



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – THIRD SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER 2024 AT 2.30 PM

1. The House assembled at Thirty Minutes past Two O'clock
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
3. **Presiding** – the Rt. Honourable Speaker
4. **LACK OF QUORUM**

There being no Quorum present to commence business, the Rt. Honourable Speaker ordered that the Quorum Bell be rung for ten minutes;

And Quorum having been attained within the ten minutes, business commenced.

5. **MESSAGES**

The Rt. Honourable Speaker reported the following Messages from the Senate –

(a) Passage of the National Construction Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 59 of 2022) and the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022)

“Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(1), I wish to report to the House that I received two (2) Messages from the Senate, regarding the passage of two (2) National Assembly Bills.

Honourable Members, the two Messages convey that, on Tuesday, 19th November 2024, the Senate considered and passed the National Construction Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 59 of 2022) and the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022), both with amendments.

Honourable Members, you may recall that the National Assembly considered and passed the National Construction Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 59 of 2022) and the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022) on 26th October 2023 and on 20th March 2024, respectively.

Thereafter, I referred the two (2) Bills to the Senate for consideration, pursuant to Article 110(4) of the Constitution. The Senate has now referred the said Bills back for reconsideration pursuant to Article 112(1)(b) of the Constitution.

Honourable Members, the House is therefore required to consider the Senate amendments to the two (2) Bills. In this regard, I hereby direct the Clerk to circulate the Schedules of the Senate amendments to the two (2) Bills to all Members as required by the Standing Orders.

Further, the schedule of Senate amendments to the National Construction Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 59 of 2022) stand referred to the Departmental Committee on Housing, Urban Planning and Public Works for consideration.

With regard to the schedule of Senate amendments to the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022), they stand referred to the Departmental Committee on Health for consideration.

Honourable Members, I urge the two Committees to prioritize their consideration and report to the House as soon as is practicable to enable the House to consider the Senate amendments to the respective Bills. The House is accordingly guided. I thank you!"

(b) Approval of the Mediated Versions of the National Rating Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2022) and the Water (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 33 of 2023)

"Honourable Members, Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(4), I wish to report to the House that I have received two (2) Messages from the Senate, regarding the approval of the Mediated Versions of two (2) National Assembly Bills by the Senate.

Honourable Members, the two (2) Messages convey that on 19th November 2024, the Senate considered and approved the mediated versions of the National Rating Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2022) and the Water (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 33 of 2023).

Honourable Members, you will recall that the two (2) Bills were committed to respective mediation committees pursuant to Article 112(2)(b) of the Constitution, following the National Assembly's rejection of Senate amendments to the Bills.

You will further recall that the House considered and approved the mediated versions of the Water (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 33 of 2023) and the National Rating Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 55 of 2022) on 16th October 2024 and 13th November 2024, respectively.

In this regard, Honourable Members, the approval of the mediated versions of the two (2) Bills by both Houses of Parliament now concludes their bicameral consideration in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(5) of the Constitution.

I will now proceed to present the two (2) Bills to His Excellency the President for Assent in accordance with the provisions of Article 113(3) of the Constitution. I thank you!"

6. PAPERS

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the House—

(a) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the years ended 30th June 2021, 30th June 2022 & 30th June 2023 and the certificates therein in respect of:

- (i) Saka Girls Secondary School;
- (ii) Kulamawe Secondary School;
- (iii) Kinna Secondary School;
- (iv) Garbatula Girls Day Secondary School;
- (v) Garbatula Boys High School;

- (vi) Kitui High School; and
 - (vii) Ikuu Boys' High School.
- (b) The Exit Report of the National Health Insurance Fund Board.
(The Deputy Majority Party Whip)
- (c) Report of the Departmental Committee on Social Protection on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and a Member of the National Gender and Equality Commission.
(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Social Protection)
- (d) Report of the Departmental Committee on Health on the harmonization of the proposed amendments to the Assisted Reproductive Technology Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 61 of 2022).
(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health)
- (e) Report of the Departmental Committee on Labour on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and Members of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission.
(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour)
- (f) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning on its consideration of:
 - (i) The Public Finance Management (Amendment) Bill (No.3) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 44 of 2024);
 - (ii) The Public Finance Management (Amendment) (No.4) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2024); and
 - (iii) The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 48 of 2024).*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*
- (g) Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and Members of the Board of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority.
(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)
- (h) Report of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs on the Vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and Members of the Commission on Administrative Justice (CAJ).
(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

7. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notices of Motion were given —

(a) The Vetting of Nominees for Appointment as Chairperson and a Member of the National Gender and Equality Commission

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Social Protection in its Report on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and as a Member of the National Gender and Equality Commission, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 26th November 2024*, and pursuant to Article 230 of the Constitution and sections 3 and 8 of the Public

Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, CAP 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of –

- (1) Hon. Rehema Dida Jaldesa as the Chairperson of the National Gender and Equality Commission; and
- (2) Mr. Michael Nzomo Mbithuka as a Member of the National Gender and Equality Commission.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Social Protection)

(b) Vetting of Nominees for Appointment as Chairperson and as Members of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Labour in its Report on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and as Members of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 26th November 2024*, and pursuant to Article 230 of the Constitution and sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, CAP 7F, this House approves the appointment of –

- (1) **Mr. Sammy Chepkwony** as the Chairperson of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission; and
- (2) The following nominees as members of the Salaries and Remuneration Commission to represent the specified institutions—
 - (i) **Maj. Gen. (Rtd) Martin Kizito Ong’onyi, CBS** as a nominee of the Defence Council;
 - (ii) **Mr. Mohamed Aden Abdi** as a nominee of the Senate on behalf of County Governments;
 - (iii) **Ms. Jane Gatakaa Njage** as a nominee of the Teachers Service Commission;
 - (iv) **Dr. Gilda Odera** as a nominee of the Federation of Kenya Employers (FKE);
 - (v) **Dr. Geoffrey Apollo Omondi** as a nominee of the Central Organization of Trade Union (COTU); and
 - (vi) **Mr. Leonid Ashindu** as a nominee of the Association of Professional Societies in East Africa (APSEA).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour)

(c) Vetting of Nominees for Appointment as Chairperson and as Members of the Board of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security in its Report on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and as Members of the Board of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 26th November 2024*, and pursuant to Article 250(2)(b) of the Constitution as read together with section 11(5) of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority Act, CAP 86 & sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, CAP 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of –

- (1) Mr. Ahmed Issack Hassan, CBS as the Chairperson of the Board of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority;
- (2) The following nominees as members of the Board of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority –
 - (i) Ms. Ann Wanjiku Mwangi;
 - (ii) Dr. Micah Onyiego Nyakego, PhD, OGW;
 - (iii) Mr. Boniface Kipkemoi Samati;
 - (iv) Dr. Annette Mudola Mbogoh;
 - (v) Hon. John Muchirir Nyaga, HSC;
 - (vi) Mr. Kenwilliams Nyakomitah, OGW; and
 - (vii) Ms. Jackline Lukalo Mwenesi.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

(d) Vetting of Nominees for Appointment as Chairperson and as Members of the Commission on Administrative Justice

THAT, taking into consideration the findings of the Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs in its Report on the vetting of nominees for appointment as Chairperson and Members of the Commission on Administrative Justice, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 26th November 2024*, and pursuant to Article 250(2)(b) of the Constitution as read together with sections 10 and 11 of the Commission on Administrative Justice Act, CAP 7J & sections 3 and 8 of the Public Appointments (Parliamentary Approval) Act, CAP 7F, this House **approves** the appointment of the following to the Commission on Administrative Justice –

- (1) Mr. Charles Orinda Dulo – Chairperson;
- (2) Hon. Charles Njagua Kanyi – Member; and
- (3) Ms. Dorothy Jemator Kimengech – Member.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

8. STATEMENTS

The following requests for Statements were made pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (i) The Member for Kinango (Hon. Gonzi Rai, MP) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water and Irrigation regarding Status on implementation of Makamini Dam Project;
- (ii) The Member for Kisauni (Hon. Rashid Bedzimba, MP) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding Criteria for recognition and equation of certificates and diplomas obtained from schools offering international curricula; and
- (iii) The Member for West Pokot County (Hon. Rael Kasiwai, MP) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Affairs regarding Security situation in Chesezon area, located on the border between Elgeyo-Marakwet and West Pokot Counties.

9. PROCEDURAL MOTION – RESOLUTION TO SIT UNTIL CONCLUSION OF SPECIFIED BUSINESS

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 30(3)(a), this House orders that, should the time appointed for adjournment of the House be reached before conclusion of business listed as Order No. 13 (*Committee of the Whole House*) in today's Order Paper, the sitting shall stand extended until conclusion of the said business.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

10. MOTION – DEBATE ON THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS (DAY 4)

Motion having been made and Question proposed—

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 24(6), the thanks of this House be recorded for the exposition of public policy contained in the Address of H.E. the President delivered in Parliament on Thursday, 21st November 2024 and further, that this House notes the following Reports submitted by H.E. the President in fulfillment of the provisions of Articles 132(1)(c) and 240(7) of the Constitution, *laid on the Table of the House on Monday, 25th November 2024*—

- (i) The 11th Annual Report on the Measures Taken and Progress Achieved in the Realization of National Values and Principles of Governance;
- (ii) The 11th Annual Report on the Progress made in Fulfilling the International Obligations of the Republic of Kenya; and,
- (iii) The Annual Report to Parliament on the State of National Security.

(The Leader of the Majority Party – 25.11.2024)

Debate resumed;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

11. SPECIAL MOTION – APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT TO THE PARLIAMENTARY SERVICE COMMISSION

Motion made and Question proposed: -

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Article 127(2)(c)(i) of the Constitution, this House **approves** the appointment of **Sen. Wahome Wamatinga, MP** to the Parliamentary Service Commission to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Sen. John Nderitu Kinyua, MP.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

No debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

12. THE KENYA REVENUE AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) (No. 2) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 35 OF 2024)

Motion having been made and Question proposed—

THAT, the Kenya Revenue Authority (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 35 of 2024) be now read a second time.

(Leader of the Majority Party – 20.11.2024)

There being no debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to;

Bill read a Second Time and committed to the committee of the whole House, tomorrow.

13. MOTION- CONSIDERATION OF MEDIATED VERSION OF THE DIVISION OF REVENUE (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 38 OF 2024)

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Article 113(2) of the Constitution and Standing Order 150(3), this House **adopts** the Report of the Mediation Committee on the Division of Revenue (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 38 of 2024), *laid on the table of the House on Monday, 25th November 2024*, and **approves** the Mediated version of the Division of Revenue (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 38 of 2024).

(Co-Chairperson, Mediation Committee on the Division of Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2024)

(Change of Chair from the Rt. Honourable Speaker to the Deputy Speaker)

Debate arising

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question deferred pursuant to Standing Order 53(3).

14. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

Order for Committee read;

IN THE COMMITTEE

The Sixth Chairperson of Committees in the Chair

The Coffee Bill (Senate Bill No. 10 of 2023)

Clause 11 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 11 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (1)—

(i) by deleting paragraph (e) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(e) collect, collate and maintain a data base to ensure ease of access to information on the coffee industry;”

- (ii) by deleting paragraph (f) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—
“(f) conduct national and international coffee market intelligence and surveys to facilitate market access and inform promotional and branding strategies including the application of the Kenya Coffee Mark of Origin;”
- (iii) by deleting paragraph (p) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—
“(p) source for and market Kenyan coffee internationally;”
- (iv) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (p)—
“(pa) adopt marketing strategies that leverage digital platforms to reach broader audience and boost coffee sales;”

(b) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
“(2) The Board shall, in the performance of its functions under this Act, consult and collaborate with the relevant licensing authority and other industry players”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, Clause 11 of the Bill be amended in subclause (1) by deleting the words “the Kenya Bureau of Standards” appearing in paragraph (j) and substituting therefor the words “a body mandated by a national legislation to set standards”.

(Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo)

Proposed amendment dropped;

Clause 11 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 12 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 12 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclauses—

“(2) The Board of directors may co-opt persons whose knowledge and skills are necessary for resolution of any pertinent matter under consideration by the committee or the Board for performance of its function and exercise of its powers under this Act.

(3) Notwithstanding subclause (2), the Board shall not co-opt more than five (5) persons at any particular time.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 12 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 13 - agreed to.

Clause 14 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 14 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

“14. The members of the Board of Directors shall be paid such remuneration as the Salaries and Remuneration Commission shall determine”. Remuneration of the board of directors.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 14 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 15 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 15 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(2) A person is qualified for appointment under subsection (1) if the person—

(a) holds a post graduate degree in agriculture, business, law or any other relevant field from a university recognized in Kenya;

(b) has at least ten years’ knowledge and experience from a relevant field;

(a) has at least five years’ experience in a senior management position; and

(b) meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 15 - as amended agreed to

Clauses 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 & 22 - agreed to.

Clause 23 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 23 of the Bill be amended—

(a) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(2) A county government may impose levies and fees as may be necessary for the registration and issuance of licences in accordance with the respective county legislation and such standards as may be prescribed by the Cabinet Secretary under this Act.”

- (b) by deleting subclause (3) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
 “(3) The Cabinet Secretary shall, in consultation with the Board and the respective county government, prescribe standards and guidelines for the setting of levies and fees by the county government under subsection (2).”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 23 - as amended agreed to

Clause 24 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 24 of the Bill be amended by—

- (a) re-numbering the existing provision as subclause (1); and
- (b) inserting the following new subclause immediately after subclause (1)—
 “(2) The Cabinet Secretary shall, in consultation with the Board and county governments prescribe standards and guidelines to be adhered to while enacting specific county legislations.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 24 - as amended agreed to

Clause 25 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 25 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (2), deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government.”
- (b) by inserting the following new subclause immediately after subclause (3)—
 “(4)A county government shall maintain the necessary statistical information with respect to the coffee sector and avail such information to the Board where necessary for proper planning.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, Clause 25 of the Bill be amended in subclause (3) by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “licensing authority”.

(Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 25 - as amended agreed to

Clause 26 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 26 of Bill be amended—

(a) by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—
“(a) promoting production and productivity;”

(b) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
“(2) A county government shall regularly share the necessary statistical information with respect to the coffee sector with the Board and such information shall form the basis for proper planning by the Board.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 26 - as amended agreed to

Clause 27 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 27 of the Bill be amended in subclause (8) by inserting the word “annually” immediately after the expression “subsection (6)”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 27 - as amended agreed to

Clause 28 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 28 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (2), by deleting paragraph (a);
- (b) by deleting subclause 4;
- (c) by deleting subclause 5;
- (d) by deleting subclause 6; and
- (e) by deleting subclause 7

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 28 - as amended agreed to

Clause 29 - agreed to

Clause 30 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 30 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

Cap.485A “(2) A person shall not conduct the business of a coffee exchange, agent or offer brokerage services at the exchange unless that person is licensed by the Authority in accordance with the provisions of the Capital Markets Act”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 30 - as amended agreed to

Clause 31 - agreed to

Clause 32 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 32 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word “monthly” and substituting therefor the word “quarterly”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, Clause 32 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word “monthly” and substituting therefor the word “quarterly”.

(Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo)

Proposed amendment withdrawn;

Clause 32 - as amended agreed to

Clause 33 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 33 of the Bill be amended in subclause (5), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 33 - as amended agreed to

Clauses 34, 35 & 36 - agreed to.

Clause 37 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 37 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (1), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(b) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(2) The Board shall submit to the respective county government a report on the registered and licensed dealers and other service providers within the respective county at the end of each month or within such timelines as may be agreed upon with the respective county government.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 37 - as amended agreed to

Clause 38 - agreed to.

Clause 39 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 39 of the Bill be amended—

(a) by deleting subclause (1);

(b) in subclause (2), by deleting the words “county executive member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 39 - as amended agreed to

Clause 40 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 40 of the Bill be amended in subclause (1) by inserting the words “and licensed” immediately after the words “been registered”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 40 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 41 - agreed to.

Clause 42 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 42 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (3), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.
- (b) in subclause (4), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 42 - as amended agreed to

Clause 43 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 43 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (4), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” appearing in paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the words “county government”.
- (b) in subclause (5), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 43 - as amended agreed to

Clause 44 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 44 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

“**44.** The processing of coffee shall be carried out at Requirements designated, standard approved facilities in accordance with relating to coffee established and approved Coffee Standards and Industry Code of processing. Practice.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 44 - as amended agreed to

Clause 45 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 45 of the Bill be amended in subclause (3) by deleting the words “comprehensive” appearing in paragraph (b).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 45 - as amended agreed to

Clause 46 - agreed to.

Clause 47 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 47 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (2).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 47 - as amended agreed to

Clause 48 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 48.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 48 - deleted.

Clause 49 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 49 of the Bill be amended in subclause (1), by deleting paragraph (d) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(d) such other methods as the Cabinet Secretary in consultation with the relevant licensing authority may prescribe”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 49 - as amended agreed to

Clause 50 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 50 of the Bill be amended in subclause (6) by deleting the word “monthly” and substituting therefor the word “quarterly”.

(Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 50 - as amended agreed to

Clauses 51 & 52 - agreed to.

Clause 53 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 53 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (1) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(1) A grower or a broker appointed by a grower shall, in consultation with an exchange, prepare a sales catalogue for coffee destined for sale at exchange in a licensed warehouse in accordance with the Act”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 53 - as amended agreed to

Clause 54 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 54 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (2) by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”; and

(b) in subclause (5) by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(a) insure all coffee in the warehouse or under their custody against fire, theft and other insurable risks;”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 54 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 55 & 56 - agreed to.

Clause 57 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 57 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (1), by inserting the words “of quality analysis” immediately after the word “certificate” appearing in paragraph (a); and
- (b) in subclause (3), by inserting the word “analysis” immediately after the words “certificate of quality” appearing in paragraph (b).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 57 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 58 & 59 - agreed to.

Clause 60 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended in Clause 60—

- (a) by deleting subclause (1) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
 “(1) The Board, in collaboration with the respective licencing authority shall, enforce of coffee industry standards along the value chain for purposes of quality assurance.”
- (b) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
 “(2) The Board, in consultation with the Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development established under the Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development Act and accredited universities may develop a training curriculum, conduct examinations and jointly issue certificates for coffee liquorers. Cap
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- (c) by deleting subclause (5) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
 “(5) The Board shall, in collaboration with the respective county governments establish cupping centers in the counties for purposes of conducting coffee quality analysis and capacity building.”
- (d) by deleting subclause (7) and substituting therefore the following new subclause—
 “(7) The Board may sample coffee at any stage of the value chain to ascertain permissible maximum residual pesticide levels for compliance with set national and international standards”.
- (e) in subclause (8) by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.
- (f) by deleting subclause (9) and substituting therefor the following new subclause

“(9) The Board shall in collaboration with the licencing authorities and other relevant bodies conduct periodic surveillance on the application of pesticide to ensure compliance with set standards and best practices.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 60 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 61 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 61 of the Bill be amended in—

- (a) in subclause (1) by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”; and
- (b) in subclause (2) by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 61 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 62 & 63 - agreed to.

Clause 64 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 64 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) by deleting the marginal note and substituting therefor the following new marginal note—
“Coffee development and marketing levy”;
- (b) in subclause (1) by deleting the words “two per centum” and substituting therefor the words “two and a half per centum”;
- (c) by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—
“(2) The levy imposed under subsection (1) shall be apportioned as follows—
 - (a) thirty-five per centum to the Institute;
 - (b) twenty per centum to the Board for regulatory purposes;
 - (c) fifteen per centum to the Board for marketing purposes; and
 - (d) ten per centum to the counties growing areas on pro-rata basis as a conditional grant for coffee development.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 64 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 65 & 66 - agreed to.

Clause 67 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 67 of the Bill be amended in subclause (3) by deleting the words “the National Assembly and Senate” and substituting therefor the word “Parliament”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 67 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 68, 69 & 70 - agreed to.

Clause 71 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended in Clause 71 subclause (1) by deleting the words “a bank account” and substituting therefor the words “bank accounts” in paragraph (c).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 71 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 72 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 72 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (1)—

(i) by deleting paragraph (d) and substituting therefore the following new paragraph—

“(d) the Director General of Kenya Agricultural and Livestock Research Organization”

(ii) by deleting paragraph (g) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(g) the chief executive officer of the Board appointed in accordance with section 15”;

(iii) by inserting the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph (g)—

“(ga) one person representing the county governments;
 (gb) one person representing coffee traders nominated by the apex body representing coffee traders.”

(b) in subclause (3) by deleting the word “three” and substituting therefor the word “five”.

(c) by inserting the following new subclause immediately after subclause (3)—
“(4) In making appointments under subsection (1), the appointing authority shall take into consideration the principle of gender balance.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, the Bill be amended in Clause 72 by inserting the following new subclause immediately after subclause (3)—

“(4)A person is qualified for appointment under section (1)(e) and (f) if that person holds a post-secondary education certificate.

(Hon. (Dr.) Wilberforce Oundo)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 72 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 73 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 73 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Term of **“73.** The persons appointed under section 72 (1) (a), (e), (f), (g), appointment. (ga), (gb) and (h) shall serve for a term of four years renewable for one further term.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 73 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 74 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 74 of the Bill be amended in paragraph (f) by deleting the word “his” and substituting therefor the word “the”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 74 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 75 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended in Clause 75—

(a) by deleting subclause (1) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(1) The Institute shall—

- (a) develop appropriate systems to promote balanced, diversified and sustainable coffee development and to optimise coffee production through adaptive and investigative research;
- (b) prioritise areas for, and co-ordinate, coffee research including research in coffee diseases and new coffee varieties;
- (c) facilitate the use of improved production technology and establish adequate feedback systems from agricultural producers in order to achieve and maintain national self-sufficiency and export capacities in agricultural products;
- (d) advise the National and county governments on the resource requirements for coffee research;
- (e) develop curriculum and offer training on research, innovations and technology; and
- (f) disseminate, in collaboration with the Board, the Kenya Agricultural and Livestock Research Organisation established under the Kenya Agricultural and Livestock Research Organisation Act and other organizations, knowledge, information and application of research findings in relation to coffee.”

(b) in subclause (2)—

(i) by deleting paragraph (c) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(c) identify and disseminate, in collaboration with other relevant agencies, appropriate systems of mechanisation and technology options to improve coffee production and productivity and provide answers to foreseeable problems facing coffee;”

(ii) by deleting paragraph (m) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(m) provide a climate resilient coffee crop and coffee that is resistant to diseases and pests.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 75 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 76 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 76 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Power to co-opt. **76.** The Council of the Institute may co-opt persons whose knowledge and skills are necessary for resolution of any pertinent matter under its consideration for performance of its function and exercise of its powers under this Act.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 76 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 77 - agreed to.

Clause 78 - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 78 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Remuneration of members of the council of the Institute. **78.** The members of the Council of the Institute shall be paid such remuneration as the Salaries and Remuneration Commission shall determine.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 78 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 79 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 79 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (3) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

“(3)A person is qualified for appointment under subsection (1) if the person—
(a) is a citizen of Kenya;
(b) holds a Doctor of Philosophy or its equivalent in a relevant field from a university recognised in Kenya;
(c) has at least ten years’ experience and knowledge in management;
(d) has at least five years’ experience in a position of senior management;
and
(e) meets the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 79 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88 & 89 - agreed to.

Clause 90 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 90 of the Bill be amended in subclause (1) by deleting the word “seven” appearing immediately after the words “a period of” and substituting therefor the word “three”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 90 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 91 & 92 - agreed to.

Clause 93 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 93 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (1), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “respective county government”; and
- (b) in subclause (2), by deleting the words “county executive committee member” and substituting therefor the words “respective county government”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 93 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 94 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 94 of the Bill be amended in subclause (2), by deleting the words “three months” and substituting therefor the words “six months” appearing in paragraph (b).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Proposed amendment withdrawn;

- Clause 94 - agreed to.
- Clause 95 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 95 of the Bill be amended in subclause (4)—

- (a) by deleting the words “thirty thousand” and substituting therefor the words “fifty thousand”; and
- (b) by deleting the words “two years” and substituting therefor the words “six months”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

- Clause 95 - as amended agreed to.
- Clause 96 - agreed to.
- Clause 97 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 97 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words “whichever is higher” immediately after the words “or coffee products or”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

- Clause 97 - as amended agreed to.
- Clause 98 - agreed to.
- Clause 99 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 99 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in subclause (1)—
 - (i) by deleting the words “Council of County Governors” appearing in the opening statement and substituting therefore the words “licensing authorities”; and
 - (ii) by deleting paragraph (a);
- (b) in subclause (2), by inserting the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph (l)—
 - “(m) qualifications for appointment and powers of inspectors; and
 - (n) co-option of expert members to the Board.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 99 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 100 - agreed to.

Clause 101 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 101 of the Bill be amended—

(a) by deleting the marginal note and substituting therefor the following new marginal note—

“Assets and liabilities”

(b) by renumbering the existing provision as subclause (1);

(c) by inserting the following new subclause immediately after subclause (1)—

“(2) All property, except such property as the Cabinet Secretary may specify in writing, which immediately before the commencement of this Act, was vested in the government for the use of the Coffee Directorate of the Agriculture and Food Authority, shall, on the date of commencement of this Act, vest in the Board subject to all interests, liabilities, charges, obligations and trusts affecting that property.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 101 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 102 & 103 - agreed to.

Clause 104 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 104 of the Bill be amended by deleting the word “Authority” appearing immediately after the words “made by the” and substituting therefor the word “Board.”

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

No debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 104 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 105 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 105 of the Bill be amended by inserting the words “and shall undergo a skills audit to determine suitability” immediately after the words “Cabinet Secretary”.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Proposed amendment withdrawn;

Clause 105 - agreed to.

Clauses 106 & 107 - agreed to.

NEW CLAUSES

New Clause 45A - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 45—

45A. (1) A coffee miller may bulk parchment or *buni* or coffee of the same quality and characteristics in order to attain millable quantities. Bulking of coffee.

(2) A coffee miller who bulks coffee shall avail information, in the prescribed form, to an exchange and the direct settlement system provider on the proportions of the bulked coffees for purposes of processing payments.

(3) The Board and the respective county government shall, separately or jointly undertake regular inspections to ensure compliance with this Act by the coffee millers.

(4) A coffee grower may deliver coffee samples not exceeding five hundred grams of parchment or *buni* for independent quality analysis by a laboratory before delivery to a commercial coffee miller.

(5) A laboratory to which a sample is submitted under subsection (4) shall issue to the coffee grower a report on quality compliance in the prescribed form.

(6) A coffee miller shall remit two hundred- and fifty-grams samples for each grade of an out-turn to the Board for quality analysis and assessment of conformity with coffee standards.

(7) A co-operative society or association comprising smallholder growers that intends to obtain milling services shall competitively procure the services of a miller or other service providers to whom the coffee is intended to be delivered for milling.

(8) Any charges imposed for the delivery of services to a coffee grower shall be communicated in the prescribed form to the direct settlement system provider before the sale of coffee for the purpose of settlement after the sale has been conducted.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, New Clause 45A be now read a Second Time.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

No debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 45A be part of the Bill.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

New Clause 45A - agreed to.

SCHEDULES

First Schedule - agreed to.

Second Schedule - amendment proposed;

THAT, the Second Schedule to the Bill be amended by—

(a) deleting in paragraphs 9 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
9.	Warehouse licence	Board in consultation with the county government

(b) deleting paragraph 10 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
10.	Coffee nursery certificates	Board in consultation with the county government

(c) by deleting paragraph 11 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
11.	Pulping station licence	Board in consultation with the county government

(d) by deleting paragraph 13 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
13.	Pulping station licence	County government in consultation with the Board

(e) by insert the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph 17—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
18.	Coffee Marketing Agents License	Capital Markets Authority
19.	Trading License”	Capital Markets Authority

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, the Second Schedule to the Bill be amended by—

(a) by deleting paragraph 13 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

No.	Type of Licence/ Permit or Certificate	Issuing Authority
13.	Coffee roaster’s licence	County government in consultation with the Board

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Second Schedule - as amended agreed to.

Clause 2 - amendment proposed;

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by—

(a) deleting the definition of “broker” and substituting therefor the following new definition—

“broker” means a person cleared by the exchange and licensed by the Capital Markets Authority, appointed by a grower or an association of growers in accordance with the Capital Markets Act, to offer their coffee on their behalf through the Exchange”;

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(b) deleting the definition of “clearing and settlement”.

- (c) deleting the definition of “coffee grower” and substituting therefor the following new definition—
“coffee grower” means a person who cultivates coffee in Kenya, and may for purposes of licensing, include a co-operative society, coffee union, association and estate.”
- (d) deleting the definition of “sales catalogue” and substituting therefor the following new definition—
“sales catalogue” means a standard document prepared by a grower or a broker appointed by a grower, in consultation with an exchange, for sale of clean coffee at an exchange”;
- (e) deleting the definition of “secondary processing” and substituting therefor the following new definition—
“secondary processing” means parchment and *buni* de-husking, polishing, grading and may include grinding, and packaging of clean coffee beans”;
- (f) deleting the definition of “small holder” and substituting therefor the following new definition—
“small holder” means a person cultivating coffee in a small parcel of land or in small parcels of land who does not own a pulping station.”
- (g) inserting the following new definitions in their proper alphabetical sequence—
“Authority” means Capital Markets Authority established under the Capital Markets Act” (Cap.485);
“miller” means a person who is involved in the process of de-husking and possible grading of coffee and includes grading of clean coffee”;
- “roaster” means a person who is in the business or process of turning green coffee into usable coffee products”;

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Further amendment -

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by deleting the definition of “buyer” and substituting therefor the following new definition—

“buyer means a person or entity licensed by the Board to buy clean coffee at an exchange from a cooperative society, registered grower, coffee union, grower-miller or coffee estate for export, local sale, value addition or import clean coffee for secondary processing in Kenya”;

(Hon. Robert Gichimu)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 2 - as amended agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

15. HOUSE RESUMED - the Fifth Chairperson in the Chair

The Coffee Bill (Senate Bill No. 10 of 2023)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the House do agree with the report of the Committee of the Whole House on its consideration of the Coffee Bill (Senate Bill No. 10 of 2024).

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Amendment proposed

THAT, the Motion for Agreement with the Report of the Committee of the Whole House be amended by inserting the following words “subject to re-committal of Clause 8”.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock Development)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Question deferred.

Further amendment -

THAT, the Motion for Agreement with the Report of the Committee of the Whole House be amended by inserting the following words “subject to re-committal of Clause 79”.

(Hon. Cynthia Muge)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Question deferred.

And the time being nine minutes to Nine O'clock, the Fifth Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

16. HOUSE ROSE - at nine minutes to Nine O'clock

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on,
Wednesday, 27th November 2024 at 09.30a.m.