u>
 (The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget)
- ii. REPORT OF THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE ON THE SUGAR BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 34 OF 2022)
 (The Chairperson, Mediation Committee)
- iii. REPORT OF THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE ON THE WATER (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 33 OF 2023) (The Chairperson, Mediation Committee)
- iv. REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY ON ITS INQUIRY INTO THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (LPG) EXPLOSION IN MRADI AREA, EMBAKASI, NAIROBI CITY COUNTY (The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy)
- v. REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND SOCIAL WELFARE ON AN INQUIRY INTO THE WELFARE OF WORKERS IN EXPORT PROCESSING ZONES (EPZS) IN MOMBASA AND KILIFI COUNTIES.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee of Labour and Social Welfare)

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- vi. REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON DEVOLUTION AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS ON ITS INQUIRY INTO PERSONAL SECURITY CONCERNS RAISED BY HON. PHILOMENA KAPKORY, DEPUTY GOVERNOR, TRANS NZOIA COUNTY (The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations)
- vii. REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON DEVOLUTION AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS ON ITS INQUIRY INTO THE STATE OF MARKETS IN VIHIGA AND BUNGOMA COUNTIES ARISING FROM A STATEMENT SOUGHT BY SEN. GODFREY OSOTSI, MP AND SEN. DAVID WAKOLI, MP (The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations)
- viii. <u>DEVELOPMENT OF A POLICY AND LAW FOR SOCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT IN INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS IN KENYA</u> (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP)
- ix. CONSOLIDATION OF BURSARY FUNDS FOR EQUITABLE ACCESS TO EDUCATION IN KENYA
 (Sen. Karungo Thangwa, MP)
