



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FIFTH SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 07, 2026 AT 2:30 P.M.

1. The House assembled at Thirty Minutes past Two O'clock
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer
3. **Presiding** – Hon. Speaker

4. **QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE HOUSE**

And there being no Quorum present to commence business, the Hon. Speaker ordered that the Quorum Bell be rung for ten minutes;

And Quorum having been attained within the ten minutes, business commenced.

5. **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The Hon. Speaker issued the following Communication—

Recognition of a Delegation from the Ellen Johnson Sirleaf Presidential Centre for Women and Development

“Honourable Members,

I wish to introduce to you a delegation of Members of Nextgen Fellows from the Ellen Johnson Sirleaf Presidential Centre for Women and Development, who are seated in the Speaker's Gallery.

Honourable Members, the delegation, accompanied by Staff from the Regional Leadership Centre East Africa at Kenyatta University, is in the Country on a pre-placement induction that prepares them to be placed with leaders from different countries as part of their fellowship.

Honourable Members, on my own behalf and that of the National Assembly, I extend a warm welcome to the delegation and wish them a fruitful and memorable visit to Parliament. I thank you!”

6. **PAPERS**

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

- (i) Resolutions of the 13th Ordinary Session of the National and County Governments Coordinating Summit from the Intergovernmental Relations Technical Committee (IGRTC);
- (ii) Draft Orders relating to Host Country Agreements and their Explanatory Memoranda from the Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary between the Republic of Kenya and—

- (a) The African Confederation of Cooperative Savings and Credit Association (ACCOSCA); and
 - (b) The African Agricultural Technology Foundation (AATF).
- (iii) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements of the National Governments Constituencies Development Fund (NG-CDF) for the year ended 30th June 2026 and the certificates therein in respect of the following Constituencies—
- (a) Lagdera; and
 - (b) Likuyani.
- (iv) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June 2026 and the certificates therein in respect of the following –
- (a) Capital Markets Authority;
 - (b) County High School – Garissa;
 - (c) Dadaab Secondary School;
 - (d) Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission Staff House Mortgage and Car Loan Scheme;
 - (e) Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission;
 - (f) Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC;
 - (g) Rift Valley Technical Training Institute;
 - (h) The Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC;
 - (i) The Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions Staff Housing Mortgage and Car Loan Schemes Fund; and
 - (j) Turkana University College.

(Deputy Leader of the Majority Party)

7. STATEMENTS

(a) Requests for Statements pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (i) The Member for Malava (Hon. David Ndakwa) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding non-processing and non-payment of death gratuity due to the estate of the late Dorcus Nanzala Chami;
- (ii) The Member for Turkana Central (Hon. Emathe Namuar) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Education regarding continuity of the Master of Science in Human Evolutionary Biology programme at the Turkana University College; and
- (iii) The Member for Nyaribari Masaba (Hon. Daniel Manduku) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure on frequent road accidents along the Nairobi-Kisumu highway along Kisii Town.

(b) Responses to Statements pursuant to Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (i) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy responded to the following Statements requested by –
 - (a) the Member for Kitui West (Hon. Edith Nyenze) regarding delayed repair and maintenance of electricity transformers in Kitui West Constituency; and
 - (b) the Member for Ganze (Hon. Kazungu Tungule) regarding electrocution of *Ms. Rita Mapenzi* in Ganze Constituency.
- (ii) The Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Labour responded to the following Statements requested by –

- (a) the Nominated Member (Hon. Dorothy Ikiara) regarding harmonisation and strengthening of the maternity leave; and
- (b) the Member for Machakos County (Hon. Joyce Kamene) work injury compensation claim against Auto Springs East Africa PLC.

(iii) The Vice Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Trade, Industry and Cooperatives (Hon. Marianne Kitany) tabled a response to a Statement sought by the Member for Kisii County (Hon. Dorice Donya) regarding promotion and support of foreign direct investment in the country.

8. SPECIAL MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF A NOMINEE FOR APPOINTMENT AS A MEMBER OF THE PARLIAMENTARY SERVICE COMMISSION

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, taking into consideration the recommendations of the Parliamentary Service Commission in its Report on the Recruitment of a Parliamentary Service Commissioner who is not a Member of Parliament, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 29th September 2026*, and noting the Resolution of the Senate of 1st October 2026 approving the appointment of the nominee, conveyed by way of a Message to the House on 6th October 2026, now therefore, pursuant to the provisions of Article 127(2)(d) of the Constitution, this House **appoints** the Hon. Fatuma Ibrahim Ali as a Member of the Parliamentary Service Commission.

(Member, Parliamentary Service Commission)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

9. MOTION – REPORT ON INSPECTION VISIT TO FOURTEEN (14) SPECIAL NEEDS SCHOOLS IN SPECIFIED COUNTIES

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Select Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on the Inspection Visit to fourteen (14) special needs schools in specified Counties, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 30th July 2024*.

(Chairperson, Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity - 06.10.2026)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, October 06, 2026 resumed;

Rising in her place on a point of order pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 95, the Nominated Member (Hon. Suleka Harun) claimed to move, 'That, the Mover be now called upon to reply';

And the Hon. Speaker acceding to the claim;

Question put and agreed to;

Thereupon, the Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

10. RE-ORGANISATION OF BUSINESS

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 40(2), the Hon. Speaker reorganised the sequence of business so as to enable consideration of **Order No. 11** (*Committee of the Whole House on – (i) The Kenya Revenue Authority Bill, 2026; and (ii) The County Assembly Services (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 34 of 2023)*) to be undertaken before **Order No. 10** (*The Strategic Goods Control Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 15 of 2026)*).

11. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

Order for Committee read;

IN THE COMMITTEE

The Deputy Speaker in the Chair

(i) The Kenya Revenue Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 28 of 2026)

Clauses 2 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 2 of the Bill be amended—

- (a) in the introductory words by deleting the words “Kenya Revenue Authority Act (in this Act referred to as the “principal Act)” and substituting therefor the words “principal Act”;
- (b) in paragraph (a) by inserting the words “and substituting therefor the words “appointed under section 6(2)(a) or (e)”” at the end of the paragraph;
- (c) in paragraph (b)—
 - (i) by deleting the expression “subsection (1)” and substituting therefor the expression “subsection (2)”;
 - (ii) inserting the words “and substituting therefor the words “appointed under section 6(2)(e)” at the end of the paragraph;
- (d) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (b)—

“(c) by inserting the following new subsection immediately after subsection (2)—

(3) The Chairperson of the Board may resign his office by written notification addressed to the President.”

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

Clause 2 as amended - agreed to.

Clauses 3 - amendment proposed-

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

Amendment of section 8 of
Cap. 469.

3. Section 8 of the principal Act is amended—

(a) in the opening statement—

(i) by deleting the words “other than an *ex-officio* member”;

(ii) by deleting the words “any other member” appearing immediately after the words “and in the case of” and substituting therefor the words “a member of the Board appointed under section 6(2)(e)”.

(b) in paragraph (d), by deleting the word “six” appearing immediately after the words “absent from” and substituting therefor the word “three”.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 3 as amended - agreed to.

Clauses 4 - amendment proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting clause 4 and substituting therefor the following new clause—

Amendment of the First
Schedule to Cap.469.

4. The First Schedule to the principal Act is amended in Part II—

(a) by deleting paragraph 10 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

LN 136 of 2025

10. The Standards (Standards Levy) Order, 2025

(b) by deleting paragraph 11 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

Cap.280

11. The Lands Act.

(c) by deleting paragraph 12 and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

(L.N. 113 of 2025);

12. The Sugar (Sugar Development Levy) Order, 2025

(d) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph 15—

Cap.197

16. The Retirement Benefits Authority Act.

Cap 245A.

17. The Tobacco Control Act

Cap. 343

18. The Tea Act.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Question on the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question on the amendment put and agreed to.

Clause 4 as amended - agreed to.

NEW CLAUSES

New Clause 1A proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause (1)—

Amendment of section 6
of Cap. 469.

1A. Section 6 of the Kenya Revenue Authority Act (in this Act referred to as “the principal Act”) is amended in subsection (2) by inserting the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph (d)—

(e) the Managing Director of Kenya Ports Authority or a designated representative;

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 1A be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 1A be part of the Bill.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 3A proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after Clause 3—

Amendment of section 13 of Cap.
469.

3A. Section 13 of the principal Act is amended by deleting subsection (1A).

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 3A be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 3A be part of the Bill.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

New Clause 3B proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after the proposed new Clause 3A—

Amendment of section 13A
of Cap. 469.

3B. Section 13A of the principal Act is amended by deleting the words “with the approval of the Cabinet Secretary” appearing immediately after the words “The Commissioner-General may,” and substituting therefor the words “with the approval of the Board”.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 3B be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 3B be part of the Bill.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

New Clause 3C proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after the proposed new Clause 3B—

Amendment of section 15 of
Cap. 469.

3C. Section 15 of the principal Act is amended—

- (a) by inserting the words “after deducting such amounts as will have been determined under section 16(1)(a) of this Act” immediately after the words “into the Consolidated Fund”;
- (b) in the proviso—
 - (i) by inserting the word “other” immediately after the words “in respect of any”;
 - (ii) by inserting the word “other” immediately after the words “shall be paid into that”.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 3C be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 3C be part of the Bill.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

New Clause 3D proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clauses immediately after the proposed new Clause 3C—

Amendment of section 16 of
Cap. 469.

3D. Section 16 of the principal Act is amended

(a) in subsection (1)—

(i) by deleting the words “not exceeding two percent” appearing in paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the words “not less than two percent”;

(ii) by deleting paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

“(b) three percent of the revenue actually collected in any Quarter of the financial year in excess of the amount estimated to be collected in respect of that Quarter;”

(b) in subsection 2(b) by deleting the words “shall be payable to the Authority within one month after the end of that three month period” and substituting therefor the words “shall be retained by the Authority at the end of the month following the end of the Quarter.”

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 3D be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 3D be part of the Bill.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to;

New Clause 5 proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by inserting the following new clause immediately after clause 4—

Amendment of the Second
Schedule to Cap. 469.

5. The Second Schedule to the principal Act is amended by deleting paragraph 1(1) and substituting therefor the following new subparagraphs—

(1) The first meeting of the Board shall be convened by the Chairperson.

(1A) The subsequent meeting of the Board shall be on a quarterly basis.

(1B) Despite subsection (1A), the Board may hold a special meeting when the Chairperson, in consultation with the Commissioner-General, decides a meeting is necessary.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, New Clause 5 be read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, New Clause 5 be part of the Bill

(Leader of the Majority Party, on behalf of the Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

(ii) The County Assembly Services (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bill No. 34 of 2023)

Consideration of the Bill deferred.

12. HOUSE RESUMED - the Fifth Chairperson in the Chair

The Kenya Revenue Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 28 of 2026)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, the House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the Whole House on its consideration of the Kenya Revenue Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 28 of 2026).

(Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the Kenya Revenue Authority (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 28 of 2026) be now read a Third Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

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

13. THE STRATEGIC GOODS CONTROL BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 15 OF 2026)

Order for Second Reading read;

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the Strategic Goods Control Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 15 of 2026) be now read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

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

14. MOTION – TENTH REPORT ON EXAMINATION OF AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR SEVEN STATE CORPORATIONS

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, this House **adopts** the Tenth Report of the Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture on its examination of audited Financial Statements of the following State Corporations, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 1st July 2026*:

- (i) National Youth Service for the Financial Years 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022, 2022/2023, 2023/2024 and 2024/2025;
- (ii) National Syndemic Diseases Control Council for the Financial Year 2024/2025;
- (iii) Child Welfare Society of Kenya for the Financial Year 2024/2025;
- (iv) Public Benefit Organizations Regulatory Authority for the Financial Year 2024/2025;
- (v) Communications Authority of Kenya for the Financial Year 2024/2025;
- (vi) Kenya Medical Supplies Authority for the Financial Year 2022/2023; and
- (vii) Agricultural Finance Corporation for the Financial Years 2012/2013, 2013/2014, 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017, 2017/2018 and 2018/2019.

(The Chairperson, Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

15. MOTION – FOURTH REPORT ON EMPLOYMENT DIVERSITY AUDIT IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Order Read;

Order Deferred;

16. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC PETITION NO. 2 OF 2026 REGARDING PRODUCTION, DISTRIBUTION AND CONSUMPTION OF ILLEGAL ALCOHOLIC BREWS IN THE COUNTRY

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Public Petitions Committee on its consideration of Public Petition No. 02 of 2026 regarding production, distribution and consumption of illegal alcoholic brews in the country, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 30th September 2026.*

(The Chairperson, Public Petitions Committee)

The Hon. Joshua Kandie, rose on a point of Order pursuant to Standing Order 96 and claim that the debate be now adjourned, the speaker acceded to the request.

Debate Adjourned.

17. MOTION – REPORT ON INSPECTION VISIT TO KENYAN EMBASSIES IN FRANCE AND THE UNITED KINGDOM

Motion made and Question proposed –

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations on its inspection visit to the Kenyan Embassies in France and the United Kingdom from 7th to 15th April 2026, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 27th August 2026.*

(The Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Defence, Intelligence and Foreign Relations)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

And the time being nine O'clock, the Fifth Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

18. HOUSE ROSE - at Nine O'clock

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on-
Thursday, 8th October 2026 at 2.30 p.m.