

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA****THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FOURTH SESSION****THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY****VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS****THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2025 AT 2:30 PM**

1. The House assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock.
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
3. **Presiding** – the Deputy Speaker
4. **PAPERS**

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

- (i) The Draft Tourism (Tourism Enterprises) Regulations, 2025, the Regulatory Impact Statement and Report on Public Participation from the Ministry of Tourism and Wildlife; *and*
- (ii) Legal Notice No. 145 of 2025 relating to the Crop (Bixa) Regulations, 2025, including the Evidence of Public Participation, Explanatory Memorandum, Regulatory Impact Statement and duly signed Certificate of Compliance.

(The Deputy Majority Party Whip)

5. STATEMENTS**(a) Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(a) —**

The Deputy Leader of Majority Party (Hon. Owen Baya), issued a Statement regarding the business of the House for the Week commencing Tuesday, 30th September 2025.

(b) Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c) —

- (i) The Member for Embakasi West (Hon. Mark Mwenje) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations regarding Recruitment centers for Kenya Defence Forces Officers;
- (ii) The Member for Garsen (Hon. Ali Wario) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations regarding inclusion of Tarassa and Kokane Sub-Counties in the Kenya Defence Forces recruitment;

The Member for Mvita (Hon. Mohamed Machele) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Blue Economy, Water and Irrigation regarding restoration of water supply infrastructure in Mombasa County;

- (iii) The Member for Langáta (Hon. Phelix Odiwuor) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Communication, Information and Innovation regarding provision of an express counter for emergency cases on the E-Citizen Platform;
- (iv) The Member for Tarbaj (Hon. Hussein Bare) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Energy regarding implementation of the last mile connectivity in Tarbaj Constituency;
- (v) The Member for Machakos County (Hon. Joyce Kamene) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health regarding blood donation and transfusion at the Kenyatta National Hospital (KNH); and
- (vi) The Member for Mandera County (Hon. Umul Ker Kassim) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure, regarding Discriminatory and inefficient passenger clearance processes at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA).

(c) General Statement Pursuant to Standing Order 43(1)

The Member for Dagoretti North (Hon. Beatrice Elachi) issued a General Statement regarding mysterious death of Ms. Zaituni Kavaya.

(d) Response to Statements Pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c) —

- (i) The Chairperson for the Departmental Committee on Agriculture and Livestock, (Hon. (Dr.) John Mutunga), responded to a Statement requested by the Member for Eldas, (Hon. (Dr.) Adan Keynan), regarding Rehabilitation and Development of herding grounds and migratory routes in pastoralist Regions of Northern Kenya.
- (ii) The responses to the following Statements were deferred –
 - (a) Statement by the Member for Turkana Central, (Hon. Joseph Namuar), regarding the Development and sustainable exploitation of Lake Turkana resources;
 - (b) Statement by the Member for Funyula, (Hon. (Dr.) Oundo Ojiambo), regarding the recategorization of Public Secondary Schools; and
 - (c) Statement by the Member for Emgwen, (Hon. Josses Lelmengit), regarding the recruitment by the Teachers Service Commission.

6. REORGANISATION OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 40(3), the Deputy Speaker reordered the sequence of proceedings as follows—

Consideration of **Order No. 8** (Second Reading of the Kenya Roads *(Amendment)* (No. 3) Bill (National Assembly No. 34 of 2025) and **Order No. 11** (Committee of the Whole House) to be undertaken before reverting to **Order No. 7** (Questions and Statements) and proceeding with the consideration of **Order No. 9** (Motion on consideration of the Fifth Report on examination of Financial Statements of selected State Corporations) and **Order No. 10** (Motion on consideration of the Sixth Report on examination of Financial Statements of selected State Corporations).

7. **THE KENYA ROADS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 3) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY NO. 34 OF 2025)**

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion having been made and Question proposed –

THAT, the Kenya Roads (Amendment) (No. 3) Bill (National Assembly No. 34 of 2025) be now read a Second Time;

(Hon. Peter Kaluma – On behalf of the House’s General Legislative Caucus)

Debate having been concluded on Wednesday, 23rd September 2025;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to;

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

8. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE**

Order for Committee read;

IN THE COMMITTEE

The Third Chairperson of the Committee on the Chair

(i) **Consideration of the President's reservation to the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022)**
(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Clause 3 - President’s reservations proposed—

THAT, Clause 3 of the Bill be deleted as recommended by H.E. the President;

(Hon. Gitonga Murugara – on behalf of The Leader of the Majority Party)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising.;

Question on the amendment put agreed to.

Clause 3 - deleted.

Clause 4 - President’s reservations proposed—

THAT, Clause 4 of the Bill be deleted as recommended by H.E. the President;

(Hon. Gitonga Murugara – on behalf of The Leader of the Majority Party)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising.;

Question on the amendment put agreed to.

Clause 4 - deleted.

Consideration of the President's recommendation to be reported without amendment.

(ii) Consideration of President's Reservations to the Wildlife Conservation and Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2023)
(The Leader of the Majority Party)

New Clause 2A - President's Reservation proposed

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new Clause immediately after Clause 2—

2A. Section 18 of the Wildlife Conservation and Management Act, Cap. 376 is amended by inserting the following subsection immediately after subsection (1)—

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| Amendment
of section 18
of Cap. 376. | <p>(1A) Where the claim launched under subsection (1) relates to injury, death or any form of loss or damage occasioned by any of the marine wildlife species specified under Part A of the Third Schedule to the Act, the relevant Community Wildlife Conservation and Compensation Committee shall be comprised of the following additional members—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (b) a representative from the Kenya Coast Guard Service appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for internal security; (c) a representative from the Kenya Fisheries Service Department appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for fisheries; and (d) a representative from the Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute appointed by the Cabinet Secretary responsible for science, technology and innovation. |
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(Hon. Gitonga Murugara – on behalf of The Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question on the President's Reservations put and agreed to;

New Clause 2A - agreed to.

Question put and agreed to;

President's Reservations to be reported without amendments.

(iii) The National Police Service Commission (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 23 of 2024)
(Hon. Peter Masara)

Clause 3 - amendment proposed -

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 3 and substituting therefore the following new clause—

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| Amendment
of section 10
of No. 30 of
2011. | <p>3. Section 10 of the principal Act is amended—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in sub-section (1) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (q)— |
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(qa) establish a counselling and psychosocial support unit to oversee and formulate programs to promote the mental health and wellbeing of members of the service;

(b) by inserting the following new subsection immediately after subsection (1)—

(1A) The Commission shall ensure that the unit established pursuant to subsection (1)(qa) is devolved to each county police headquarters.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 3 as amended - agreed to.

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

Clause 4 - amendment proposed –

THAT, Clause 4 of the Bill be amended in the proposed new section 12A by inserting the words “including counselling” immediately after the words “wellness resources” appearing in paragraph (a).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 4 as amended - agreed to.

Clause 2 - amendment proposed–

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by—

(a) deleting the definition of “psychosocial support” and substituting therefor the following new definition—

“psychosocial support” means an intervention that aims to protect or promote mental well-being, prevent or treat mental health conditions; and

(b) inserting the following new definition in proper alphabetical sequence—

“counselling” means a process where a person with difficulties is assisted to think through the problems and find a possible solution.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 2 as amended - agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

(iv) The Computer Misuse and Cybercrimes (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 41 of 2024)

(The Hon. Aden Mohamed)

Clause 3 - Amendment proposed—

THAT, Clause 3 of the Bill be amended by deleting the proposed new paragraph (ja) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

(ja) where it is proved that a website or application promotes unlawful activities, inappropriate sexual content of a minor, terrorism or religious extremism and cultism, issue a directive to render the website or application inaccessible.

(Hon. Aden Mohamed)

Question on the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Clause 3 as amended - agreed to.

Clause 4 - agreed to.

Clause 5 - amendment proposed—

THAT, Clause 5 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in paragraph (a) by inserting the words “email or” immediately after the word “or”; and

(b) in paragraph (b) by inserting the words “email or” immediately after the word “or”.

(Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Communication,
Information and Innovation)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Clause 5 as amended - agreed to.

Clause 6 - amendment proposed—

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting clause 6 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

6. The principal Act is amended by inserting the following new section immediately after section 46—

Insertion of a new section 46A in Cap 79C.

Further Court Orders.

46A. (1) Where a person has been convicted of an offence related to promotion of unlawful activities, inappropriate sexual content of a minor, terrorism or religious extremism and cultism and the person was using a computer system, website or digital device in contravention of this Act, the court may—

- (a) order the person to remove the content or materials from the computer system, website or digital device;
- (b) order the person to close or deactivate the computer system, website or digital device; or
- (c) make such orders as the court may deem appropriate.

(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), where an authorised person believes that a computer system, website or digital device is being used to promote unlawful activities, inappropriate sexual content of a minor, terrorism or religious extremism and cultism, the authorised person may apply to court for—

- (a) an order for removal of the content or materials from the computer system, website or digital device;
- (b) an order for closure or deactivation of the computer system, website or digital device; or
- (c) such orders as may be necessary.

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Communication, Information and Innovation)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Further amendment proposed-

THAT the Bill be amended by deleting Clause 6 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

6. The principal Act is amended by inserting the following new section immediately after section 46—

Insertion of a new section 46A in Cap 79C.

Further Court Orders.

46A. (1) Where a person has been convicted of an offence related to promotion of unlawful activities, child abuse, terrorism or religious extremism and cultism and the person was using a computer system, website or digital device in contravention of this Act, the court may—

- (d) order the person to remove the content or materials from the computer system, website or digital device;
- (e) order the person to close or deactivate the computer system, website or digital device; or
- (f) make such orders as the court may deem appropriate.

(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), where an authorised person believes that a computer system, website or digital device is being used to promote unlawful activities, child abuse, terrorism or religious

extremism and cultism, the authorised person may apply to court for—

- (d) an order for removal of the content or materials from the computer system, website or digital device;
- (e) an order for closure or deactivation of the computer system, website or digital device; or
- (f) such orders as may be necessary.

(Hon. Aden Daudi Mohamed)

Further proposed amendment withdrawn.

Clause 6 as amended - agreed to.

Clause 2 - Amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in paragraph (a) by deleting the word “or” appearing immediately after the word “device”; and

(b) in paragraph (b) by—

- (i) inserting the word “password” immediately after the word “address” in the definition of the term “identity theft”;
- (ii) deleting the definition of the term “SIM-card”; and
- (iii) inserting the following new definitions in their proper alphabetical sequence—

“computer misuse” refers to the unauthorized use, modification or access to a computer system, program or data; and

“cybercrime” refers to an offence committed through the use of information and communication technology to target networks, systems, data, websites or technology or to facilitate a crime.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Communication, Information and Innovation)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Further amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by inserting the following new definition in the proper alphabetical sequence—

“Child abuse” has the meaning assigned to it under the Children Act, 2022.

(Hon. Aden Daudi Mohamed)

Proposed amendment withdrawn.

Clause 2 as amended - agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

(i) **Consideration of the President's Reservations to the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022)**

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Consideration of the Presidents Reservations reported without amendment.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the House do agree with the Committee of the Whole House on its Consideration of the President's Reservations to the Cancer Prevention and Control (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 45 of 2022) and its approval thereof without amendments, therefore deleting all substantive clauses of the Bill.

(The Deputy Majority Party Whip – on behalf of the Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Thereupon, the Fifth Chairperson declared that the bill was lost.

(ii) **The Computer Misuse and Cybercrimes (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 41 of 2024)**

(The Hon. Aden Mohamed)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the House do agree with the Committee of the Whole House on its Consideration of the Computer Misuse and Cybercrimes (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 41 of 2024) and its approval thereof with amendments.

(Hon. Aden Mohamed, M.P.)

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Computer Misuse and Cybercrimes (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 41 of 2024) be now read a Third Time.

(Hon. Aden Mohamed, M.P.)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Third Time and **passed**.

(iii) **Consideration of the President's Reservations to the Wildlife Conservation and Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2023)**

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Consideration of the Presidents Reservations reported without amendment.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the House do agree with the Committee of the Whole House on its Consideration of the President's Reservations to the Wildlife Conservation and

Management (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2023) and its approval thereof without amendments.

(The Deputy Majority Party Whip – on behalf of the Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

(iv) The National Police Service Commission (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 23 of 2024)
(The Hon. Peter Masara, M.P.)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the House do agree with the Committee of the Whole House on its Consideration of the National Police Service Commission (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 23 of 2024) and its approval thereof with amendments.

(Hon. Samuel Atandi, M.P. – on behalf of Hon. Peter Masara, M.P.)

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the National Police Service Commission (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 23 of 2024) be now read a Third Time.

(Hon. Samuel Atandi, M.P. – on behalf of Hon. Peter Masara, M.P.)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Third Time and passed.

10. REORGANISATION OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 40(2), the Fifth Chairperson further reorganized the sequence of proceedings as follows—

Consideration of **Order No. 12** (*Second reading of The County Governments Additional Allocations (No. 2) Bill (Senate Bill No. 8 of 2025)*) to be undertaken before consideration of **Order No. 9** (*Motion on consideration of the Fifth Report on examination of Financial Statements of selected State Corporations*) and **Order No. 10** (*Motion on consideration of the Sixth Report on examination of Financial Statements of selected State Corporations*).

11. THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS' ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS (NO.2) BILL (SENATE BILL NO. 8 OF 2025)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the County Governments Additional Allocations (No. 2) Bill (Senate Bill No. 8 of 2025) be now read a Second Time.

(Hon. Samuel Atandi– Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Debate arising;

(Change of Chair from the Fifth Chairperson to the Second Chairperson)

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to

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

And the time being seven minutes past Seven O'clock, the Second Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

12. HOUSE ROSE - at seven minutes past Seven O'clock.

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on,
Tuesday, 30th September, 2025 at 2.30 p.m.

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