



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 2025 AT 2.30PM**

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

4. **QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE HOUSE**

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

And Quorum having been attained within ten minutes, proceedings commenced.

5. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The Speaker issued the following Communications from the Chair—

**(i) Commencement of the resolution with respect to reconstitution of Committees**

**“Honourable Members,** you will recall that during yesterday’s afternoon sitting of Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025, the House approved the appointment of Members to forty-one Committees. As you are aware, Standing Order 179(2) requires that whenever a vacancy arises in the office of Chairperson or Vice-Chairperson of a select committee, the Clerk shall, within seven days, appoint a place and time for the meeting of a Committee to elect its Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson. In that regard, I instructed the Clerk to prepare a schedule for the affected committees to convene and conduct the said elections.

**Honourable Members,** a concern has arisen regarding whether Members who were appointed to the respective Departmental Committees may participate in the legislative business that was already before the Committees.

**Honourable Members,** you will note that in today’s order Paper there a rectification being made to correct the Resolution of the House with respect to three Committees. Further, it’s notable that the Departmental Committees are engaged in the process of considering the 2025 Budget Policy Statement and Supplementary Estimates for FY2024/25. These processes which have statutory timelines are not to be interrupted by the changes made to Committees yesterday.

In this regard, **Honourable Members,** it is hereby clarified that the Resolution of the House with respect to reconstitution of Committees and indeed the changes to be made today will commence on **Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> March 2025**. The Clerk is therefore

directed to circulate a consolidated schedule showing the place and time of election of Chairpersons and Vice-Chairpersons of all affected Committees before the rise of the House today.

For clarity, **Honourable members**, the counting of the Seven-day period contemplated under Standing Order 179(2) shall commence tomorrow, Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025. This implies that the elections for Chairpersons and Vice-Chairpersons of the specified Committees will be held on **Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> March 2025**, or **Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> March 2025**. The House is accordingly guided. **I thank you!**

**(ii) Invitation to Muslim Members of Parliament to the Parliamentary Iftar Dinner**

**“Honourable Members**, as you are aware, our brothers and sisters of the Islamic faith are observing the holy month of *Ramadan* which commenced last Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

You will recall that last year we hosted the inaugural *Iftar Dinner* for Members of Parliament who profess the Islamic faith and invited guests. The hosting of the Dinner is in furtherance of Parliament’s Strategic Pillar Three on enhancing Public Trust through parliamentary outreach and embracing the diversity of our nation’s character.

**Hon. Members**, during the inaugural dinner, it was agreed that the event be included in the Parliamentary Calendar and be hosted on an annual basis. In this regard, the Rt. Hon. Speaker of the Senate and I hereby extend an invitation to all members of the Islamic faith in both Houses of Parliament for this year’s *Parliamentary Iftar Dinner*. The event will be held on **Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at the Parliament Gardens, Main Parliament Buildings, from 5:30pm.**

We have also invited the Leadership of both Houses, members of the House Business Committee, dignitaries from the other arms of the national government as well as members of the diplomatic corps to the dinner.

I take this opportunity to wish the Muslim Community *Ramadan Mubarak* and *Saum Maqbul*. **I thank you!**

**(iii) Corrigendum - Stay of consideration of the Kenya Sign Language Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 1 Of 2024)**

**“Honourable Members**, you will recall that during the afternoon sitting of Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025, I guided the House on the stay of consideration of the Kenya Sign Language Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 1 of 2024). The Bill is sponsored by the Hon. Umulkher Harun Mohamed, MP (Nominated).

**Honourable Members**, in the Communication, I indicated that the Bill has similar proposals as those contained in the Kenyan Sign Language Bill (Senate Bill No. 9 of 2023), co-sponsored by Sen. Crystal Asige, MP and the Minority Whip, the Hon. Millie Odhiambo-Mabona, CBS, MP which is also before the House.

**Honourable Members**, I wish to clarify that the Kenyan Sign Language Bill (Senate Bill No. 9 of 2023), sponsored by Sen. Crystal Asige, MP, is to be co-sponsored by Nominated Member, the Hon. Umulkher Harun, MP in the National Assembly. **The House is accordingly guided. 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 year ended 30th June 2023 and the certificates therein in respect of—

- (1) Ahmed Shahame Mwidani Technical Training Institute;
- (2) Coast Institute of Technology;
- (3) Kakrao Technical and Vocational College;
- (4) Kendege Technical and Vocational College;
- (5) Keroka Technical Training Institute;
- (6) Kinango Technical and Vocational College;
- (7) Likoni Technical and Vocational College;
- (8) Mabera Technical and Vocational College;
- (9) Mawego Technical Training Institute;
- (10) Msambweni Technical and Vocational College;
- (11) Mungatsi Technical and Vocational Collage;
- (12) Musakasa Technical Training Institute;
- (13) Okame Technical and Vocational College;
- (14) Sang'alo Institute of Science and Technology;
- (15) Sirisia Technical and Vocational College;
- (16) Taveta Technical and Vocational College;
- (17) Wanga Technical and Vocational College; and
- (18) Wumingu Technical and Vocational College.

(b) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of: -

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| (1) Anti-Doping Agency of Kenya;                            | (15) Kenya Health Professions Oversight Authority;  |
| (2) Anti-Female Genital Mutilation Board;                   | (16) Kenya Petroleum Refineries Limited;  |
| (3) Asumbi Teachers Training College;                       | (17) Kenya Safari Lodges and Hotels;  |
| (4) Augustine Teachers' Training College – Eregi;           | (18) Kenya Tsetse and Trypanosomiasis Eradication Council;                                    |
| (5) Bomet University College;                               | (19) Kisii University;  |
| (6) Child Welfare Society of Kenya;                         | (20) Konza Technopolis Development Authority;   |
| (7) Communication Authority of KENYA;                       | (21) Maendeleo Chap Chap Party;   |
| (8) Democratic Action Party - Kenya;                        | (22) Moi University;  |
| (9) Export Processing Zones Authority;                      | (23) National Oil Corporation of Kenya Limited;   |
| (10) Inter-Governmental Relations Technical Committee;      | (24) National Research Crime Centre;  |
| (11) Judiciary Deposit Accountability Statements;           | (25) National Transport and Safety Authority;   |
| (12) Kenya Agriculture and Livestock Research Organization; | (26) National Youth Service;  |
| (13) Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS);                      | (27) New Kenya Planters Co-operative Union plc (NEW KPCU)                                     |
| (14) Kenya Film Commission;                                 | (28) New Partnership for Africa's Development/Africa Peer Review Mechanism Kenya Secretariat; |

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| (29) Numerical Machining Complex Limited;   | (38) State Department for Labour and Skills Development; |
| (30) Occupational Safety and Health Fund;   | (39) State Department for Mining;                        |
| (31) People Democratic Party (PDP);         | (40) State Department for Roads;                         |
| (32) People's Empowerment Party;            | (41) The Jomo Kenyatta Foundation;                       |
| (33) Progressive Party of Kenya;            | (42) The Shamberere National Polytechnic;                |
| (34) Public Service Commission;             | (43) Tom Mboya University;                               |
| (35) Pyrethrum Processing Company of Kenya. | (44) Tourism Fund;                                       |
| (36) Rivatex East Africa Limited;           | (45) Road Maintenance Levy Fund;                         |
| (37) State Department for Basic Education;  | (46) University of Eldoret; and                          |
|   | (47) The Enterprise Development Fund.                    |

(Deputy Majority Party Whip)

## 7. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notice of Motion was given by the Member for Westlands (Hon. Timothy Wanyonyi)—

### Formulation of a Land Use Policy on zoning of land for Agriculture and Built Environment

**THAT**, aware that land is a critical but limited factor of production that supports human habitation and food production; noting that, agriculture is Kenya's economic mainstay; **appreciating that**, that the Central Bank of Kenya (CBK) *Monetary Policy Committee Agriculture Sector Survey 2022* estimated the contribution of the agriculture sector to the country's Gross Domestic Product (GDP) to be 22% directly and 27% indirectly, through its linkages with other sectors; **further appreciating that**, the Survey showed that the sector employs over 40% of the Kenya's total population; **concerned that**, in the *Land Reform, Vol. 3* publication, the Kenya Land Alliance Land estimated that only 17% of the country's land mass is classified as suitable for rain-fed agriculture land while the remainder is either semi-arid or arid; **further concerned that**, the country's agricultural productivity has been decreasing over the years; **cognizant of the fact that**, the decline in agricultural productivity is partly attributable to the shrinking agricultural land due to unplanned settlements that encroach on agricultural lands; **further concerned that**, agricultural lands in rural areas are continually being subdivided into small portions for built development, thereby diminishing the size of land available for agriculture; **noting that**, there is need to put in place measures for effective land use in the country in order to guarantee optimal use of agriculture; **now therefore, this House resolves that**, the Government, through the Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development puts in place a policy framework for effective land use in rural areas by consolidating and designating zones for built development for commercial and residential developments with shared public utilities and separate zones for agricultural use in order to arrest further diminishing of agricultural land and steady the country's agricultural productivity.

## 8. STATEMENTS

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the following Members requested for Statements—

- a) The Member for Samburu North (Hon. Eli Letipila) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration & National Security regarding escalating banditry and insecurity within *Nachola* and *Nyiro* Wards of Samburu North Constituency;

- b) The Member for Mandera County (Hon. Umul Ker Kassim) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy regarding power outages in Mandera County;
- c) The Member for Kirinyaga County (Hon. Njeri Maina) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Lands regarding issuance of title deeds in *South Ngariama* Settlement Scheme; and
- d) The Member for Embakasi West (Hon. Mark Mwenje) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Transport & Infrastructure regarding status of the 2024/2025 work plan for the Kenya Rural Roads Authority (KeRRA) and the Kenya Urban Roads Authority (KURA).

**9. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 44(2)(a)**

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(a), the Leader of Majority Party issued a Statement regarding the business of the House for the week commencing Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025.

**10. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF THE 2025 MEDIUM-TERM DEBT MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**

Motion made and Question proposed;

**THAT**, this House adopts the Report of the Liaison Committee on its consideration of the 2025 Medium-Term Debt Management Strategy, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025* and pursuant to the provisions of section 15(4) of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and Standing Order 232A (7) and (8) –

- a) **approves** the 2025 Medium-Term Debt Management Strategy; and
- b) makes the **Policy and Financial Resolutions** contained in the Schedule to the Order Paper.

**SCHEDULE**

**POLICY AND FINANCIAL RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO THE 2025 MEDIUM TERM DEBT MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**

**A. POLICY RESOLUTIONS**

1. **THAT**, to meet the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 threshold of Debt to GDP in Present Value terms of 55% (+5%) by 2028, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning publishes quarterly reports detailing progress on fiscal consolidation as outlined in the 2025 Budget Policy Statement.
2. **THAT**, the Cabinet Secretary National for the Treasury and Economic Planning, Governor, Central Bank of Kenya, and Controller of Budget fully automate the withdrawal of debt service payments from the Consolidated Fund by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025, and submit a report to the National Assembly within fifteen (15) days after the automation.
3. **THAT**, to strengthen financial controls, ensure accurate and timely public debt statistics, and enhance decision-making for greater transparency and accountability, the National Treasury integrates the Public Debt Management System with the Integrated Financial Management System (IFMIS) by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025, and submits a report to the National Assembly within fifteen (15) days after the integration of the two systems.

4. **THAT**, to mitigate the growing risk of domestic debt interest payments and to reduce the tendency of the government borrowing funds held by public entities, the National Treasury deploys the Treasury Single Account (TSA) for all Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs), parastatals, and public Funds by 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025.
5. **THAT**, to improve transparency and accountability in anticipated increase in domestic borrowing, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning should within sixty (60) days:
  - (i) Form a working committee to establish criteria for assessing the effective utilization of borrowed funds by Ministries, Departments, and Agencies (MDAs), establish the office of the Registrar of Government securities pursuant to section 55 of the PFM Act; and
  - (ii) Record in the debt register the details on the utilization of the borrowed funds, including the set of projects funded from the proceeds of infrastructure bonds.
6. **THAT**, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning establishes an interagency committee, including representatives from the Central Bank of Kenya and the Controller of Budget to review the public debt procurement process, debt utilization, and submits a report to the National Assembly by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2025.
7. **THAT**, the Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning reports and seeks approval from the National Assembly on any variation to the approved borrowing mix in the 2025 Medium Term Debt Management Strategy (MTDS).

#### **B. FINANCIAL RESOLUTIONS**

1. **THAT**, the fiscal deficit target for the medium term is approved and set at 4.3 percent of GDP for FY 2025/2026; 3.5 percent of GDP for FY 2026/2027, and 3.2 percent of GDP for FY 2027/2028, in line with the fiscal consolidation path; and
2. **THAT**, the country's borrowing strategy is approved at 35 percent for net external borrowing and 65 percent for net domestic borrowing as contained in the 2025 Medium Term Debt Management Strategy.

*(Chairperson, Liaison Committee)*

Debate having been concluded on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025 (Afternoon sitting);  
Mover having replied;  
Question put and agreed to.

#### **11. MOTION – FURTHER CHANGES TO COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

Motion made and Question proposed;

**THAT**, further to the resolution of the House of Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March 2025 appointing Members to various Committees and pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 175, this House further approves the appointment of the following Members to the respective Committees as specified hereunder—

**(i) DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND MINING**

The Hon. Chepkwony, Charity Kathambi, M.P. to replace the Hon. Kuno, Yakub Adow, M.P. who appears twice in the approved list.

**(ii) DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON TOURISM AND WILDLIFE**

The Hon. (Dr.) Gichuki, Edwin Mugo, M.P. to replace the Hon. Wainaina Antony Njoroge, M.P.

**(iii) SELECT COMMITTEE ON PARLIAMENTARY BROADCASTING AND LIBRARY**

The Hon. Ahmed, Shakeel Shabbir, CBS, M.P. to replace the Hon. Wetangula, Timothy Wanyonyi, CBS, MP.

*(Chairperson, Committee on Selection)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

**12. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE**

Order for Committee read;

**IN THE COMMITTEE**

The Sixth Chairperson of Committees (Hon. (Dr.) Rachel Nyamai) in the Chair

**(i) The County Governments (Revenue Raising Process) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 11 of 2023)**

Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6 & 7 - agreed to.

Clause 8 - amendment proposed -

**THAT** clause 8 of the Bill be amended in sub-clause (2), by—

(a) deleting the word “and” appearing in paragraph (d);

(b) deleting the period “.” appearing in paragraph (e);

(c) inserting the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph (e)—

“(f) the Kenya National Chamber of Commerce and Industry; and

(g) the Principal Secretary of the State Department for the time being responsible for matters related to information, communication, technology and digital economy or a representative designated in writing.”

*(Leader of the Majority Party on behalf of Hon. Irene Mayaka)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Clause 8 as amended - agreed to.

Clauses 9, 10 & 11 - agreed to.

Clause 2 - agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

**(i) The Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 4 of 2024)**

- Clause 3 - agreed to.
- Clauses 4&5 - agreed to.
- Clause 6 - amendment proposed

**THAT**, Clause 6 of the Bill be amended in the proposed new section 8(1) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (f) –

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

- Clause 6 - as amended agreed to.
- Clauses 7, 8 & 9 - agreed to.
- Clause 10 - amendment proposed

**THAT**, Clause 10 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in by paragraph (a) by inserting the word “Senior” immediately after the words “shall be a”;
- (b) by deleting paragraph (b).

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

- Clause 10 - as amended agreed to.
- Clause 11 - amendment proposed

**THAT**, Clause 11 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in paragraph (a)(i) by deleting the words “The Deputy Auditor-General” and substituting therefor the words “The Senior Deputy Auditor-General”;
- (b) by deleting paragraph (b).

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

- Clause 11 - as amended agreed to.
- Clauses 12, 13, 14, 15 & 16 - agreed to.
- Clause 17 - amendment proposed –



**THAT**, Clause 17 of the Bill be amended in the proposed new section 25—  
(a) in the proposed new subsection (1)—

- (i) by deleting paragraph (d);
- (ii) by deleting paragraph (e);
- (iii) by inserting the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph (c)—

“(ca) a nominee of the Institute of Human Resource Management;  
(cb) a nominee of the Institute of Internal Auditors of Kenya.”

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

Clause 17 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 18 - agreed to.

Clause 19 - amendment proposed

**THAT**, Clause 19 of the Bill be amended in paragraph (b) of the proposed section 27 by inserting the words “, strategic planning” immediately after the word “management”.

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

Clause 19 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 20, 21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29 & 30 - agreed to.

Clauses 31,32,33,34,35,36,37,38,39&40 - agreed to.

Clauses 41,42,43,44,45 & 46 - agreed to.

New Clause 6A - amendment proposed

**THAT**, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 6—

Insertion  
of new  
sections  
in Cap.  
412B.

**6A.** The principal Act is amended by inserting the following new sections immediately after section 8 —

Public  
Service  
Human  
Resource  
Audit  
Directorate.

**8A.** (1) There is established a directorate in the office of the Auditor-General to be known as the Public Service Human Resource Audit Directorate.

(2) The Head of the Public Service Human Resource Audit Directorate shall be competitively recruited and appointed by the Auditor-General.

Functions  
of the  
Public  
Service  
Human  
Resource  
Audit  
Directorate.

**8B.** The Public Service Human Resource Audit Directorate shall be responsible for conducting and preparing audits on human resource in the public service.

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 6A be now read a Second Time;

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 6A be part of the Bill;

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 6A - agreed to.

New Clause 11A - amendment proposed

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 11—

Repeal of section 12 of Cap. 412B. **11A.** The principal Act is amended by repealing section 12 of the Act.

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 11A be Read a Second Time;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 11A be part of the Bill;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 11A - agreed to.

New Clause 12A - amendment proposed

**THAT,** the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 12—

Repeal of section 18 of Cap. 412B. **12A.** The principal Act is amended by repealing section 18 of the Act.

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 12A be Read a Second Time;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT,** New Clause 12A be part of the Bill;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 12A - agreed to.

New Clause 15A - amendment proposed

**THAT**, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 15—

Amendment of section 23 of Cap. 412B.	<b>15A.</b> Section 23 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the words “competitively” immediately after the words “the Auditor-General may”.
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*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 15A be Read a Second Time;

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 15A be part of the Bill;

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 15A - agreed to.

New Clause 29A - amendment proposed

**THAT**, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 29—

Repeal of section 40 of Cap. 412B.	<b>29A.</b> The principal Act is amended by repealing section 40.
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*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 29A be Read a Second Time;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 29A be part of the Bill;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 29A - agreed to.

New Clause 30A - amendment proposed

**THAT**, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 30—

Repeal of section 42 of Cap. 412B. **30A.** The principal Act is amended by repealing section 42.

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 30A be read a Second Time;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and question proposed;

**THAT**, New Clause 30A be part of the Bill;  
*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)*

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Clause 30A - agreed to.

Clause 2 - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

13. **HOUSE RESUMED** - The Third Chairperson of Committees

***a) The County Governments (Revenue Raising Process) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 11 of 2023)***

Bill reported with amendments.

Motion made and Question proposed –

**THAT**, this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the County Governments (Revenue Raising Process) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 11 of 2023).

*(Hon. Kuria Kimani on behalf of the Leader of the Majority Party)*

There being no debate arising;

Putting of the Question deferred.

***b) The Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 4 of 2024)***

Bill reported with amendments.

Motion made and Question proposed –

**THAT**, this House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House on its consideration of the Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 4 of 2024).

*(Hon. Kuria Kimani on behalf of the Leader of the Majority Party)*

There being no debate arising;

Putting of the Question deferred.

*(Change of Chair from the Sixth Chairperson of Committees to Third Chairperson of Committees)*

**14. MOTION – REPORT OF THE NATIONAL DIALOGUE COMMITTEE AND THE REPORT OF THE MULTI-SECTORAL WORKING GROUP ON THE REALISATION OF THE TWO-THIRDS GENDER PRINCIPLE**

Motion made and Question proposed;

**THAT**, this House **adopts** the Joint Report of the National Assembly Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs and the Senate Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights on its consideration of the report of the National Dialogue Committee (NADCO) and the report of the Multi-Sectoral Working Group on the realization of the two-thirds gender principle, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> January 2025.*

*(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs - 05.03.2025)*

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, March 4, 2025 resumed;

Debate concluded;

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question deferred.

**15. MOTION – PUBLIC PETITION ON LEGAL RECOGNITION AND PROTECTION OF E-HAILING MOTORCYCLE RIDERS AND DELIVERY PERSONNEL**

Motion moved;

**THAT**, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure on its consideration of Public Petition No. 14 of 2024 regarding Legal Recognition and Protection of E-Hailing Motorcycle Riders and Delivery Personnel, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> February 2025.*

*(Hon. T.J. Kajwang, MP on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure)*

[Motion to be seconded as per procedure in the next Sitting of the House]

And the time being four minutes past Seven O'clock, the Third Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**16. HOUSE ROSE** - at four minutes past Seven O'clock

**MEMORANDUM**

The Speaker will take the Chair on,  
Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025 at 2:30 p.m.