



**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**

**THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – (FOURTH SESSION)**

**THE SENATE**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**MORNING SITTING**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 23, 2025 AT 9.30 AM**

1. The Senate assembled at thirty minutes past Nine 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. **QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS**

**QUESTIONS**

- i) Question No. 039 by the Senator for Makueni County (Sen. Daniel Maanzo, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Youth Affairs, Creative Economy and Sports on delay in the completion of the construction of Wote Stadium in Makueni County was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.
- ii) Question No. 067 by Nominated Senator (Sen. Miraj Abdullahi, MP) on behalf of Nominated Senator (Sen. Joyce Korir, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Youth Affairs, Creative Economy and Sports on Government programmes and initiatives in place to promote mental health and overall well-being of young people in Kenya was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.
- iii) Question No. 086 by the Senator for Murang'a County (Sen. Joe Nyutu, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and

Forestry on illegal waste dumping in Murang'a County was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.

- iv) Question No. 091 by the Senator for Murang'a County (Sen. Joe Nyutu, MP) on behalf of the Senator for Marsabit County (Sen. Mohammed Chute, MP) to the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Forestry on eradication of the invasive *Prosopis Juliflora* (also known as Mathenge weed) countrywide was answered by the Cabinet Secretary.

5. **SUSPENSION OF A SENATOR FOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 121 (2)**

Pursuant to Standing Order 121 (2), the Speaker ordered the Senator for Kitui County (Sen. Enoch Wambua, MP), to withdraw from the precincts of the Senate for the remainder of the sitting day for disorderly conduct.

Thereupon, the Senator withdrew from the Chamber.

6. **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, 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2024.

Order Deferred.

7. **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, 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2024.

Order Deferred.

8. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE LIAISON COMMITTEE ON THE ACTIVITIES AND OPERATIONS OF SELECT COMMITTEES DURING THE THIRD SESSION (2024)**

(The Chairperson, Liaison Committee)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Liaison Committee on the activities and operations of Select Committees during the Third Session (2024) pursuant

to Standing Order 224 (2), laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2025.

Order Deferred.

9. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION TO THE 2024 JOINT UNITED NATIONS – INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION PARLIAMENTARY HEARING HELD AT THE UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FROM 8<sup>TH</sup> TO 9<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2024**

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Parliamentary Delegation to the 2024 Joint United Nations – Inter-Parliamentary Union Parliamentary Hearing held at the United Nations headquarters in New York, United States of America from 8<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.

*(Sen. Veronica Maina, MP)*

And there being no more Senators wishing to contribute;

Mover replied;

Pursuant to Standing Order 66(3), the Senator requested for the deferment of the putting of the Question to a later date;

And the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) acceding to the request, deferred the putting of the Question to a later date.

10. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PARLIAMENTARIANS' DIALOGUE AT THE AFRICA CLIMATE SUMMIT, 2023 HELD IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS, NAIROBI ON 3<sup>RD</sup> – 6<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2023**

*(Sen. Moses Kajwang', MP)*

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Proceedings of the Parliamentarians' Dialogue at the Africa Climate Summit, 2023 held in the National Assembly Chamber, Parliament Buildings, Nairobi, on 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2023, laid on the Table of the Senate on Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2024.

Order Deferred.

11. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE PARLIAMENT OF KENYA DELEGATION TO THE 2025 HEARING OF THE INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION (IPU) HELD AT THE UNITED NATIONS (UN) IN NEW YORK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (USA) ON 13<sup>TH</sup> – 14<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2025**

(Sen. Catherine Mumma, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the Parliament of Kenya Delegation to the 2025 Hearing of the Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU) held at the United Nations (UN) in New York, United States of America (USA) on 13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2025, laid on the Table of the Senate on Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2025.

Order Deferred.

12. **MOTION - REPORT OF THE 67<sup>TH</sup> COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION (CPA) CONFERENCE HELD IN SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA ON 3<sup>RD</sup> TO 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2024**

(Sen. Jackson Mandago, MP)

THAT, the Senate notes the Report of the 67<sup>th</sup> Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) Conference held in Sydney, Australia on 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2024, laid on the Table of the Senate on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2025.

Order Deferred.

And there being no other business on the Order paper, the Temporary Speaker (Sen. Wakili Hillary Sigei, MP) interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the Senate at thirty-nine minutes past Twelve O'clock without Question put, pursuant to the Standing Orders.

13. **SENATE ROSE** – at thirty-nine minutes past Twelve O'clock

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

The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Wednesday, July 23, 2025 at 2:30 p.m.

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