



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**TUESDAY, 25<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 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 Rt. Honourable Speaker

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

The Rt. Hon. Speaker, having ascertain that there was no Quorum in the House to commence business, ordered that the Quorum Bell to be rung for ten minutes;

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

5. **PAPERS**

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

- (i) Legal Notice No. 9 of 2024 relating to the Capital Markets (Coffee Exchange) (Fees) Regulations, 2024. Explanatory Memorandum and evidence of stakeholder engagement from the National Treasury and Economic Planning; and
- (ii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024 and the certificates therein in respect of:-
  - (a) Agricultural Sector Development Support Programme II (SIDA GRANT NO. 51110109);
  - (b) Hybrid Generation of Off-Grid Power Systems Credit No. CKE 1066 01 L- Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC;
  - (c) Horn of Africa Ground Water Resilience Project- Kenya Credit No. 7082-KE – Water Sector Trust Fund;
  - (d) East Africa Skills for Transformation and Regional Integrated (EASTRIP) Credit No. 6334- Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC;
  - (e) Prisons Industries Revolving Fund;
  - (f) State Department for Cabinet Affairs;
  - (g) Kenya Education Management Institute;
  - (h) Commission for University Education Staff Loan and Mortgage Scheme/Fund;

- (i) Kenya National Commission for UNESCO Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
- (j) Kenya National Commission for UNESCO;
- (k) State Department for Shipping and Maritime Affairs;
- (l) The Kenya Scouts Association;
- (m) Prisons Farms Revolving Fund;
- (n) State Officers House Mortgage Scheme Fund- State Department for Housing and Urban Development;
- (o) Meru National Polytechnic;
- (p) Financial Inclusion Fund (Hustlers Fund);
- (q) Universities Fund;
- (r) Kenya Literature Bureau Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
- (s) National Intelligence Service;
- (t) Tourism Regulatory Authority;
- (u) Office of the Controller of Budget;
- (v) Office of the Controller of Budget Staff Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
- (w) Competition Tribunal;
- (x) State Department for Lands and Physical Planning;
- (y) State Department for Environment and Climate Change; and
- (z) National Environment Trust Fund (NETFUND)
- (aa) Nyambene Level 4 Hospital;
- (bb) St. Marks Kigari Teachers Training College;
- (cc) Miathene Sub County Hospital;
- (dd) Railway Development Levy Fund -Holding Account – State Department for Transport;
- (ee) Engineers Board of Kenya – State Department for Roads;
- (ff) Chuka University;
- (gg) Meru Teachers Training College;
- (hh) Meru County Teaching and Referral Hospital;
- (ii) Meru University of Science and Technology;
- (jj) National Land Commission;
- (kk) Kisumu Urban Project (Cash Expenditure Fund)- CKE 1035.01.G;
- (ll) State Department for Public Service;
- (mm) State Department for Public Works;
- (nn) State Department for Wildlife;
- (oo) State Department for Transport;
- (pp) Nairobi Metropolitan Area Transport Authority;
- (qq) Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission Staff Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
- (rr) Stores and Services Fund- State Department for Public Works;
- (ss) TVET Curriculum Development Assessment and Certification Council (TVET CDACC);
- (tt) Water and Sanitation Development Project (IDA CREDIT NO.60290 AND 60230-KE)- State Department for Water and Sanitation;
- (uu) State Department for Information Communication Technology and Digital Economy;

- (vv) ASAL Rural Roads Project Credit No. CKE 117 01- Kenya Rural Roads Authority;
- (ww) Roads Annuity Fund- State Department for Roads; and,
- (xx) Commission on Revenue Allocation.

*(The Majority Party Whip)*

## **6. QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS**

### **(a) Request for Statement pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)—**

- (i) The Member for Khwisero (Hon. Christopher Aseka) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security regarding scrapping the application fees for issuance of identity cards for first time applicants;
- (ii) The Member for Emgwen (Hon. Josses Lelmengit) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding teacher recruitment process by the Teachers Service Commission;
- (iii) The Member for Kiambu (Hon. Machua Waithaka) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Health regarding the recent outbreak of *Marburg* virus disease in the region.
- (iv) The Member for Kiambaa (Hon. John Kwanjiku) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Lands regarding disputed ownership of land belonging to *Wilson Mutumba* Women Group;
- (v) The Member for Sirisia (Hon. John Waluke) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Tourism and Wildlife regarding Decline of performance of the tourism sector in the country; and,
- (vi) The Member for Butere (Hon. Tindi Mwale) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding the removal of the Chairperson of the University of Nairobi (UoN).

### **(b) Statement pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(d)—**

The Chairperson, Departmental Committed on Health made a Statement on the *Progress of Implementation of the Social Health Insurance Fund (SHIF) by the Social Health Authority (SHA)*.

The Chairperson laid the Statement on the Table of the House.

## **7. THE CULTURE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 12 OF 2024)**

Order for Second Reading having been read;

Motion having been made and Question proposed;

**THAT**, the Culture Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 12 of 2024) be now read a Second Time;

*(The Majority Party Whip – 20.02.2025)*

Debate having been concluded on Thursday, February 20, 2025;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to;

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

**8. THE EQUALISATION FUND (ADMINISTRATION) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 14 OF 2023)**

Order for Second Reading having been read;

Motion having been made and Question proposed;

**THAT**, the Equalisation Fund (Administration) Bill (Senate Bill No. 14 of 2023) be now read a Second Time;

*(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning – 19.02.2025)*

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, February 19, 2025 – (Afternoon Sitting), resumed;

Resumption of Debate

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

*(Further Change of Chair from the Deputy Speaker to the First Chairperson)*

Mover replied;

Question deferred.

**9. THE INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 13 OF 2024)**

Order for Second Reading having been read;

Motion having been made; Question proposed -

**THAT**, the Insurance Professionals Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 13 of 2024) be now read a Second Time;

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

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question deferred.

**10. THE POLITICAL PARTIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 35 OF 2022)**

*(The Vice Chairperson, Procedure and House Rules Committee)*

Order for Second Reading read;

Order deferred.

And the time being fifty-eight minutes past Six O'clock, the First Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**11. HOUSE ROSE** - at fifty-eight minutes past Six O'clock.

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

The Speaker will take the Chair on,  
Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at 9.30 a.m.

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