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SCHEDULE OF COMMITTEE SITTINGS

MONDAY, 5TH JUNE TO FRIDAY, 9TH JUNE, 2023

In accordance with standing order 44, the Schedule of Committee Sittings for the week commencing Monday, 5th June to Friday, 9th June, 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.

	COMMITTEE	DATE & VENUE	TIME	AGENDA
1.	Standing Committee on Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Committee Room 5, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings	10.00 am	Consideration and adoption of- 1. The amendments on the Cotton Industry and Development Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 5 of 2023); and 2. The draft report on the Cotton Industry Development Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 5 of 2023)
		Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 First Floor Boardroom Red Cross, Building	9.00 am	Consideration of- 1. A Legislative Proposal on the Nuts and Oil Crops Development Bill, 2023; and 2. The Tea (Amendment) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 1 of 2023).

2. Standing Committee on Devolution and Intergovernment al Relations	Monday 5 th June, 2023 Virtual Meeting	8.00 am	Consideration of- 1. A request for Statement by Sen. Mohamed Chute, MP on the acquisition and distribution of funds for relief supplies by the County Government of Marsabit and its neighboring counties; and 2. Pre-publication scrutiny of the County Governments (Amendment) Bill by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP.
	Tuesday 6 th June, 2023 Senate Chamber, Main Parliament Buildings	9.00 am	Joint Sitting with the Standing Committee on Labour and Social Welfare to receive a presentation on a report on the activities of the National Council of Persons with Disabilities.
	Thursday 8 th June, 2023 Senate Chambers, Main Parliament Buildings	10.00 am	Meeting with- 1. The Petitioners; 2. The Governor of Kajiado County; and 3. The Municipal Manager of Kajiado County; to deliberate on the Petition on the refurbishment and expansion of Kajiado Municipality Market by the County Government of Kajiado.
	Friday 9 th June, 2023 Nakuru County	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Assembly Forum to deliberate on issues of mutual interest and the strengthening of devolution.
3. Standing Committee on Education	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 First Floor Boardroom,	10.00 am	Consideration of the Kenyan Sign Language Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 9 of 2023).

		Red Cross Building		
4.	Standing Committee on Energy	Thursday 8 th June, 2023 Committee Room 5, Main Parliament Buildings	10.00 am	Meeting with the Electricity Sector Association of Kenya on the high cost of electricity in Kenya.
5.	Standing Committee on Finance and Budget	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall	10.00 am	Meeting with Council of Governors and the Commission on Revenue Allocation to deliberate on the Equalization Fund (Administration) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2023).
		Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Ground Floor Boardroom, County Hall	10.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, National Treasury and Economic Planning to deliberate on the Equalization Fund (Administration) Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No. 14 of 2023).
6.	Standing Committee on Health	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Caucus 110 Boardroom, First Floor, KICC Building Thursday, 8 th June, 2023	10.00 am 9.00 am	Meeting with - 1. Dr. Josephine Mburu, former Principal Secretary, State Department of Medical Services, Ministry of Health; 2. Hon. Daniel Rono, former Chairperson, Kenya Medical Supplies Authority; 3. Ms. Terry Kiunge Ramadhani, former Chief Executive Officer, Kenya Medical Supplies Authority; 4. Global Fund Coordinator, Global Fund Principal Recipient; and 5. Mr. Patrick Kanyugo Wanjuki, Director-General, Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) to deliberate on the alleged irregularities in the procurement of long-lasting insecticidal nets at the Kenya Medical Supplies Authority. Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Trade, Investment and Industry to deliberate on the Statement

		VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC Building	11.00 am	Sought by Sen. Samson Cherarkey, MP, regarding the recall and suspension of several edible oil products from various manufacturers in Kenya by the Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS). Meeting with the Board and Ag. Chief Executive Officer, Kenya Medical Supplies Authority (KEMSA) to deliberate on alleged irregularities in the procurement of long-lasting insecticidal nets at the Kenya Medical Supplies Authority.
		Friday, 9 th June, 2023 Kiambu County	9.00 am	Consultative meeting with the Health Caucus of the County Assembly Forum to deliberate on issues affecting the delivery of devolved health services.
7.	Standing Committee on Information Communication and Technology	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC Building	9.00 am	Consideration and Adoption of the Report of the Committee on the Konza Technopolis Bill, 2023 (Senate Bills No.2 of 2023).
8.	Standing Committee on Justice, Legal Affairs and Human Rights	Monday, 5 th June, 2023 Nairobi City County	9.00 am	Consideration of Committee Reports on- 1. The Petition by Mr. Paulo Mosbei concerning historical injustices suffered by the Torobeek community; 2. The Petition by the Kipsigis Community Clans Organization members concerning land injustices suffered by the Kipsigis community; and 3. Petition by Mr. Nayan Savla regarding the delay in launching the victims' rights charter under the Victim Protection Act (No. 17 of 2014).
		Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Committee Room 5, First	8.00 am	Consideration of the Constitution of Kenya (Amendment) Bill (Senate Bills No. 15 of 2023).

		Floor, Main Parliament Buildings		
		Thursday, 8 th May, 2023	8.00 am	Meeting with Sen. Crystal Asige, MP to deliberate on the following legislative proposals-
		Committee		1. The draft Constitution of Kenya
		Room 5, First		(Amendment) Bill, 2023; and
		Floor, Main Parliament		2. The draft County Governments (Amendment) Bill, 2023.
		Buildings		(Amendment) Bin, 2023.
9.	Standing	Tuesday 6 th	9.00 am	Joint Sitting with the Standing
	Committee on	June, 2023		Committee on Devolution and
	Labour and			Intergovernmental Relations to receive a
	Social Welfare	Senate		presentation on a report on the activities of the National Council of Persons with
		Chamber,		Disabilities.
		Main		Disabilities.
		Parliament		
		Building		
		Thursday, 8 th	9.00 am	Meeting to deliberate on the Petition
		June, 2023		concerning alleged fraud by the First
				Choice Recruitment and Consultancy Agency.
		Impala	11.00 am	Meeting with-
		Meeting		1.The Ministry of Labour and Social
		Room,		Protection;
		KICC		2. The Ministry of Health;
		Building		3. The National Employment Authority;4. The Inspector General of Police;
				5. The Commissioner of Insurance and
				6. The Management of the First Choice
				Recruitment and Consultancy
				Agency
				to deliberate on the Petition concerning the alleged fraud by the First Choice
				Recruitment and Consultancy Agency.
10.	Standing	Tuesday, 6 th	9.00 am	Meeting with the Cabinet Secretary,
	Committee on	June, 2023		Ministry of Environment, Climate
	Land,			Change and Forestry and the Kenya
	Environment and Natural	Lake Turkana		Forest Service regarding- 1. The Petition concerning degazettment
	Resources	Boardroom,		of Land Reference No. 12493,
		First Floor,		situated West of Rumuruti Township

11.	Standing Committee on National Cohesion, Equal Opportunity and Regional Integration	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Mini Chamber, County Hall Building	10.00 am	in Laikipia County; and 2.A Message by the 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 legal framework. Joint Meeting with National Assembly Committee on Regional Integration to consider the Joint Memorandum on the East African Community Political Federation.
	integration	Dunumg	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Council of Governors to discuss their response on a Statement sought by Sen. Beth Syengo, MP on the two-thirds gender rule in Counties and other emerging issues.
		Thursday, 8 th June 2023 First Floor Boardroom, Red Cross Building	11.00 am	Consideration of- 1. A Report on Tharaka Nithi Peace Building; and 2. A Statement sought by Sen. Mwenda Gataya Mo' Fire, MP regarding plans to facilitate the residents of Machabeni Sub-location to return to their homes.
12.	Standing Committee on National Security, Defence and Foreign Relations	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC Building	12.00 pm	Briefing on banditry in Kenya and a comparative analysis with other jurisdictions.
		Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 VIP Annex II, First Floor, KICC Building	12.00 pm	Briefing on the County Visit to Elgeyo Marakwet County on the Resolution by the County Assembly of Elgeyo Marakwet County on measures to curb banditry in Kerio Valley.

13.	Standing Committee on Roads, Transportation and Housing	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Amphitheatre, KICC Building	9.00 am	 1.Pre-publication scrutiny of the Motorcycle Public Transport Service Bill, 2023; 2.Consideration of responses from the County Government of Mombasa and Buxton Point Apartments Ltd. in respect of a Petition concerning eviction and demolition of Buxton Estate, Mombasa.
		Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Amphitheatre, KICC Building	9.00 am	1. Consideration of the following Statements- a.) Statement by Sen. Shakila Abdalla, MP regarding delay in compensation by the Kenya Ports Authority (KPA) to fishermen in Lamu County affected by the LAPPSET Corridor project; b) Statement by Sen. Johnes Mwaruma, MP regarding the status of the Bura-Mghange-Werugha-Wundanyi-Mbale-Mto Mwagoti and Chala-Njukini-Illasit roads in Taita Taveta County; c) Statement by Sen. James Kamau Murango, MP regarding the status of the project to upgrade the Kutus-Kimbimbi-Kanjini-Piai Road in Kirinyaga County to bitumen standard; and 2. Meeting with Directors of Jamii Bora Charitable Trust in respect of a Petition concerning access to title deeds for properties bought at Jamii Bora Estate.

14. Standing Committee on Trade, Industrialization and Tourism	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Caucus 110 Boardroom, First Floor, KICC Building	8.00 am	Consideration and adoption of Committee Reports on - 1. The Integrated Agro-Industrial Parks Study in Ethiopia (12 th to 18th February, 2023); and 2. The 22 nd EAC Trade Fair in Kampala, Uganda, 2022;
	Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Committee Room 4, First Floor, Main Parliament Buildings	9.00 am	Meeting with Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry to apprise the Committee on the- 1. The status of the Special Economic Zones and Industrial Parks in the Counties; and 2. Importation of edible oils, rice, maize and others and the impact on the prices of these essential commodities.
15. County Public Accounts Committee (CPAC)	Monday, 5 th June, 2023 VIP Annex II, Boardroom, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Assembly of Nyamira to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Monday, 5 th June, 2023 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Assembly of Nandi to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Monday, 5 th June, 2023 VIP Annex II, Boardroom, First Floor KICC Building	2.30 pm	Meeting with the County Assembly of Marsabit to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Monday, 5 th June, 2023	2.30 pm	Meeting with the County Assembly of Migori to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial

	Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor KICC Building Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Shimba Hills, Boardroom, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Statements for Financial Years 2018/2019 and 2019/2020. Meeting with the County Executive of Isiolo to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Executive of Baringo to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Shimba Hills, Boardroom, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Executive of Embu to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
	Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Shimba Hills Hall, First Floor KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the County Executive of Elgeyo Marakwet to consider the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements for Financial Year 2019/2020.
16. County Investm Special Commit	rents and Funds ttee VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC	10.00 am	Meeting with the Council of Governors to consider the matter of widespread non-remittance of pension deductions by County Governments.
	Building	12.00 pm	Meeting with the Controller of Budget to consider the matter of widespread non-remittance of pension deductions by County Governments.

			2.00 pm	Meeting with the National Treasury and Economic Planning to consider the matter of widespread non-remittance of pension deductions by County Governments.
		Tuesday, 6 th June, 2023 VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the Wajir County Executive to consider the Auditor General's Report on the Financial Statements of Wajir Water and Sanitation company for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
		Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 VIP Lounge, First Floor, KICC Building	10.00 am	Meeting with the Busia County Executive to consider the Auditor General's Report on the Financial Statements of Busia Water and Sewerage Services Company Limited for Financial Years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.
17.	Committee on Delegated Legislation	Thursday, 8 th June, 2023 Lake Turkana Boardroom, First Floor, KICC	11.00 am	Consideration of the Crops (MIRAA) Regulations, 2023.
18.	Ad hoc Committee on Proliferation of Religious Organizations	Friday 9 th June, 2023 Senate Chamber, Main Parliament Buildings	10.00 am	Meeting with the following Religious Organizations- 1. The Conference of Catholic Bishops (KCCB); 2. The Evangelical Alliance of Kenya (EAK); and 3. The National Council of Churches of Kenya (NCCK); and 4. The Hindu Council of Kenya

<u>Note:</u> The Schedule is also available on the Parliamentary website <u>www.parliament.go.ke</u>.