REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT – FIFTH SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 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 – the Honourable Speaker.

4. QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE HOUSE

There being no Quorum present at the commencement of the House, the Speaker ordered the Quorum Bell to be rung for ten minutes;

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

5. MESSAGES

The following Message was conveyed—

The 14th State of the Nation Address 2026 to Parliament by H.E. the President of the Republic of Kenya

"Honourable Members, Standing Order 42(1) relating to Messages from the President provides that "*the Speaker shall read to the House any message from the President delivered to the Speaker for communication to the House*." In this regard, I wish to inform the House that I received a Message from His Excellency the President conveying that he intends to deliver the 14th State of the Nation Address, 2026, to Parliament pursuant to Article 132(1) of the Constitution, **on Thursday, 19th November 2026**.

Honourable Members, Article 132(1)(b) and (c) of the Constitution states, and I quote –

"(1) The President shall—

(b) address a special sitting of Parliament once every year and may address Parliament at any other time; and

(c) once every year—

(i) report, in an address to the nation, on all the measures taken and the progress achieved in the realization of the national values, referred to in Article 10;

(ii) publish in the Gazette the details of the measures and progress under sub-paragraph (i); and

(iii) submit a report for debate to the National Assembly on the progress made in fulfilling the international obligations of the Republic."

Further, Article 240(7) requires His Excellency the President to *report annually on the State of Security in Kenya.*

Honourable Members, in accordance with the above provisions of the Constitution and Standing Order 22(2), I wish to notify all Members that a Special Sitting of Parliament will take place on **Thursday, 19th November 2026 at 2.30 pm** in the **National Assembly Main Chamber, Parliament Buildings**.

A notification of the Special Sitting has since been published in the *Kenya Gazette Notice No. 17687 of 10th November 2026*, and indeed, as also notified by way of newspaper notification for the information of Members and the general public. I am aware that the offices of the Clerks of the Houses of Parliament have commenced preparations for the day, and further logistical details will be communicated to Members in due course. **I thank you!"**

6. PAPERS

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

(i) Report of the Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions.

(Chairperson, Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

(ii) Report of the 69th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference and proceedings of the 60th General Meeting of the Society of Clerks-at-the-Table in Commonwealth Parliaments (SOCATT) held in Cape Town, South Africa from 13th to 19th September 2026.

(Hon. John Paul Mwirigi, CPA Kenya Branch Representative)

(iii) Twelfth Report of the Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture on its examination of Audited Financial Statements of –

a) Bomas of Kenya for the Financial Years 2019/20120 to 2024/2025;
b) Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentist Council for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;
c) National Authority for the Campaign against Alcohol and Drug Abuse for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;
d) Kenya Institute for Public Policy Research and Analysis for the Financial Years 2018/2019 to 2024/2025;
e) Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;
f) Anti-Doping Agency of Kenya for the Financial Years 2016/2017 to 2024/2025;
g) Agro-Chemical and Food Company for the Financial Years 2017/2018 to 2023/2024;
h) Nursing Council of Kenya for the Financial Years 2012/2013 to 2024/2025;
i) Media Council of Kenya for the Financial Years 2013/2014 to 2024/2025;
j) The Institute of Human Resource Management for the Financial Years 2016/2017 to 2024/2025;

k) Nyayo Tea Zones Development Corporation for the Financial Years 1998/1999 to 2022/2023;
l) Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital for the Financial Years 2017/2018 to 2020/2021;
m) Kenya Veterinary Vaccines Production Institute for the Financial Years 2012/2013 to 2024/2025;
n) The Kenyatta National Hospital for the Financial Years 2020/2021 to 2024/2025; and
o) Bukura Agricultural College for the Financial Years 2015/2016 to 2024/2025.

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

7. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notices of Motion were given—

(i) **Report on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions**

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunities on Employment Diversity Audit in Public Institutions, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 11th November 2026.*

(Chairperson, Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

(ii) **Report of the 69th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference & proceedings of the 60th General Meeting of the Society of Clerks-at-the-Table in Commonwealth Parliaments**

THAT, this House **notes** the report of the 69th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference & Proceedings of the 60th General Meeting of the Society of Clerks-at-the-Table in Commonwealth Parliaments, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 11th November 2026.*

(Hon. John Paul Mwirigi, CPA Kenya Branch Representative)

(iii) **Examination of Audited Financial Statements of various State Corporations**

THAT, this House **adopts** the Twelfth Report of the Public Investments Committee on Social Services, Administration and Agriculture on its Examination of the audited financial statements of the following State Corporations, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 11th November 2026* –

a) Bomas of Kenya for the Financial Years 2019/20120 to 2024/2025;
b) Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentist Council for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;
c) National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;
d) Kenya Institute for Public Policy Research and Analysis for the Financial Years 2018/2019 to 2024/2025;
e) Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute for the Financial Years 2021/2022 to 2024/2025;

f) Anti-Doping Agency of Kenya for the Financial Years 2016/2017 to 2024/2025;
g) Agro-Chemical and Food Company for the Financial Years 2017/2018 to 2023/2024;
h) Nursing Council of Kenya for the Financial Years 2012/2013 to 2024/2025;
i) Media Council of Kenya for the Financial Years 2013/2014 to 2024/2025;
j) The Institute of Human Resource Management for the Financial Years 2016/2017 to 2024/2025;
k) Nyayo Tea Zones Development Corporation for the Financial Years 1998/1999 to 2022/2023;
l) Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital for the Financial Years 2017/2018 to 2020/2021;
m) Kenya Veterinary Vaccines Production Institute for the Financial Years 2012/2013 to 2024/2025;
n) The Kenyatta National Hospital for the Financial Years 2020/2021 to 2024/2025; and
o) Bukura Agricultural College for the Financial Years 2015/2016 to 2024/2025.

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

8. QUESTIONS

The appearance of the Cabinet Secretary for Youth Affairs, Creative Economy and Sports before plenary to respond to provide a Report on the state of preparedness for Kenya to host AFCON 2027 was deferred.

9. STATEMENTS

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

(i) The Member for Mandera West (Hon. Yussuf Adan) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security regarding disappearance of *Mr. Ayub Mohamud* in Nairobi City County;

(ii) The Member for Isiolo County (Hon. Mumina Bonaya) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Administration and Internal Security regarding the deteriorating state of security in Isiolo County; and

(iii) The Member for Kibwezi East (Hon. Jessica Mbalu) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy regarding delayed implementation of Last Mile Connectivity Projects in Kibwezi East Constituency.

10. THE TRADE DESCRIPTION (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 42 OF 2026)

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, the Trade Description (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 42 of 2026) be now read a Second Time.

(Leader of the Majority Party – 10.11.2026)

Debate having been concluded on Tuesday, November 10, 2026*;*

Question put and agreed to;

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

11. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

Order for Committee read;

IN THE COMMITTEE

The Third Chairperson of Committees in the Chair

(i) The Anti-Doping (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 66 of 2026)

Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 & 24 - agreed to.

Clause 2 - agreed to.

Title - agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported without amendments.

(ii) The Kenya Judiciary Academy Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 42 of 2025)

Clause 3 - amendment proposed-

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

(a) establish the Academy as a center of excellence in matters relating to continuing education and training of judges, judicial officers and judicial staff on behalf of the Commission;

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 3 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 4 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 4 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (2) by deleting the word "of" appearing immediately after the word "doing" in paragraph (d) and substituting therefor the word "or"; and

(b) by deleting subclause (4) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

(4) Despite the provisions of subsection (3), the Commission may establish campuses of the Academy in any other county.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 4 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 5 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 5 of the Bill be amended by—

(a) deleting the opening statement and substituting therefor the following new opening statement—

5. The Academy shall, on behalf of the Commission—

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

(a) prepare and implement programmes for the continuing education and training of judges, judicial officers and judicial staff;

(c) deleting paragraph (b).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 5 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 6 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 6 of the Bill be amended—

(a) in subclause (1), by deleting the word "on" appearing immediately after the word "vest" in the opening statement and substituting therefor the word "in"; and

(b) in subclause (3), by deleting the expression "(2)" appearing immediately after the word "subsection" and substituting therefor the expression "(1)".

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 6 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 7 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 7 of the Bill be amended—

(a) by deleting the marginal note and substituting therefor the following marginal note—

Powers of the Board.

(b) by deleting subclause (1);

(c) in subclause (3), by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

(a) make policy and provide oversight over the Academy;

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 7 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 8 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 8 of the Bill be amended by deleting subclause (2) and substituting therefor the following new subclause—

(2) The Board may establish such committees as may be necessary for the effective performance of its functions.

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 8 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 9 - agreed to.

Clause 10 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 10 of the Bill be amended—

a. in subclause (1), by deleting the word "Board" appearing immediately after the words "appointed by" and substituting therefor the word "Commission"; and

(b) in subclause (4), by deleting the word "Board" appearing immediately after the words "assigned by" and substituting therefor the word "Commission".

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 10 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 11 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 11 of the Bill be amended in subsection (4) by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting therefor the following new paragraph—

(a) the accounting officer and head of staff of the Academy;

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 11 - as amended agreed to.

Clause 12 - agreed to.

Clause 13 - amendment proposed-

THAT, Clause 13 of the Bill be amended in subclause (1) by—

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

(a) monies allocated to the Commission for purposes of the Academy and approved by the National Assembly;

(b) deleting paragraph (b); and

(c) deleting paragraph (c).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Clause 13 - as amended agreed to.

Clauses 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 & 20- agreed to.

Schedule - agreed to.

Clause 2 - agreed to.

Title - amendment proposed-

THAT, the Bill be amended by deleting the long title and substituting therefor the following new long title—

AN ACT of Parliament to give effect to Article 172(1)(d) of the Constitution by establishing the Kenya Judiciary Academy to prepare and implement programmes for continuing education and training of judges, judicial officers and judicial staff on behalf of the Judicial Service Commission and for connected purposes

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Question of the amendment proposed;

There being no debate arising;

Question of the amendment put and agreed to;

Title - as amended agreed to.

Clause 1 - agreed to.

Bill to be reported with amendments.

12. HOUSE RESUMED - Third Chairperson of Committees in the Chair

(i) The Anti-Doping (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 66 of 2026)

Bill reported without 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 Anti-Doping (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 66 of 2026).

(Hon. Robert Basil, Member-Departmental Committee on Sports and Culture)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, the Anti-Doping (Amendment) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 66 of 2026) be now read a Third Time.

(Hon. Robert Basil, Member-Departmental Committee on Sports and Culture)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Third Time and passed.

(ii) The Kenya Judiciary Academy Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 42 of 2025)

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 Judiciary Academy Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 42 of 2025).

(Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs)

Debate arising;

Question for agreement deferred.

13. MOTION – NINETEENTH REPORT ON THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE NG-CDF FOR CONSTITUENCIES IN NAIROBI AND KAJIADO COUNTIES FOR FYs 2013/2014 TO 2024/2025

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, this House **adopts** the Nineteenth Report of the Decentralized Funds Accounts Committee on its consideration of the audited financial statements of the National Government Constituencies Development Fund (NG-CDF) for Constituencies in Nairobi and Kajiado Counties for the Financial Years 2013/2014, 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017, 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022, 2022/2023, 2023/2024 and 2024/2025, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 6th October 2026.*

(Chairperson, Decentralized Funds Accounts Committee)

Debate interrupted on Tuesday, November 10, 2026 resumed;

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question deferred.

14. MOTION – CONSIDERATION OF SEVENTEEN BILATERAL AIR SERVICES AGREEMENTS

Motion made and Question proposed-

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure on its consideration of the Bilateral Air Service Agreements with various countries, laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 5th November 2026, and pursuant to the provisions of section 8(4) of the Treaty Making and Ratification Act, Cap 4D, **approves** the Ratification of the following Bilateral Air Service Agreements –

1) Government of the Republic of Kenya and the United Kingdom;
2) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Republic of South Korea;
3)) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Kingdom of Morocco;
4) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Republic of Poland;
5) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Republic of Haiti; and Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of Cabo Verde;
6) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Sultanate of Oman;
7) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Republic of Algeria;
8) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Federative Republic of Brazil;
9) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Republic of Zimbabwe;
10) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Grand Duchy of Luxembourg;
11) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Government of the Federal Republic of Somalia;
12) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and Republic of Iceland;
13) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Dominican Republic;
14) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Russian Federation;
15) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Republic of Guinea;
16) Agreement between the
17) Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Kenya and the Kingdom of Eswatini.

(Hon. Kibet Komingoi, Member-Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure)

Debate arising;

Mover replied;

Putting of the Question deferred.

15. MOTION - REPORT ON INSPECTION VISITS TO CONSTITUENCY OFFICES IN NAKURU COUNTY

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Committee on Members' Services and Facilities on inspection visits to Constituency Offices in Nakuru County, *laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, 11th June 2026.*

(Chairperson, Committee on Members' Services and Facilities)

Debate arising;
Mover replied;
Putting of the Question deferred.

16. MOTION - REPORT ON THE PEACE AND SECURITY ENGAGEMENT IN ISIOLO COUNTY

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity on the peace and security engagement in Isiolo County, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 1st July 2026.*

(Chairperson, Committee on National Cohesion and Equal Opportunity)

Debate arising;
Mover replied;
Putting of the Question deferred.

17. MOTION - REPORT ON BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION MONITORING FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2025/2026

Order Read
Order deferred.

18. MOTION - TWENTIETH REPORT ON AUDITED ACCOUNTS OF THE NG-CDF FOR CONSTITUENCIES IN FOUR COUNTIES

Motion made and Question proposed—

THAT, this House **adopts** the Twentieth Report of the Decentralized Funds Accounts Committee on its examination of audited accounts of the National Government Constituencies Development Fund for Constituencies in Elgeyo Marakwet, Trans Nzoia, Turkana and West Pokot Counties for the Financial Years 2013/2014, 2014/2015, 2015/2016, 2016/2017, 2017/2018, 2018/2019, 2019/2020, 2020/2021, 2021/2022 and 2022/2023, *laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 3rd November 2026.*

(Chairperson, Decentralized Funds Accounts Committee)

Rising in his place under Standing Order 96, the Member for Magarini (Hon. Harisson Kombe) claimed to move that the debate be now adjourned.

The Third Chairperson being of the opinion that the dilatory motion was not an abuse of proceedings of the House proposed the question on the motion;

Question on the motion for adjournment of debate put and agreed to.

19. THE COMMISSION OF INQUIRY (AMENDMENT) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 23 OF 2026)

Order for Second Reading Read
Order deferred.

And the time being twenty-six minutes past six O'clock, the Third Chairperson adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

20. HOUSE ROSE -at twenty-six minutes past six O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on,
Thursday, 12th November 2026 at 2.30 p.m.

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