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THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2016 AT 2.30 P. M.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

<u>PRAYERS</u>

1.

Administration of Oath

- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- **4.** Petitions
- 5. Papers
- **6.** Notices of Motion
- 7. Statements

8*. <u>PROCEDURAL MOTION</u> – <u>APPROVAL OF A SITTING COMMENCING AT</u> <u>6.45 P.M.</u>

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 30(3)(b), this House resolves to hold a Sitting today Tuesday, October 18, 2016 for not more than three (3) hours commencing at 6.45 p.m.

9*. THE COMPETITION (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 24 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading (*Question to be put*)

10*. THE INSURANCE (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 28 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

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11*. <u>THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICES BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 27 OF 2014)</u> (The Chairperson Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

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

Second Reading

12*. THE PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 25 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

13*. THE NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 26 OF 2014)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

Second Reading

14*. THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) BILL (No. 3)(NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 18 OF 2015)

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

Second Reading

15*. THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 24 OF 2014)

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

Second Reading

16*. THE NATIONAL HONOURS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 16 OF 2014)

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

Second Reading

17*. THE NATIONAL FLAG, EMBLEMS AND NAMES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 2 OF 2013)

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

Second Reading

18*. THE CONTEMPT OF COURT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 32 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading

(No.118)

19*. <u>MOTION -</u> <u>ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION</u> INTO WILDLIFE POACHING IN KENYA

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources)

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources on the Investigation into Wildlife Poaching in Kenya, laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, October 01, 2015.

20*. <u>MOTION</u> – <u>ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION</u> INTO THE GARISSA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE TERRORIST <u>ATTACK</u>

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

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security on the Investigation into the Garissa University College Terrorist Attack, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, November 17, 2015.

21*. <u>MOTION - ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE</u> <u>PROCUREMENT OF THE APRON BUSES BY THE KENYA</u> <u>AIRPORTS AUTHORITY</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing on the Inquiry into the Procurement of the Apron Buses by the Kenya Airports Authority, laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, November 19, 2015.

22*. <u>MOTION</u> – <u>ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE</u> <u>IMPORTATION OF FERTILIZER BY THE MINISTRY OF</u> <u>AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES THROUGH THE</u> <u>NATIONAL CEREALS AND PRODUCE BOARD</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Co-operatives)

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Departmental Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Co-operatives on the Inquiry into the Importation of a Consignment of Fertilizer by the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries through the National Cereals and Produce Board, laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, November 24, 2015.

* Denotes Orders of the Day

TUESDAY, OCTOBER18, 2016

...../Notices (2105)

NOTICES

The House resolved on Wednesday, February 10, 2016 as follows:-

- I. THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), each speech in a debate on Bills sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party shall be limited as follows:- A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and fifteen minutes (15) in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by 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 (if the Bill is not sponsored by either of them); 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.
- II. THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 97(4), each speech in a debate on a Report of a Committee, including a Report of a Joint Committee of the Houses of Parliament or any other Report submitted to the House, shall be limited as follows: A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, 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 (15) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order.

NOTICE PAPER I

Tentative business for

Wednesday (Morning), October 19, 2016

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 38(1)

It is notified that the House Business Committee, at their last meeting, approved the following *tentative* business to appear in the Order Paper for Wednesday (Morning), October 19, 2016:-

- A. <u>MOTION- FREE ISSUANCE OF KENYA POLICE MEDICAL</u> <u>EXAMINATION (P3) FORMS</u> (The Hon. Omar Mwinyi, M.P.)
- B. <u>MOTION- SUPPORT FOR YOUTH INNOVATIONS BY THE</u> <u>GOVERNMENT</u> (The Lion, Jacob Multium, M.D.)

(The Hon. Isaac Mwaura, M.P.)

- C. <u>MOTION- ESTABLISHMENT OF A SELECT COMMITTEE TO</u> <u>INVESTIGATE MATTERS RELATING TO GMOs</u> (The Hon. (Dr.) Wilber Ottichilo, M.P.)
- D. <u>MOTION- RECRUITMENT OF SCHOOL BURSARS TO ENSURE</u> <u>PRUDENT UTILIZATION/MANAGEMENT OF FREE PRIMARY</u> <u>EDUCATION FUNDS</u> (The Hon. James Lusweti, M.P.)
- E. <u>MOTION- FORMULATION OF A POLICY TO GUARANTEECAREER</u> <u>ADVANCEMENT, PROMOTIONS AND SECURITY OF TENURE FOR</u> <u>PUBLIC SERVANTS</u> (The Hon. Joyce Emanikor, M.P.)

F. THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 7 OF 2016)

(The Hon. Mithika Linturi, M.P.)

Second Reading

G. <u>THE KENYA UWEZO FUND BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 65</u> OF 2015)

(The Hon. David Kangogo, M.P.)

Second Reading

NOTICE PAPER II

Tentative business for

Wednesday (Afternoon), October 19, 2016

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 38(1)

It is notified that the House Business Committee, at their last meeting, approved the following *tentative* business to appear in the Order Paper for Wednesday (Afternoon), October 19, 2016:-

A. <u>MOTION – APPROVAL FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF JUSTICE DAVID</u> <u>KENANI MARAGA AS THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE REPUBLIC OF KENYA</u> (The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

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

B. <u>MOTION – APPROVAL FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE</u> <u>CENTRAL BANK OF KENYA BOARD</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance, Planning and Trade)

C. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

- (i) <u>The Public Finance Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 4 of 2015)</u>
 (The Leader of the Majority Party)
- (ii) <u>The Statute Law (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill (Senate Bill No. 6 of 2014)</u> (The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)
- D. <u>THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICES BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 27 OF 2014)</u> (The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security)

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

E. <u>THE NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 26 OF 2014)</u> (The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

> Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

F. <u>THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL</u> <u>NO. 24 OF 2014)</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

G. THE PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 25 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

H. THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA (AMENDMENT) BILL No. 3(NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 18 OF 2015)

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

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

I. <u>THENATIONAL HONOURS (AMENDMENT) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 16</u> OF 2014)

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

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

J. <u>THE NATIONAL FLAG, EMBLEMS AND NAMES (AMENDMENT) BILL</u> (SENATE BILL NO. 2 OF 2013)

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

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

K. THE CONTEMPT OF COURT BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 32 OF 2016)

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Second Reading (If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

L. <u>MOTION – ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO</u> <u>DEGAZZETEMENT OF GOVERNMENT LAND BELONGING TO CHORLIM</u> <u>COOPERATIVE SOCIETY</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Lands)

M. <u>MOTION – ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION INTO</u> <u>WILDLIFE POACHING IN KENYA</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Environment and Natural Resources)

N. <u>MOTION – ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INVESTIGATION INTO</u> <u>THE GARISSA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE TERRORIST ATTACK</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration & National Security)

(If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

O. <u>MOTION – ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE</u> <u>PROCUREMENT OF THE APRON BUSES BY THE KENYA AIRPORTS</u> <u>AUTHORITY</u>

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing)

(If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

P. MOTION – ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE INQUIRY INTO THE IMPORTATION OF A CONSIGNMENT OF FERTILIZER BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES THROUGH THE NATIONAL CEREALS AND PRODUCE BOARD

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Co-operatives)

(If not concluded on Tuesday, October 18, 2016)

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NOTICE PAPER III

Status of Business before Committees

Wednesday (Afternoon) October 19, 2016

In accordance with the Speaker's Communication of Wednesday, October 14, 2015, it is notified that, during the Sitting of *Wednesday, October 19, 2016 (Afternoon)*, the Chairpersons of the following Committees will be called upon to apprise the House on the Status of the Business pending before their respective Committees:-

(i) Departmental Committee on Lands

(ii) Departmental Committee on Transport, Public Works and Housing

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APPENDIX

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

<u>SCHEDULE</u> of Questions for

Tuesday, October 18, 2016

It is notified that, pursuant to Standing Orders 191 and 216, the Cabinet Secretaries *for Interior and Coordination of National Government; and Education, Science and Technology;* will appear before the following Departmental Committees on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at the times hereunder:-

Departmental Committee		Cabinet Secretary	<u>Time</u>	<u>Venue</u>
(i)	Committee on Administration and National Security	Cabinet Secretary for Interior and Coordination of National Government	10.00 am – 11.30 am	The National Assembly Chamber
(ii)	Committee on Education, Research and Technology	Cabinet Secretary for Education, Science and Technology	10.00 am – 11.30 am	The Mini Chamber, County Hall

The Committees' Agenda has been determined as follows-

AGENDA

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 170E (2)

- 1. Prayers
- 2. Communication from the Chairperson(s)
- I. Questions under the Departmental Committee on Administration and National Security

<u>Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Interior and Coordination of National</u> <u>Government</u>

(i) Question by PVT/11/2016 by the Member for Moyale (The Hon. Roba S. Duba, M.P.):

Following the mysterious murders of two former Members of Parliament for Moyale Constituency, namely Hon. Guyo Halakha Liban who was shot in his residence in Moyale Town on October 22, 2014 and Hon. Philip Galm Godana who was likewise shot in his residence in Syokimau on February 14, 2015, could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee on the circumstances surrounding these cold blood murders, the status of investigations into these acts of lawlessness, and further indicate if there are any suspect(s) arrested and arraigned in court in connection with the killings?

(ii) Question No. 004/2016 by the Member for Wajir South (The Hon. Abdullahi M. Diriye, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee what the Government is doing to protect chiefs in Mandera, Wajir and Garissa Counties following the killings of Chiefs Mohamed Bare Abdullahi on 20th June 2015 and Muktar Maalim on 23rd April, 2015 by suspected Al-shabaab militants; the measures so far taken by the Government to bring the perpetrators to book; and the plans in place to support the families of the slain chiefs?

(iii) Question No. 005/2016 by the Member for Yatta (The Hon. Francis Mwangangi, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee the status of implementation of the proposed medical cover for the National Police Service staff; further provide a breakdown of usage of the Kshs. 5,000 risk allowance deducted monthly from officers in the 2014/2015 financial year to provide medical cover; and the status of the proposed National Police Service Hospital to be constructed on a twenty-eight acre piece of land in Embakasi, and the Kenya Police Staff College in Loresho?

(iv) Question No. 006/2016 by the Member for Yatta (The Hon. Francis Mwangangi, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee the status of the modernization programme at the National Police Service (Kenya Police Service and Administration Police Service) and in the Directorate of Criminal Investigations with regards to housing, equipment and vehicle leasing; and also provide the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Ransley Report?

(v) Question No. 007/2016 by the Member for Lurambi (The Hon. Raphael Otaalo, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary explain to the Committee why the training of Mr. Gregory Arsulu Isaac, who had been recruited into the General Service Unit (GSU) under Admission Number 004295, was abruptly terminated after three months yet he had successfully passed the recruitment exercise; apprise Members on claims made by the Service that Mr. Arsulu was medically unfit considering that he had passed the recruitment test by providing medical and academic testimonials; and further inform Members on the timelines for re-admitting him

back into the GSU College at Embakasi to complete his training and be fully conscripted into the Service?

(vi) Question No. 008/2016 by Nominated Member (The Hon. Abdinoor Mohamed, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary state the total number of people who have been issued with National Identity Cards in Northern Kenya in the last three years; explain to the Committee the reasons behind the delay in issuance of this vital document considering that at times it takes more than five months for residents to obtain the identity cards; and further inform the Committee whether the issuance of identity cards in Northern Kenya is an ongoing process or is demand-based?

(vii) Question No. 009/2016 by the Member for North Imenti (The Hon.Abdul Rahim Dawood, MP):

Considering that Corporal John KithinjiMritara of P/ No. 80016007 and Officer Bernard Mati Ngera of P/ No. 1977012222 faithfully served the Administration Police Service before retiring as per instructions from the Service on 22nd February 2015 and 22nd March 2015 respectively, and in view of the fact that both obtained clearances from various institutions that paved way for payment of their due pensions, could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee the reasons behind the non-payment of neither their Lump-sum Pensions nor their Monthly Pension Payments, and state the timelines within which these two diligent former officers of the Service shall receive their due Pension Payments?

(viii) Question No. 010/2016 by the Member for Borabu (The Hon. Ben Momanyi, M.P.):

Considering that the conflict between Borabu and Sotik Constituencies has been raging on for many years leading to loss of lives and damage to property, as witnessed by the recent attack at Rainyaemo on 17th March 2016 that left several innocent Kenyans dead and the setting ablaze of a school near Rainyaemo Police Station, could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee the measures being pursued by the Ministry to address the solution with a view to providing long-term and amicable resolution of the conflicts?

II. Questions under the Departmental Committee on Education, Research and Technology

<u>Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Education, Science and Technology</u>

(i) Question by PVT/10/16by the Member for Wajir South (The Hon. Abdullahi Diriye, M.P.):

Considering that the Kenyan Government through Sessional Paper No. 1 of 2005 put up low cost boarding schools in Arid and Semi-Arid (ASAL) districts as a way of implementing Totally Integrated Quality Education and Training (TIQET) so as to increase access to education and enrolment in the said areas, could the Cabinet Secretary explain to the Committee why the Ministry has not given capitation support cost to cover for food and other facilities such as dormitories, dining halls, toilets and purchase of beds and mattresses to Wajir South's Sarif, Kursin, Madahlibah, Burder and Dadajabulla boarding Primary Schools; outline the remedial measures the Government is putting in place to address massive drop-outs by pupils considering that these five schools are located in areas mainly inhabited by pastoralist communities; state the reasons why the capitation of low cost boarding schools has not been reviewed unlike the Free Primary Education (FPE) cost input together with the Special Needs Education Grants despite the Lawrie Green Report's proposal that capitation for boarding schools be set at Ksh 15,000 per year; and further state the timelines within which these five schools can start receiving capitation support costs?

(ii)Question No.095/2016 by the Member for Homa Bay Town (The Hon. Peter Kaluma, M.P.):

Considering that Article 43 of the Constitution provides every person with the right to education; and further that the Basic Education Act requires the registration by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology of all institutions offering basic education after application for such registration in the prescribed form; could the Cabinet Secretary inform the Committee why the following schools in Homa Bay Town Constituency have not been registered bearing in mind that some of these schools will be presenting students for national examination next year:-

- a) Raila Odinga Secondary School;
- b) Ojunge Secondary School;
- c) Nyakahia Secondary School;
- d) Nyagidha Secondary School;
- e) Rabuor Masawa Secondary School; and
- f) Riwa Secondary School.

(iii)Question No.096/2016 by the Member for Mukurweini (The Hon. Kabando wa Kabando, M.P.):

Considering that children have a right to access to education, and are constantly advised that if they excel in school, they stand a chance to attain their full potential; could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee on why there is a random increase of school fees above the stipulated Ministry of Education ceiling, thus limiting access to education?

(iv) Question No.097/2016 by the Member for Kathiani (The Hon. Robert Mbui, M.P.):

Considering that Education is a basic right as provided for in Article 43 of the Constitution,

adding that the Government of Kenya continues to remit activity fees for public primary and secondary schools through Free Primary Education (FPE) and subsidized Secondary Education funding respectively; and further considering that PTA teachers hired by School Committees are paid using funds raised by the parents; could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee the reasons why schools especially in Kathiani Constituency continue to impose numerous charges such as Activity and Examination fees on children and what the Ministry is doing about the shortage of teachers which leads to PTA levies on parents?

(v) Question No.106/2016 by the Member for Bomet Central (The Hon. Ronald K. Tonui, M.P.):

Considering that funds for the construction of Bomet Technical Training Institute in Bomet Town were released through Eldoret Polytechnic, could the Cabinet Secretary state the total amount of money allocated for the construction project; confirm the Contractor who was formally awarded the tender; provide a List of Quotations by other bidders inclusive of their respective tendered amounts; provide current status of work done so far by the Contractor; state the amount of money paid to the Contractor so far, together with any balances due; and confirm whether formal handing over of the Project has been undertaken from the Contractor to Eldoret Polytechnic and from Eldoret Polytechnic to Moi University which is currently using the buildings as part of the proposed Bomet University College?

(vi) Question No.107/2016 by the Member for Bomet Central (The Hon. Ronald K. Tonui, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary state the official Teachers Shortage Status in the country; list the Teachers Shortage situation per County; and provide a list of Overstaffed Schools (per County) considering that the Cabinet Secretary is on record as having stated that the key problem in the education system is not Teachers Shortage but poor Teachers' Distribution?

(vii) Question No.108/2016 by the Member for Bornet Central (The Hon. Ronald K. Tonui, M.P.):

Considering that funding of Ksh 7.9 billion was allocated to the Teachers Service Commission (TSC) in April 2016 under Supplementary Appropriation for teachers' management expenditure, could the Cabinet Secretary provide a breakdown of how the funding was utilized; state whether the entire funding has been utilized, and if not, provide the reasons thereof; and explain how the TSC intends to use the Ksh 6.3 billion allocated to the Commission in the 2016/2017 Budget?

(viii) Question No.109/2016 by the Member for Matayos (The Hon. Geoffrey Odanga, M.P.):

Considering that Article 43(1)(f) states that every citizen has right to education, and in view of the fact that Article 56(b) requires the State to put in place affirmative action programmes designed to ensure that minorities and marginalized groups are provided special opportunities in educational fields, could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee on the distribution of

funds for infrastructural development for the fiscal years 2012/2013, 2013/2014, 2014/2015 and 2015/2016, with details on the amounts allocated and the beneficiary institutions in each county per financial year?

(ix) Question No.110/2016 by the Member for Matayos (The Hon. Geoffrey Odanga, M.P.):

Considering that the Teachers Service Commission is an independent commission created under Article 237 of the Constitution with an expectation of serving the entire country, could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee on the employment status of the TSC, including details on the number of employees under the Commission, the positions/ designations they hold, the communities they hail from, as well as their distribution in terms of counties of origin?

(x) Question No.111/2016 by the Member for Matayos (The Hon. Geoffrey Odanga, M.P.):

Could the Cabinet Secretary apprise the Committee on the staffing status of the Teachers' Service Commission, including details on the number of teachers/tutors in primary schools, secondary schools, technical training institutes and teachers training colleges in each of the forty-seven counties of the Republic?