

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - (FOURTH SESSION)

THE SENATE

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 2025 AT 2.30 PM

- 1. The Senate assembled at thirty Minutes past Two O'clock.
- 2. The proceedings were opened with Prayer said by the Speaker.

3. **QUORUM OF THE SENATE**

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

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

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

4. MESSAGES FROM THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

The Speaker conveyed the following Messages from the National Assembly:

a) Passage, by the National Assembly, of the Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 4 of 2024)

"Honourable Senators,

I wish to report to the Senate that, pursuant to Standing Order 46 (3), I received the following Message from the Speaker of the National Assembly regarding the passage, by the National Assembly, of the Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 4 of 2024).

The Message, dated Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 was received in the Office of the Clerk of the Senate on Thursday, 20th March, 2025.

Pursuant to Standing Order 46 (4), I now report the Message -

"PURSUANT to the provisions of Standing Order 41(1) and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby convey the following Message from the National Assembly-

WHEREAS, the Public Audit (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 4 of 2024) was published vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 28 on 2nd April, 2024 to align the Act with the Constitution following a declaration issued by the High Court and clarify provisions on the recruitment of the Auditor-General;

AND WHEREAS, the National Assembly considered the said Bill and passed it with amendments on Tuesday, 11th March 2025 in the form attached hereto;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(4) of the Constitution and Standing Orders 41 and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby refer the Bill to the Senate for consideration."

Honourable Senators,

Pursuant to Standing Order No. 163 which requires that a Bill which originates in the National Assembly be proceeded with by the Senate in the same manner as a Bill introduced in the Senate by way of First Reading in accordance with Standing Order No.144, I will at the appropriate time, direct the Clerk to Read the said Bill a First Time.

I thank you."

b) Passage, by the National Assembly, of the Public Finance Management (Amendment) (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 26 of 2024)

"Honourable Senators,

I wish to report to the Senate that, pursuant to Standing Order 46 (3), I received the following Message from the Speaker of the National Assembly regarding the passage, by the National Assembly, of the Public Finance Management (Amendment) (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 26 of 2024).

The Message, dated Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 was received in the Office of the Clerk of the Senate on Thursday, 20th March, 2025.

Pursuant to Standing Order 46 (4), I now report the Message -

"PURSUANT to the provisions of Standing Order 41(1) and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby convey the following Message from the National AssemblyWHEREAS, the Public Finance Management (Amendment) (No.2) Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 26 of 2024) was published vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 90 on 16th April, 2024 to align the timelines for the passing and consideration of the Finance Bill by the County Assemblies and the National Assembly;

AND WHEREAS, the National Assembly considered the said Bill and passed it with amendments on Friday, 14th March, 2025 in the form attached hereto;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(4) of the Constitution and Standing Orders 41 and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby refer the Bill to the Senate for consideration."

Honourable Senators,

Pursuant to Standing Order No. 163 which requires that a Bill which originates in the National Assembly be proceeded with by the Senate in the same manner as a Bill introduced in the Senate by way of First Reading in accordance with Standing Order No.144, I will at the appropriate time, direct the Clerk to Read the said Bill a First Time.

I thank you."

c) Passage by the National Assembly, of the County Governments Additional Allocations Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 2 of 2025)

"Honourable Senators,

I wish to report to the Senate that, pursuant to Standing Order 46 (3), I have received the following Message from the Speaker of the National Assembly regarding the passage, by the National Assembly, of the County Governments Additional Allocations Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 2 of 2025).

The Message, dated Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 was received in the Office of the Clerk of the Senate on Thursday, 20th March, 2025.

Pursuant to Standing Order 46 (4), I now report the Message -

"PURSUANT to the provisions of Standing Order 41(1) and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby convey the following Message from the National Assembly-

WHEREAS, the County Governments Additional Allocations Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 2 of 2025) was published vide Kenya Gazette Supplement No. 12 on 6th February, 2025 as a Bill proposing to provide for the additional allocations to county governments for the 2024/2025 financial year; the responsibilities of national government and county governments pursuant to such allocations; and for connected purposes;

AND WHEREAS, the National Assembly considered the said Bill and passed it with amendments on Friday, 14th March, 2025 in the form attached hereto;

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the provisions of Article 110(4) of the Constitution and Standing Orders 41 and 142 of the National Assembly Standing Orders, I hereby refer the Bill to the Senate for consideration."

Honourable Senators,

Pursuant to Standing Order No. 163 which requires that a Bill which originates in the National Assembly be proceeded with by the Senate in the same manner as a Bill introduced in the Senate by way of First Reading in accordance with Standing Order No.144, I will at the appropriate time, direct the Clerk to Read the said Bill a First Time.

I thank you."

5. PAPER LAID

The following Paper was laid on the Table of the Senate:

Statement on the business of the Senate for the week commencing Tuesday, 1st April, 2025.

(The Senate Majority Whip

6. QUESTIONS & STATEMENTS

a) Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 52 (1)

i) The Senator for Nyandarua County (Sen. John Methu, MP) made a Statement in tribute to the late Hon. J.M. Kariuki on the 50th anniversary of his death.

The Senator emphasized that J.M. Kariuki's fearless advocacy for the common mwananchi shook the foundations of power. He reminded the House that the late J.M. Kariuki was a bold critic of economic inequality, famously stating "Kenya is a country of 10 millionaires and 10 million beggars." Despite decades of independence and economic growth, the senator lamented that wealth remains concentrated in the hands of a few, while millions of Kenyans continue to struggle with poverty, unemployment, and rising inequality.

The Senator recounted the late J.M. Kariuki's journey, highlighting his humble beginnings in Nyandarua County, his education in Uganda, and his involvement in the Mau Mau movement, where he played a crucial role in coordinating logistics for freedom fighters. He noted that Kariuki's

dedication to justice led to his arrest in 1953 and subsequent detention for seven years. After independence, he served as President Jomo Kenyatta's private secretary before becoming a Member of Parliament, where he fiercely opposed corruption and economic exploitation.

The Senator recalled the late J.M. Kariuki's tragic assassination in 1975, stressing that his brutal murder, allegedly involving state security officials, remains one of Kenya's darkest political injustices. He urged the House to reflect on whether the country had upheld Kariuki's ideals, pointing out that millions of Kenyans still face economic hardships, lack access to quality healthcare, and struggle to secure employment despite promises of reform.

The Senator concluded by stating that the 50th anniversary of the late J.M. Kariuki's assassination should not be a mere ceremonial remembrance but a moment of rededication to his vision. He called on leaders to demand accountability, implement policies that uplift the poor, and ensure that Kenya serves all its people, not just the privileged few. He affirmed that the late J.M. Kariuki's sacrifice must not be in vain, urging the nation to keep his legacy alive.

ii) Nominated Senator (Sen. Mariam Sheikh, MP) made a Statement concerning the abduction of four chiefs, an assistant chief and a civilian in Mandera County.

The Senator expressed deep concern over the abduction of Chief Mohamed Adawa, his daughter, and four other local administrators in Wargadud, Mandera County, on 3rd February 2025. She stated that the Chiefs and the assistant chief were on official duty, traveling to Elwak Town for a security meeting ahead of President William Ruto's development tour. The senator lamented that despite 44 days having passed, their whereabouts remained unknown, raising serious concerns about security in the region.

The Senator emphasized the devastating impact of such abductions on the families and the community at large. She noted that the disappearance of primary breadwinners had left families struggling financially, especially during the holy month of Ramadhan. She further highlighted the psychological toll on children, who might experience depression and behavioral changes due to the uncertainty surrounding their loved ones.

The Senator condemned the abduction as a direct attack on local governance, warning that it undermined peace, security, and law enforcement efforts in the already fragile Mandera region. She stressed that the incident reflected the growing risks faced by local leaders and called on the government to deploy all available resources to ensure the safe return of the abducted individuals. She urged security agencies, including the Kenya Defence Forces and the National Police Service, to intensify operations to locate the missing leaders and neutralize the threat posed by the perpetrators.

The Senator called for immediate government action, including prioritizing the safe return of the abducted leaders, strengthening security forces and border surveillance, improving local infrastructure and economic opportunities to counter radicalization, and providing psychosocial and financial support to affected families. She concluded by demanding regular updates from the Ministry of Interior and National Administration on rescue efforts and security measures to prevent similar incidents in the future.

b) Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 53 (1)

- i) Nominated Senator (Sen. Beatrice Ogolla, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations regarding the poor living conditions of police officers at Ndhiwa Police Station in Homa Bay County.
- ii) The Senator for Nyandarua County (Sen. John Methu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries regarding the inequitable distribution of fertilizer by the National Cereals and Produce Board (NCPB).
- iii) The Senator for Nyandarua County (Sen. John Methu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the continued delay in the disbursement of the higher education Loans Board (HELB) funds, which has left thousands of University students stranded and unable to meet their basic needs.
- iv) The Senator for Nyandarua County (Sen. John Methu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism regarding the culpability of the management of Kenya Union of Savings and Credit Cooperatives Societies (KUSCCO) following financial losses suffered by savings and credit cooperatives societies (SACCOS) in Kenya.
- v) The Senator for Nyandarua County (Sen. John Methu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget regarding the rapid increase in Kenya's public debt and its implications for economic stability, fiscal sustainability and service delivery.
- vi) The Senator for Mombasa County (Sen. Mohammed Faki, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the operations of Bandari Maritime Academy in Mombasa County.
- vii) Nominated Senator (Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget regarding noncompliance by county governments, with directives by the Salaries and Remuneration Commission (SRC) on budgetary caps for rent expenditure for high-ranking officials.

- viii) Nominated Senator (Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Health regarding the shutdown of the Kenya Health Information System (KHIS) and its impact on health data management.
 - ix) The Senator for Nairobi City County (Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget regarding the non-settlement of insurance policy maturity claims by the Corporate Insurance Company Limited.
 - x) The Senator for Nairobi City County (Sen. Edwin Sifuna, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the delayed remittance of school capitation by the National Treasury.
 - xi) The Senator for Turkana County (Sen. James Lomenen, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations regarding the status of retrieval of bodies of Kenyan fishermen killed by suspected militiamen from Ethiopia in the Todonyang area along the Kenya Ethiopia border on 22nd February, 2025.
- xii) The Senator for Busia County (Sen. Okiya Omtatah, MP) on behalf of the Nominated Senator (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare, regarding ghost workers in the public service.
- xiii) The Senator for Busia County (Sen. Okiya Omtatah, MP) on behalf of the Nominated Senator (Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Health regarding the availability, accessibility and affordability of rehabilitation services across counties to address substance and alcohol abuse.
- xiv) The Senator for Busia County (Sen. Okiya Omtatah, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisii County (Sen. Richard Onyonka, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the policy decision by the Government to remove mathematics as a compulsory subject for senior school students under the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC).
- xv) The Senator for Busia County (Sen. Okiya Omtatah, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisii County (Sen. Richard Onyonka, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations regarding the urgent appeal for clemency and repatriation of Margaret Nduta Macharia from Vietnam.
- xvi) The Senator for Busia County (Sen. Okiya Omtatah, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Kisii County (Sen. Richard Onyonka, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the governance concerns and leadership transitions at the Kenya Literature Bureau (KLB).

- xvii) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Information, Communication and Technology regarding the state of media freedom and working conditions of journalists in Kisumu County.
- xviii) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Education regarding the discontinuation of the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) student loan facility to the students of the Kenya School of Law (KSL).
- xix) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Information, Communication and Technology regarding the financial sustainability, relevance and future of the Postal Corporation of Kenya (Posta).
- xx) The request for Statement by the Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) to seek a Statement from the Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism regarding the security of funds for members of Savings and Credit Cooperative Societies (SACCOs) was **withdrawn** upon the request of the Senator.
- xxi) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Roads and Transportation regarding the operational inefficiency and recurrent delays of scheduled flights by Kenya Airways (KQ).
- xxii) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations regarding the adequacy of administrative units in Kisumu County and their capacity to effectively serve the growing population.
- xxiii) The Senator for Kisumu County (Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations regarding the killing of Kenyan fishermen by suspected militiamen from Ethiopia in Todonyang border area along the Kenya Ethiopia border.
- xxiv) The Senator for Machakos County (Sen. Agnes Kavindu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources regarding the operations of Katelembo Athiani Muputi Farming and Ranching Co-operative Society in Machakos County.
- xxv) The Senator for Machakos County (Sen. Agnes Kavindu, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Health regarding the acute blood shortage in the Country.
- xxvi) Nominated Senator (Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP) sought a Statement from the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget regarding the delayed

response of Commercial Banks' lending rates to changes in the Central Bank Rates (CBR).

c) Statement pursuant to Standing Order 57(1)

The Senate Majority Leader issued a statement on the business of the Senate for the week commencing Tuesday, 1st April, 2025.

7. PROCEDURAL MOTION - ELECTION OF SEN. (DR.) LELEGWE LTUMBESI TO PRESIDE OVER THE SENATE IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SPEAKER, THE DEPUTY SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE SPEAKER'S PANEL.

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, Pursuant to Article 107 (1) (c) of the Constitution and Standing Order 18, the Senate elects Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP, to preside over the Sitting of the Senate for the remainder of the day, today, Thursday 20th March 2025, in the absence of the Speaker, Deputy Speaker and the Members of the Speaker's Panel.

(The Senate Majority Whip)

And there being no Senator wishing to contribute;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1), the Speaker ruled that the Ouestion did not affect counties.

Question put and agreed to.

RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY

THAT, Pursuant to Article 107 (1) (c) of the Constitution and Standing Order 18, the Senate elects Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP, to preside over the Sitting of the Senate for the remainder of the day, today, Thursday 20th March 2025, in the absence of the Speaker, Deputy Speaker and the Members of the Speaker's Panel.

8. THE PUBLIC AUDIT (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 4 OF 2024)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget.

9. THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 26 OF 2024)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget.

10. THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 2 OF 2025)

(The Senate Majority Leader)

Order for First Reading read;

Bill read a First Time and committed to the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget.

11. ADMISSION OF SEN. GLORIA ORWOBA, MP, FOLLOWING A RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE TO SUSPEND THE SENATOR FOR BREACH OF PARLIAMENTARY PRIVILEGE

The Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called upon Sen. Gloria Orwoba, MP, to stand at the bar and issue an apology after she failed to do so in the prescribed manner during the Senate sitting on Tuesday, 18th March 2025;

The Senator tendered her apology as follows -

"Mr. Speaker, Sir,

I, Senator Gloria Orwoba, on this day, 20th March, 2025, I will tender the prescribed apology herein as a requirement and a fulfilment of the Senate resolution with a disclaimer that these are not my words and in no way does it infer a confession or any admission whatsoever of liability on my part. It shall not prejudice my case in court where I have been sued by Jeremiah Nyegenye, the Clerk of the Senate.

I proceed to read the prescribed apology. Mr. Speaker, Sir, I, Sen. Gloria Orwoba, hereby tender my unreserved apology to this Senate, honourable Senators, Clerk of the Senate and the Secretariat of Parliament for having acted in a manner which pursuant to Section 16(e) and Paragraph 7 and 8 of the Fourth Schedule to the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act, 2017 constituted a breach of Parliamentary privilege that reflected adversely on the dignity and integrity of Parliament and its Members and was contrary to the best interests of Parliament and its Members. I undertake that I shall abide by the responsibilities of leadership as set out in the Constitution, the Leadership and Integrity Act, 2012 and the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act, 2017.

I therefore beseech to be admitted.

I thank you and submit."

Having fulfilled this requirement Pursuant to Section 17 (c) of the Parliamentary Powers and Privileges Act and Resolutions passed on 20th September, 2023 and on 26th February, 2025;

The Speaker re-admitted the Senator back to the Senate. Thereupon, Sen. Orwoba took her sit in the Chamber.

12. MOTION - REPORTS OF THE 63RD AND 64TH SESSIONS OF THE OACPS PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY AND THE 43RD AND 1ST SESSIONS OF THE ACP-EU JOINT PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY MEETINGS HELD IN BRUSSELS, BELGIUM AND LUANDA, ANGOLA RESPECTIVELY

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate <u>notes</u> the Reports of the-

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

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

(Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP – 19.03.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 (Morning Sitting) resumed on putting of Question;

Before the Question was put and pursuant to Standing Order 84 (1) the Speaker ruled that the Motion did not affect counties.

Question put and **agreed to.**

THAT, the Senate notes the Reports of the-

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

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

13. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND BUDGET ON THE 2025 BUDGET POLICY STATEMENT

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate, <u>adopts</u> the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the 2025 Budget Policy Statement, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025, and pursuant to Section 25 (7) of the Public Finance Management Act and Standing Order 186 (7) of the Senate, approves the 2025 Budget Policy Statement.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget – 12.03.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 18th March, 2025, resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record her vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes"-

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1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 28 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

AYES

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County Delegation
- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzavo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
- 21. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 22. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Seki Lenku Ole Kanar, MP
- 26. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 27. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 28. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Question, agreed to;

RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY;

THAT, the Senate, <u>adopts</u> the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the 2025 Budget Policy Statement, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025, and pursuant to Section 25 (7) of the Public Finance Management Act and Standing Order 186 (7) of the Senate, approves the 2025 Budget Policy Statement.

14. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND BUDGET ON THE 2025 MEDIUM TERM DEBT MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate, <u>adopts</u> the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the 2025 Medium Term Debt Management Strategy, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Finance and Budget – 12.03.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record her vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes"-

1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 27 NOES - 1 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation

- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 21. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 22. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 23. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County Delegation
- 24. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 25. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 26. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

NOES

1. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP

Question, agreed to;

RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY:

THAT, the Senate, <u>adopts</u> the Report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Budget on the 2025 Medium Term Debt Management Strategy, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025.

15. THE PUBLIC FUNDRAISING APPEALS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 36 OF 2024)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Public Fundraising Appeals Bill (Senate Bills No. 36 of 2024) be now read a second time.

(The Senate Majority Leader – 14.11.2025)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 28th November, 2024 resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed three (3) Senators to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their vote as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 2. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 3. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 25 NOES - 2 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 2. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 5. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation
- 6. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 7. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 8. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 9. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 10. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 11. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 12. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 13. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 14. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 17. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 18. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 19. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 20. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 21. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 22. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County Delegation
- 23. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 24. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 25. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

NOES

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP

Question, agreed to:

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

16. THE ENVIRONMENT LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 23 OF 2024)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Environment Laws (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 23 of 2024) be now read a second time.

(Sen. Abdul Haji, MP – 31.10.2024)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 13th February, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed two (2) Senators to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their vote as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 2. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally

- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation
- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
- 21. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 22. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP Voted verbally on behalf of Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 27. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Question, agreed to;

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

17. THE COUNTY CIVIC EDUCATION BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 4 OF 2024)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the County Civic Education Bill (Senate Bills No. 4 of 2024) be now read a second time.

(Sen. Esther Okenyuri, MP – 12.02.2025)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 13th February, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record her vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes"-

1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation
- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
- 21. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 22. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County delegation
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 27. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Question, agreed to;

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

18. THE HERITAGE AND MUSEUMS BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 8 OF 2023)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Heritage and Museums Bill (Senate Bills No. 8 of 2023) be now read a second time.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare – 11.03.2025)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, 11th March, 2025 resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed one (1) Senator to record her vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senator recorded her vote as "Yes"-

1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation

- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
- 21. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 22. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County delegation
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 27. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Question, agreed to;

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

19. THE COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICES BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 40 OF 2024)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Heritage and Museums Bill (Senate Bills No. 8 of 2023) be now read a second time.

(Sen. Joyce Korir, MP – 12.03.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed on a Division;

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

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

The Speaker put the Question and directed Senators to cast their votes by pressing either the "Yes", "No" or "Abstain" button;

Before the results of the Division were announced and pursuant to provisions of Standing Order 86 (5), the Speaker allowed three (3) Senators to record their vote verbally.

Thereupon, the following Senators recorded their vote as "Yes"-

- 1. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP
- 2. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP
- 3. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP

The results of the Division were as follows:-

AYES - 27 NOES - 0 ABSTENTION - 0

- 1. Sen. Abass Sheikh Mohamed, MP
- 2. Sen. Adan Dullo Fatuma, MP Voted verbally
- 3. Sen. Chesang Allan Kiprotich, MP Voted verbally
- 4. Sen. Chute Mohamed Said, MP
- 5. Sen. Ekomwa James Lomenen, MP
- 6. Sen. Ogolla Beatrice Akinyi, MP On behalf of Homa-Bay County delegation
- 7. Sen. Kamau Joseph Githuku, MP
- 8. Sen. Kathuri Murungi, MP
- 9. Sen. Khalwale Boni, MP
- 10. Sen. Kisang William Kipkemoi, MP
- 11. Sen. Lelegwe Steve Ltumbesi, MP
- 12. Sen. Madzayo Stewart Mwachiru, MP
- 13. Sen. Mundigi Alexander Munyi, MP
- 14. Sen. Muthama Agnes Kavindu, MP
- 15. Sen. Mwaruma Johnes Mwashushe, MP
- 16. Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo Fire, MP
- 17. Sen. Mwinyihaji Mohamed Faki, MP
- 18. Sen. Ojienda Odhiambo Tom, MP
- 19. Sen. Oketch Eddy Gicheru, MP
- 20. Sen. Okoiti Andrew Omtatah, MP
- 21. Sen. Olekina Ledama, MP
- 22. Sen. Osotsi Godfrey Atieno, MP
- 23. Sen. Recha Julius Murgor, MP Voted verbally
- 24. Sen. Omar Mariam Sheikh, MP On behalf of Mandera County Delegation
- 25. Sen. Sifuna Edwin Watenya, MP
- 26. Sen. Korir Joyce Chepkoech, MP On behalf of Bomet County delegation
- 27. Sen. Wamatinga Wahome, MP

Question, agreed to;

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

20. MOTION - REPORT OF THE MEDIATION COMMITTEE ON THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILLS NO. 12 OF 2023)

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Mediation Committee on the Conflict of Interest Bill (National Assembly Bills No. 12 of 2023), laid on the table of the Senate on Thursday, 5th December, 2024 and further that pursuant to Article 113 (2) of the Constitution and Standing Order 167 (3) of the Senate, approves the mediated version of the Bill.

(Vice- Chairperson, Mediation Committee - 12.02.2025)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, 27th February, 2025 resumed on a Division;

Pursuant to Standing Order 66 (3), the Mover requested the Speaker to defer putting of the Question to a later date;

And the Speaker, acceding to the request, deferred putting of Question to a later date.

21. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF 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

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate 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 on Thursday, 13th February, 2025.

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights - 13.02.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed;

And there being no more Senators wishing to contribute;

And in the absence of the Mover, the temporary Speaker (Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP), deferred putting of the Question to a later date.

22. MOTION - REPORT OF THE 9TH INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION (IPU) GLOBAL CONFERENCE OF YOUNG PARLIAMENTARIANS HELD IN HANOI, VIETNAM FROM 15TH TO 17TH SEPTEMBER, 2023

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

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

(Sen. John Methu, MP – 20.02.2025)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 19th March, 2025 (Morning Sitting) resumed;

And there being no Senator wishing to contribute;

And in the absence of the Mover, the temporary Speaker (Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP), deferred putting of the Question to a later date.

23. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENERGY ON ITS INQUIRY INTO THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS (LPG) EXPLOSION IN MRADI AREA, EMBAKASI, NAIROBI CITY COUNTY

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Energy)

Order read;

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Energy on its inquiry into the Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) explosion in Mradi Area, Embakasi, Nairobi City County, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 8th August, 2024.

Order deferred.

24. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON DEVOLUTION AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS ON ITS INQUIRY INTO PERSONAL SECURITY CONCERNS RAISED BY HON. PHILOMENA KAPKORY, DEPUTY GOVERNOR, TRANS NZOIA COUNTY

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations on its inquiry into the allegations on personal security concerns raised by Hon. Philomena Kapkory, Deputy Governor, Trans Nzoia County laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 1st October, 2024.

Order deferred.

25. MOTION - REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON DEVOLUTION AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS ON ITS INQUIRY INTO THE STATE OF MARKETS IN VIHIGA AND BUNGOMA COUNTIES ARISING FROM A STATEMENT SOUGHT BY SEN. GODFREY OSOTSI, MP AND SEN. DAVID WAKOLI, MP

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations)

THAT, the Senate adopts Reports of the Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations on its inquiry into the state of markets in Vihiga and Bungoma counties arising from statements sought by Sen. Godfrey Osotsi, MP, and Sen. David Wafula Wakoli, MP laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 1st October, 2024.

Order deferred.

26. MOTION - PROGRESS REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL COHESION, EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND REGIONAL INTEGRATION INTO AN INQUIRY ON THE DIVERSITY AND INCLUSIVITY IN THE STAFF COMPOSITION OF STATE AGENCIES IN KENYA

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration)

THAT, the Senate adopts Progress Report of the Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration into an inquiry on the diversity and inclusivity in the staff composition of state agencies in Kenya, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 3rd October, 2024.

Order deferred.

27. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH ON THE COUNTY OVERSIGHT AND NETWORKING ENGAGEMENTS TO TAITA TAVETA, MOMBASA AND KWALE COUNTIES

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Health)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Health on the County Oversight and Networking Engagements to Taita

Taveta, Mombasa and Kwale Counties, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 5th December, 2024.

Order deferred.

28. MOTION - REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HEALTH ON THE INSPECTION TOUR OF HEALTH FACILITIES IN WEST POKOT, TRANS NZOIA AND TURKANA COUNTIES

(The Chairperson, Standing Committee on Health)

THAT, the Senate adopts the Report of the Standing Committee on Health on the inspection tour of health facilities in West Pokot, Trans Nzoia and Turkana Counties, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 5th December, 2024.

Order deferred.

29. THE LABOUR MIGRATION AND MANAGEMENT (NO. 2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 42 OF 2024)

(Sen. Tabitha Mutinda, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order deferred.

30. THE STREET NAMING AND PROPERTY ADDRESSING SYSTEM BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 43 OF 2024)

(Sen. Fatuma Dullo, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order deferred.

31. THE SPORTS (AMENDMENT) (NO.2) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 45 OF 2024)

(Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, MP and Sen. Raphael Chimera, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order deferred.

32. THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILLS NO. 47 OF 2024)

(Sen. David Wafula Wakoli, MP)

(Second Reading)

Order deferred.

33. MOTION - ADJOURNMENT OF THE SENATE

(The Senate Majority Leader)

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 31 (3), the Senate do adjourn until Tuesday, $1^{\rm st}$ April, 2025.

Order deferred.

And there being no other business on the Order Paper, the Temporary Speaker (Sen. (Dr.) Lelegwe Ltumbesi, MP) adjourned the Senate at eight minutes past Six O'clock, without Question put, pursuant to the Standing Orders.

34. **SENATE ROSE** – at eight minutes past Six O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, April 1st, 2025 at 2:30 pm