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#### **REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

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#### THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 02, 2025 AT 9.30 A.M.

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

#### **PRAYERS**

- 1. Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions
- 5. Papers
- 6. Notices of Motion
- 7. Questions and Statements

#### 8\*. <u>THE TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 27 OF 2024)

(The Hon. Abdul Haro, M.P.)

First Reading

#### 9\*. <u>THE BASIC EDUCATION (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL</u> <u>ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 59 OF 2023)</u>

(The Hon. Mary Wamaua, M.P.)

Second Reading

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Wednesday, March 05, 2025 – Afternoon Sitting) (Balance of time – 1 hour)

10\*. <u>MOTION: 001/2025</u> -

#### IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNIVERSAL HEALTH COVERAGE AND OF A POLICY ON MANDATORY USE OF PUBLIC HEALTH CARE FACILITIES BY PUBLIC OFFICERS (The Hon. Sabina Chege, M.P.)

 Ministry of Health adopted the Kenya Universal Healthcare Coverage Policy 2020-2030 with the theme: *Accelerating Attainment of Universal Health Coverage* which is currently being implemented through the introduction of Social Health Insurance Fund; noting that there is need to increase the quality of care and services provided in the public health sector; concerned that the public health care services lack adequate funds to guarantee quality health care services; further noting that civil servants, public officers and State officers are accorded a comprehensive medical cover by the respective government agencies; appreciating that the use of the comprehensive medical cover by public officers and State officers in public hospitals would guarantee sufficient funding for public hospitals; this House therefore resolves that, the Government through the Ministry of Health implements the Kenya Universal Healthcare Coverage Policy 2020-2030, and introduce a policy on mandatory use of public health care facilities by all civil servants, public officers and State officers in the country.

#### 11\*. <u>MOTION: 033/2023</u> -

# SUPPORTINGANDPROMOTINGLOCALFERTILIZERMANUFACTURINGINDUSTRIES

(The Hon. Samuel Atandi, M.P.)

**THAT**, aware that, the Fertilizer and Animal Foodstuff Act, 2015 provides for the regulation of fertilizer importation in the country; further aware that, the Fertilizer and Animal Foodstuffs Board regulates the fertilizer and animal foodstuffs industry including the manufacture and production of fertilizers; noting that, the country currently relies heavily on imported fertilizer due to inadequate local production capacity; further noting that, the low local production leads to high costs for farmers, reducing their profits and results in an unhealthy reliance on imported fertilizer; concerned that, this scenario threatens the country's food security in case of supply disruptions and discourages local production; recognizing that local fertilizer production could lead to improved fertilizer quality, increased crop yields and a reduction in environmental harm caused by the use of substandard fertilizers; recalling that the country has the potential to produce fertilizer that could meet the country's domestic demand and also supply the regional market; further recognizing that there is need for the government to work with local producers to develop high quality fertilizer tailored to the needs of Kenyan farmers and crops; now therefore this House resolves that the National Government through the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development, supports and promotes local fertilizer manufacturing industries by investing in research and development to bolster the domestic fertilizer manufacturing sector.

#### 12\*. <u>MOTION: 044/2023</u> – <u>FORMULATION OF A LAND USE POLICY</u> <u>ON ZONING OF LAND FOR AGRICULTURE</u> <u>AND BUILT DEVELOPMENT</u> (The Hon. Timothy Wanyonyi, M.P.)

 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.

#### 13\*. <u>MOTION: 001/2024</u> – <u>FORMULATION OF A REWARD SCHEME FOR</u> <u>ACCOMPLISHMENTS BY SPORTS PERSONS</u> <u>IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS</u> (The Hon. Charles Ngusya, M.P.)

**THAT**, aware that, sports play an integral role in promoting cultural heritage, national identity, national development, the well-being of the people and sustenance of livelihoods, particularly of the youth; appreciating that, Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2005 provides a framework for sports development and operationalization in the country; further appreciating that the Sector Plan for Sports, Culture and Arts – 2018 by the Ministry of Sports, Culture and Arts mainstreamed sports development in the Third Medium Term Plan (MTP III) for 2018-2022, under Kenya's Vision 2030; recognizing that, the Vision 2030 aims at capitalizing on the country's international reputation as a worldclass sports powerhouse whose sportsmen and women have won international accolades and recognition, especially for their prowess in athletics; concerned that, despite bringing honour and national pride to the country, most sports men and women face a myriad of challenges such as lack of psychosocial support and social protection, hence pushing many to alarming levels of mental health challenges during their careers and even after retirement; noting that Sessional Paper No. 3 of 2005 contemplated motivation of sportspersons by the State through cash and material prizes, conferring State honours, appointments as goodwill ambassadors and establishing contributory insurance and savings schemes among other forms of motivation; cognizant of the fact that, the prospect of receiving State recognition, financial grants, and other perks inspires sportsmen to push their limits in attaining their full potential as well as fostering a collective sense of pride in sporting achievements; now therefore, this House urges that the Government, through the

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Ministry of Youth Affairs, Sports and Arts, develops a policy and standardized sports reward scheme for recognizing the achievements made by sports persons in internationally recognized competitions, through-

- (i) financial rewards of Kshs. 6 million for setting new world records; Kshs. 4 million for gold medalists; Kshs. 3 million for silver medalists and Kshs. 2 million for bronze medalists;
- (ii) non-financial motivation, including facilitation with issuance of diplomatic passports for established sportsmen and women, appointment as goodwill ambassadors and conferring national honours and privileges; and,
- (iii) establishing medical cover and a post-retirement social protection scheme, including establishing contributory insurance and savings schemes to support sports persons who retire from active sporting due to injuries or age.

#### 14\*. <u>MOTION: 002/2024</u> – <u>EXPANSION OF MAJOR ROADS IN THE</u> <u>COUNTRY TO DUAL CARRIAGEWAYS</u> (The Hon. Faith Gitau, M.P.)

THAT, aware that the Kenya Roads Act, 2007 provides for the establishment of road authorities responsible for, among other functions, the management and development of roads under their respective purview and for developing and providing adequate transport infrastructure that guarantees safe and efficient movement of people, goods and services across the country and beyond; further aware that the First Schedule of the Kenva Roads Act provides for the classification of national trunk roads into Classes A, B and Class C; recognizing that the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution assigns to the national government the function of the construction and operation of national trunk roads; noting that a significant portion of highways in the national trunk road network are currently single carriageways; concerned that single carriageway roads pose multifaceted challenges including traffic congestion during peak periods which limits movement of people, goods and services across regions and increases vulnerability to road accidents; further concerned that the lack of footbridges and safe pedestrian crossing areas on these high-traffic roads has been a leading contributor to the surge in road accidents in the recent past; cognizant of the duty of the government to provide a reliable transport system for efficient traffic management, economic development and bolstering interconnectivity among all regions in the country and beyond; now therefore, this House resolves that the government, through the Ministry of Roads and Transport, undertakes an expansion programme of national trunk roads with a view of upgrading all classes A, B and C necessary infrastructure that include footbridges, safe crossing zones at regular roads in the country from two-way lanes to dual carriageway (one-way roads) with the intervals, proper drainage systems, and other requisite infrastructure for their optimal operation.

#### 15\*. <u>THE PARLIAMENTARY POWERS AND PRIVILEGES (AMENDMENT)</u> <u>BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 37 OF 2023)</u>

(The Hon. Jack Wamboka, M.P. – Co-Sponsor)

Second Reading

#### 16\*. <u>THE BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL</u> <u>NO. 8 OF 2024)</u>

(The Hon. Sabina Chege, M.P.)

Second Reading

\*Denotes Orders of the Day\*

...../Notices\*

### NOTICES

#### The House resolved on Thursday, February 13, 2025 as follows-

#### Limitation of Debate on Individual Members' Bills

**I**. **THAT**, each speech in a debate on **Bills NOT** sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party be limited as follows: A maximum of three hours and thirty minutes, with not more than thirty (30) minutes for the Mover, in moving and ten (10) minutes in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen minutes (15) each; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that order.

#### Limitation of Debate on Motions

**II. THAT**, each speech in a debate on any **Motion, including a Special motion** be limited in the following manner: A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that order.

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# **NOTICE PAPER**

#### <u>Tentative</u> business for

## Wednesday (Afternoon), April 02, 2025

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 38(1))

It is notified that the following business is <u>tentatively</u> scheduled to appear in the Order Paper for Wednesday (Afternoon), April 02, 2025 –

#### A. <u>MOTION</u> – <u>PUBLIC PETITION ON LEGAL RECOGNITION AND</u> <u>PROTECTION OF E-HAILING MOTORCYCLE RIDERS</u> AND DELIVERY PERSONNEL

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure)

(Question to be put)

#### B. <u>THE SOCIAL PROTECTION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.12</u> <u>OF 2025)</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

First Reading

#### C. <u>MOTION</u> – <u>EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF</u> <u>PERSONS FOR APPOINTMENT AS THE CHAIRPERSON</u> <u>AND MEMBERS OF THE IEBC</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party – *Co-Sponsors*)

#### D. <u>THE DIVISION OF REVENUE BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO.</u> <u>4 OF 2025)</u>

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriation Committee)

Second Reading

#### E. <u>MOTION</u> – <u>STATE OF SECURITY IN SIX COUNTIES OF NORTH</u> <u>RIFT BEING BARINGO, ELGEYO MARAKWET,</u> <u>TURKANA, WEST POKOT, SAMBURU AND LAIKIPIA</u> (The Chairperson Departmental Committee on Administration and

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

(Resumption of debate interrupted on Tuesday, April 01, 2025) (Balance of time – 1 hour)

#### F. <u>THE ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING AND COMBATING OF TERRORISM</u> <u>FINANCING LAWS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL</u> <u>NO. 5 OF 2025)</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

#### G. <u>THE LEARNERS WITH DISABILITIES BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 4 OF</u> <u>2023)</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Education)

Second Reading

#### H. <u>THE TREATY MAKING AND RATIFICATION (AMENDMENT) (No.2)</u> <u>BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 9 OF 2024)</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Second Reading

#### I. <u>THE ASSUMPTION OF THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT AND</u> <u>TRANSITION OF EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY BILL (NATIONAL</u> <u>ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1 OF 2025)</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

# **APPENDIX**

# NOTICE OF PETITIONS, QUESTIONS & STATEMENTS

### **ORDER NO. 4 - PETITIONS**

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 225, the following Petition will be presented –

No.	Subject	Petitioner(s)	Relevant Committee
06/2025	Persistent harassment and unlawful eviction of people living on <i>L.R. No.</i> <i>176/111/MN</i> in <i>Mwendo wa</i> <i>Panya</i> Village, Mtepeni Ward in Kilifi South Constituency	Ken Chonga, MP (Kilifi South), on behalf of concerned residents of	Public Petitions

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# **ORDER NO. 7 - STATEMENTS**

It is **notified** that, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c), the following Statement will be **requested**—

No.	Subject	Member	Relevant Committee
1.	Attempted grabbing of land belonging to the late Mr. Elijah Mwangi Kinyanjui		Lands