



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (THIRD SESSION)**

**THE SENATE**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2024 AT 2.30 PM**

1. The Senate assembled at thirty Minutes past Two O'clock.
2. The proceedings were opened with Prayer said by the Speaker.
3. **QUORUM OF THE SENATE**

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

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

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

4. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR – INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME IN THE SENATE**

The Speaker conveyed the following Communication from the Chair: -

“Honourable Senators,

I would like to acknowledge the presence, in the Speaker’s Gallery this afternoon, of seven (7) young men and women who are in the Senate undertaking an internship programme. The objective of the programme is to provide young people with firsthand experience in the legislative process and to expose them to the intricate world of public policy and public service.

Honourable Senators,

In our usual tradition of receiving and welcoming visitors to Parliament, I extend a warm welcome to them and, on behalf of the Senate and on my own behalf, wish them a fruitful time of learning.

I thank you.”

**5. PAPERS**

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the Senate: -

- i) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Elburgon Level 4 Sub-County Hospital - County Government of Nakuru for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- ii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Malindi Sub-County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Kilifi for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- iii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Bamba Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Kilifi for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- iv) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Mariakani Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Kilifi for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- v) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Jibana Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Kilifi for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- vi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kilifi County Referral Hospital - County Government of Kilifi for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- vii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Baringo County Referral Hospital - County Government of Baringo for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- viii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kabartonjo Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Baringo for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- ix) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Mogotio Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Baringo for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- x) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kandiege Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kendu Bay Sub County Hospital - County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.

- xii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kisegi Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xiii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Ogongo Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Homa Bay for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xiv) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Cheptais Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Bungoma for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xv) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Sirisia Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Bungoma for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xvi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Bumula Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Bungoma for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xvii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kimilili Sub County Hospital - County Government of Bungoma for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xviii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Mukuyuni Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Makueni for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xix) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Tawa Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Makueni for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xx) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Machakos Level 5 Hospital - County Government of Machakos for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kathiani Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Machakos for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Got Agulu Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Siaya for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxiii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Uyawi Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Siaya for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.

- xxiv) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Madiany Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Siaya for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxv) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Bondo Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Siaya for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxvi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Ukwala Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Siaya for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxvii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kapenguria County Referral Level 5 Hospital - County Government of West Pokot for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxviii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Chepareria Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of West Pokot for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxix) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Kacheliba Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of West Pokot for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxx) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Sigor Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of West Pokot for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxxi) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Lopiding Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Turkana for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxxii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Lokitaung Sub County Level 4 Hospital - County Government of Turkana for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.
- xxxiii) Report of the Auditor General on Financial Statements of Lodwar County Referral Hospital - County Government of Turkana for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2022.

*(Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP on behalf of the Senate Majority Leader)*

- xxxiv) Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the Division of Revenue (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 38 of 2024).

*(Sen. (Dr.) Boni Khalwale, MP on behalf of the Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget)*

## 6. **STATEMENTS**

### **a) Requests for Statements pursuant to Standing Order 53(1)**

- i) The Senator for Machakos County (Sen. Agnes Kavindu Muthama, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Devolution and

Intergovernmental Relations regarding stalled projects across Machakos County.

- ii) The Senator for Taita Taveta County (Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the lack of Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) funding and government capitation for certificate and diploma students in primary and secondary school teachers' colleges.

**b) Statement pursuant to Standing Order 56(1)(b)**

- i) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries made a Statement relating to the activities of the Committee for the period, April to August, 2024.
- ii) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations made a Statement relating to the activities of the Committee for the period April to August, 2024.
- iii) The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Education made a Statement relating to the activities of the Committee for the period April to August, 2024.

7. **MOTION – REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COUNTY PUBLIC ACCOUNTS ON ITS CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF WEST POKOT COUNTY ASSEMBLY FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2018/2019 AND REPORTS OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF ISIOLO, KIAMBU, KITUI, MARSABIT, NAROK, NYAMIRA, TRANS NZOIA, WEST POKOT AND MURANG'A COUNTY ASSEMBLIES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2019/2020**

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Select Committee on County Public Accounts on its consideration of the Report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of West Pokot County Assembly for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and Reports of the Auditor General on the financial statements of Isiolo, Kiambu, Kitui, Marsabit, Narok, Nyamira, Trans Nzoia, West Pokot and Murangá County Assemblies for the Financial Year 2019/2020 laid on the table of the Senate on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2024.

*(The Chairperson, County Public Accounts Committee – 30.04.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 – Afternoon Sitting, resumed on a Division;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(2), the Speaker ruled that the matter affects Counties and that voting would be by County Delegations;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, Sen. Beatrice Ogola, MP, recorded her vote verbally as “**Yes**” on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation.

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 27**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted verbally on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
12. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
13. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
18. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
19. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
20. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
21. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
22. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation

23. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
24. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
25. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
26. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
27. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question **agreed to.**

**RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY**

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Select Committee on County Public Accounts on its consideration of the Report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of West Pokot County Assembly for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and Reports of the Auditor General on the financial statements of Isiolo, Kiambu, Kitui, Marsabit, Narok, Nyamira, Trans Nzoia, West Pokot and Murangá County Assemblies for the Financial Year 2019/2020 laid on the table of the Senate on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2024.

8. **MOTION – REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND BUDGET ON THE SENATE NOMINEES, ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS, TO THE POSITION OF MEMBER OF THE SALARIES AND REMUNERATION COMMISSION (SRC)**

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the Senate nominees, on behalf of the county governments, to the position of Member of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission, laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 2024, and further pursuant to Article 230(2)(b)(vii) of the Constitution and Section 7(2) of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission Act, recommends Ms. Lynette Washiali Muganda and Mr. Mohamed Aden Abdi to the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning for transmission to His Excellency the President for consideration for appointment to the position of Member of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission.

*(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget – 06.08.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, resumed on a Division;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84(2), the Speaker ruled that the matter affects Counties and that voting would be by County Delegations;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting; The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, Sen. Beatrice Ogola, MP, recorded her vote verbally as “**Yes**” on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation.

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 26**

**NOES – 1**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted verbally on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
12. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
13. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
17. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
18. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
19. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
20. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
21. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
22. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
23. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watanya, MP
24. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
25. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
26. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

**NOES**

Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP



Question agreed to.

**RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY**

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the Senate nominees, on behalf of the county governments, to the position of Member of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission, laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 2024, and further pursuant to Article 230(2)(b)(vii) of the Constitution and section 7(2) of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission Act, recommends Ms. Lynette Washiali Muganda and Mr. Mohamed Aden Abdi to the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Planning for transmission to His Excellency the President for consideration for appointment to the position of Member of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission.

9. **THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 52 OF 2023)**

Raising a point of order pursuant to Standing Order 159(1), the Nominated Senator (Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP) claimed to withdraw the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (Senate Bills No. 52 of 2023).

And the Speaker acceded to the claim, the Bill was withdrawn.

10. **THE LOCAL CONTENT BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 50 OF 2023)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Local Content Bill (Senate Bills No. 50 of 2023) be now read a Second Time.

*(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy – 24.07.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2024 resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed three (3) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as “Yes” –

1. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
2. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
3. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
3. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
4. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
5. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
6. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
7. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
8. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
9. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
10. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
11. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
12. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
13. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
14. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
15. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP – voted verbally
16. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP – voted verbally
17. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
18. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
19. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
20. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP – voted verbally
21. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
22. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
23. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
24. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
25. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
26. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
27. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
28. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

11. **THE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 54 OF 2023)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Early Childhood Education (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 54 of 2023) be now read a Second Time.

*(Sen. Eddy Oketch, MP - 07.08.2024)*

Debate interrupted on *Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024* – Afternoon Sitting resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed four (4) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as “**Yes**” –

1. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
2. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
3. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
4. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP – voted verbally
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP

10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
12. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
13. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
14. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
15. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP – voted verbally
16. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
17. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
18. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
19. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
20. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
22. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
23. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP – voted verbally
27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP – voted verbally

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

12. **THE LAND (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 40 OF 2022)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Land (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 40 of 2022) be now read a Second Time.

*(The Senate Majority Leader – 31.07.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed three (3) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as **“Yes”** –

1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
2. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
3. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP – voted verbally
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP – voted verbally
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP – voted verbally
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
12. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
13. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
14. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
15. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
16. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
17. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
18. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
19. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
20. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
22. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
23. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watanya, MP
28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiiro, MP

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

13. **THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 12 OF 2024)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Intergovernmental Relations (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 12 of 2024) be now read a Second Time.

*(The Senate Majority Leader – 08.08.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed seven (7) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as “**Yes**” –

1. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
2. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
3. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
4. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
5. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
6. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
7. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP

6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP – voted verbally
11. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP – voted verbally
12. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
13. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP – voted verbally
14. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
15. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP – voted verbally
16. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
17. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP – voted verbally
18. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
19. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
20. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP – voted verbally
22. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
23. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watanya, MP
28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP – voted verbally
29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

14. **THE ENERGY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF 2023)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Energy (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 42 of 2023) be now read a Second Time.

*(Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP – 17.09.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting; The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed two (2) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as “**Yes**” –

1. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
2. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
12. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
13. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
14. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP – voted verbally
15. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
16. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
17. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
18. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
19. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP – voted verbally
20. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
22. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
23. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watanya, MP
28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP



29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

15. **THE NATIONAL DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 24 OF 2023)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the National Disaster Risk Management Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 24 of 2023) be now read a Second Time.

*(The Senate Majority Leader – 18.09.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 resumed on a Division;

The Speaker directed that electronic voting be taken, pursuant to Standing Order 86(2), and that the Division bell be rung for five minutes;

Upon the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker directed that the doors be locked and the bars drawn and asked Senators to log-in for electronic voting;

The Speaker 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 Speaker allowed three (3) Senators to record their votes verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their votes as “**Yes**” –

1. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP
2. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP
3. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP

The results of the Division were as follows: -

**AYES – 30**

**NOES – 0**

**ABSTENTION – 0**

**AYES**

1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
2. Sen. Cherarkey Samson, MP – voted verbally
3. Sen. Cheruiyot Aaron Kipkirui, MP
4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP

5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP – voted on behalf of the Homa Bay County Delegation
7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
9. Sen. Keroche Tabitha Karanja, MP
10. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
11. Sen. Maanzo Daniel Kitonga, MP
12. Sen. Methu John Muhia, MP
13. Sen. Mungatana Danson Buya, MP
14. Sen. Murango James Kamau, MP
15. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
16. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
17. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
18. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
19. Sen. Nyutu Joe, MP – voted verbally
20. Sen. Oginga Oburu, MP
21. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP – voted verbally
22. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
23. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
24. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
25. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP – voted on behalf of the Mandera County Delegation
26. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
27. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watanya, MP
28. Sen. Wafula David Wakoli, MP
29. Sen. Wakili Hillary Kiprotich Sigei, MP
30. Sen. Wambua Enoch Kiio, MP

Question **agreed to.**

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

16. **THE DIVISION OF REVENUE (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 38 OF 2024)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 38 of 2023) be now read a Second Time.

*(The Senate Majority Leader – 19.09.2024)*

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 resumed;

And the time being thirty minutes past six O'clock, the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Hillary Wakili, MP) interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the Senate without Question put, pursuant to the Standing Orders.

17. SENATE ROSE – at thirty minutes past six O'clock.

**M E M O R A N D U M**

*The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Wednesday, September 24, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.*

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