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**SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS**

**MONDAY, 17<sup>TH</sup> JULY TO FRIDAY, 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY, 2023**

In accordance with standing order 44, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing **Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> July to Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023** is hereby published.

Members of the public attending the hearings will be admitted on a "*first-come first-serve basis*" and in accordance with the Speaker's Rules on admittance to parliamentary hearings.

	<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>DATE &amp; VENUE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>AGENDA</b>
1.	<b>Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup>, July, 2023 Committee Room 5, Parliament Buildings</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	1. Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development to respond to the following Statements-  (i) Statement sought by Sen. Enoch Wambua, MP, regarding the current drought mitigation programmes in Arid and Semi-Arid Lands. (ii) Statement sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, regarding the planned importation of 10,000 bags of maize by the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development; (iii) Statement sought by Sen. Godfrey Osotsi, MP, regarding the National

				<p>Agricultural and Rural Inclusive Growth Program (NARIGP);</p> <p>(iv) Statement sought by Sen. Alexander Mundigi, MP, regarding the state of macadamia nut production and marketing; and</p> <p>(v) Statement sought by Sen. Alexander Munyi, MP, regarding the status of the Horticultural Crops Directorate.</p> <p>2. Meeting with the Principal Secretary, State Department for Crop Development and the Director General, Agriculture and Food Authority, for submission on the Agriculture and Food Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 13 of 2023).</p>
		<p><b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Committee Room 5, Parliament Buildings.</b></p>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<p>Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation for deliberation on the Petition concerning the EACC Graft Investigation on the West Kano Irrigation Scheme.</p>
2.	<p><b>Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernmental Relations</b></p>	<p><b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Caucus 110, First Floor, KICC</b></p>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	<p>Consideration of-</p> <p>(i) The Legislative Proposal on the County Assembly Service (Amendment) Bill, 2023; and</p> <p>(ii) The Statement sought by Sen. Mohamed Said Chute, MP concerning the acquisition and distribution of relief supplies by the County Government of Marsabit and neighbouring counties.</p>
		<p><b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<p>Meeting with the Governor, Nyeri County and the Petitioner on the Petition concerning the non-absorption of contracted instructors</p>

		<b>VIP Annex II, Boardroom, First Floor, KICC Building</b>		under the Economic Stimulus Programme (ESP) by the County Government of Nyeri.
3.	<b>Standing Committee on Education</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, the National Treasury and Economic Planning to deliberate on the issues raised in the Petition concerning the 1997-2007 retired teachers' claim.
		<b>VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC</b>		
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the petitioners in the Petition concerning salary arrears for P1 teachers with 'A' Level academic qualification from 1996 to 2010.
		<b>VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC</b>		
4.	<b>Standing Committee on Energy</b>	<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Pre-publication scrutiny of the following legislative proposals- (i) The Local Content Bill, 2023; and (ii) The Energy (Amendment) Bill, 2023.
		<b>Ground Floor Boardroom County Hall</b>		
5.	<b>Standing Committee on Health</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	1. Consideration of legislative business before the Committee. 2. Deliberation on the Work Plan of the Committee.
		<b>VVIP Boardroom Annex II, KICC Building</b>		
6.	<b>Standing Committee on Finance and Budget</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	1. Consideration and adoption of the Quarterly Statement for the period commencing 1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023. 2. Consideration of the Cash Disbursement Schedule for FY 2023/2024.
		<b>County Hall Ground Floor Boardroom</b>		
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Consideration of-  (i) The report of the Committee on the Cash Disbursement Schedule for FY 2023/24;

		<b>County Hall Ground Floor Boardroom</b>		<p>(ii) A brief on the County Governments (Revenue Raising Process) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 22 of 2023); and</p> <p>(iii) A brief on the Public Finance Management Amendment Bill, 2023 (National Assembly Bills No. 16 of 2023).</p>
7.	<b>Standing Committee on Information, Communication and Technology</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Committee Room 5, Main Parliament Building</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the Chief Executive Officer, American Tower Corporation (ATC) Kenya on concerns regarding Critical Telecommunication Infrastructure.
8.	<b>Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Red Cross Building, First Floor Boardroom</b>	<b>8.00 am</b>	Consideration of-  (i) Legislative business before the Committee; and (ii) Work Plan of the Committee for Part IV of the Second Session.
		<b>Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Committee Room 5, First Floor, Parliament Buildings</b>	<b>8.00 am</b>	Consideration of -  (i) The Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 15 of 2023); (ii) The response to the Statement sought by Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP, on early release of inmates convicted of minor offenses; and (iii) The Statement sought by Sen. David Wakoli, MP, regarding pending bills occasioned by the Senatorial by-election in Bungoma County.
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Committee Room 4, First Floor,</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Meeting with -  (i) The Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development; and

		<b>Parliament Buildings</b>		(ii) The Managing Director, National Bank of Kenya Limited;  to discuss the Petition by Ms. Zipporah C. K. Seroney concerning the mistreatment, harassment, property loss and human rights violations meted on the family of the late Hon. Jean Marie Seroney
		<b>Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Kapsabet, Nandi County</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with-  (i) The Petitioner; (ii) Kipkures Farmers Limited; and (iii) Other Stakeholders;  to discuss the Petition by Ms. Zipporah C. K. Seroney regarding mistreatment, harassment, property loss and human rights violations meted on the family of the late Hon. Jean Marie Seroney
		<b>Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Tinderet, Nandi County</b>	<b>3.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the local community and visit to the key sites relating to the Petition by Ms. Zipporah C. K. Seroney concerning mistreatment, harassment, property loss and human rights violations meted on the family of the late Hon. Jean Marie Seroney
9.	<b>Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Senate Chamber, Main Parliament Building</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with-  (i) the Teachers Service Commission; (ii) the Kenya Women Teachers Association; and (iii) the Petitioners;  to deliberate on the Petition concerning unlawful deductions of salaries of female teachers by the Kenya Women Teachers Association (KEWOTA).
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	

		<i>Virtual Meeting</i>		Pre-publication scrutiny of a legislative proposal: the Labour Migration Bill, 2023.
10.	<b>Standing Committee on Land, Environment and Natural Resources</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>Amphitheatre, KICC Building</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Climate Change and Forestry for deliberations on - <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The Petition concerning degazettement of Land Reference No. 12493, situated West of Rumuruti Township in Laikipia County;</li> <li>2. The Message by Nyandarua County Assembly on the resolution on a motion petitioning the Senate to ensure the exploitation of the forest harvest in the Aberdare Forest and other public forests in Nyandarua is done within the legal framework;</li> <li>3. The Petition concerning destruction of 41 hectares Siany Wetlands- L.R.NO. North Mugirango/Magwagwa II/403;</li> <li>4. The Petition concerning delayed degazettement of approximately 1,577.86 hectares of land in Lugari/Turbo Forest;</li> <li>5. The Statement sought by Sen. (Prof.) Tom Odhiambo</li> </ol>

				<p>Ojienda, SC, MP, regarding measures towards the attainment of the recommended healthy forest cover levels nationally and, more specifically, in Kisumu County.</p> <p>6. The Statement sought by Sen. George Osotsi, MP, regarding the harvesting of cypress trees at Kibiri Forest, Vihiga County; and</p> <p>7. The Statement sought by Sen. Hamida Kibwana, MP, concerning the lifting of the ban on logging in public and community forests in Kenya.</p>
		<p><b>Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Committee Room 4, Main Parliament Building</b></p>	<b>8.00 am</b>	<p>Meeting with petitioners concerning the illegal demolition of houses by the Kenya Power and Lighting Company in Chokaa, Mihang'o Area in Nairobi City County.</p>
		<p><b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Caucus 110, Boardroom, First Floor, KICC Building</b></p>	<b>9.00 am</b>	<p>Meeting with the Managing Director, Kenya Airports Authority on the following Statements-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Statement sought by Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP, concerning the residents of Ikanga whose land was encroached on by the Kenya Airports Authority; and</li> <li>2. Statement sought by Sen. Chimera Raphael Mwinzago, MP, concerning the compensation of residents displaced around Ukunda Airstrip.</li> </ol>
11.	<p><b>Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional</b></p>	<p><b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b></p> <p><b>Shimba Hills KICC</b></p>	<b>11.00 am</b>	<p>Meeting with the Commissioner General, Kenya Revenue Authority for deliberation on the responses to a Statement sought by Sen. Jackson Mandago, EGH, MP, on the reservation of five percent of</p>

	<b>Integration</b>			employment positions for Persons With Disabilities (PWDs) in the public sector.
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>First Floor Boardroom, Red Cross Building.</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Consideration of responses to a Statement sought by Sen. Beth Syengo, MP, on the actualization of the not more than two-thirds gender principle in the Counties.
12.	<b>Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>Impala, KICC Building</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the petitioners to deliberate on the Petition concerning rampant livestock theft in Kajiado East and Kajiado West Sub-Counties and Kajiado County at large
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>Impala Room Room, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>12.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the Chairperson, Security and Foreign Affairs Committee of the Council of Governors to deliberate on the Petition concerning the recognition and remuneration of village elders under the <i>Nyumba Kumi</i> Initiative.



13.	<b>Standing Committee on Roads, Transportation and Housing</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Amphitheatre, KICC Building</b>	<b>11.00 am</b>	Consideration of <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Statement sought by Sen. (Prof.) Tom Ojienda, SC, MP, regarding the state of the 63 km Kisumu-Chemelil-Muhoroni Road;</li> <li>2. Statement sought by Sen. Miraj Abdulahi, MP, regarding landing rights for scheduled international flights to Moi International Airport; and</li> <li>3. <i>Kauli ya Sen. Mohamed Faki, MP, Kuhusu Kusimama Kwa Ujenzi wa Barabara ya Mzunguko wa Barclays hadi Makutano ya Jomvu, Barabara ya Magongo hadi Makutano ya Jomvu na Barabara ya Makutano ya Jomvu hadi SGR-Mombasa.</i></li> </ol>
14.	<b>Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Caucus 110 Board Room, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Meeting with the Commissioner of Cooperatives and the Liquidator, Drumvale Farmers' Cooperative Society in Machakos County on the Statement requested by Sen. Agnes Muthama, MP, on the liquidation of Drumvale Farmers' Cooperative Society Ltd, Machakos County.
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Caucus 110, Boardroom, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>11.00 am</b>	Meeting with Sen. (Dr.) James Murango, MP, to consider the response from the State Department for Industry on the Statement regarding the marketing of Kenyan produce in foreign markets.

15.	<b>County Public Accounts Committee (CPAC)</b>	<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>Shimba Hills Hall, KICC Building</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Isiolo to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
16.	<b>County Public Investments and Special Funds Committee</b>	<b>Monday, 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Embu to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of Embu Water and Sanitation Company Limited and Kyeni Water and Sewerage Company Limited for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
			<b>2.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Busia to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of the Busia Water and Sewerage Services Company Limited for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
		<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Samburu to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of the Samburu Water and Sanitation Company Limited for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
			<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Nyandarua to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of Nyandarua Water and Sanitation Company Limited & Nyahururu Water and Sanitation Company for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b> <b>VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC Building</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of West Pokot to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of the Kapenguria Water and Sewerage Services Company Limited for Financial Years for 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.

			<b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with the County Executive of Baringo to consider the Auditor General's Reports on the Financial Statements of the Kirandich Water Company Limited for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
17.	<b>Committee on Delegated Legislation</b>	<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Lake Turkana Boardroom, K.I.C.C</b>	<b>11.00 am</b>	Consideration of Crops (Miraa) Regulations, 2023
18.	<b>Ad hoc Committee on Proliferation of Religious Organizations</b>	<b>Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Amphitheatre, K.I.C.C</b>	<b>9.00 am</b> <b>10.00 am</b>	Meeting with-  (i) The Director of Public Prosecutions ; (ii) The Director of Criminal Investigations; and (iii) The Director of the National Intelligence Service; to apprise the Committee on the status of investigations on the Shakahola tragedy.
			<b>1.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Education to deliberate on curriculum changes that can be effected to sensitize learners on religious extremism and religious indoctrination.
			<b>2.00 pm</b>	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Information, Communication and the Digital Economy to deliberate on-  (i) The current framework regulating the airing of media programs on television, radio, print media and social media for religious organizations and their activities; and (ii) The sanctions set by the Ministry of Information, Communications and the Digital Economy for violating the set guidelines the airing of media programs.

		<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Amphitheatre, K.I.C.C</b>	<b>9.00 am 9.30 am</b>	Briefing Public Hearing to seek proposals on the following areas- (i) The legislative gaps on the registration framework for religious organizations; (ii) Proposals on regulations of religious activities in the country; and (iii) Any other recommendation that will help prevent religious organizations from extreme indoctrination of their followers including radicalization, spiritual and financial exploitation.
19	<b>Ad hoc Committee on the Compensation to the Kenyan Victims of the 1998 Bombing of the United States of American Embassy in Nairobi</b>	<b>Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> July, 2023</b>  <b>Senate Chamber</b>	<b>8.30 am</b>	Election of the Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of the Committee

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