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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT - THIRD SESSION

THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2024 AT 9.30 AM

- **1.** The House assembled at thirty minutes past Nine clock.
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer.
- **3. Presiding –** the Deputy Speaker.

4. QUORUM AT COMMENCEMENT

There being no Quorum present to commence business, the Deputy Speaker ordered that the Quorum Bell be rung for ten minutes;

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

5. MESSAGES

The Deputy Speaker reported the following Message from the Senate—

Approval of the Mediated Version of the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2024)

"Honourable Members, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(5), I wish to report to the House that I received a Message from the Senate regarding the approval of the Mediated Version of the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2024) by the Senate. The Message conveys that on Wednesday, 29th May 2024, the Senate considered and **approved** the mediated version of the Division of Revenue Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 14 of 2024) in the form developed by the Mediation Committee.

Honourable Members, you may recall that the said Bill was committed to a mediation committee pursuant to Article 112(1)(b) of the Constitution following the National Assembly's rejection of Senate amendments to the Bill on Monday, 13th May 2024.

You will further recall that in the morning Sitting of today, Wednesday 5th June 2024, this House also approved the mediated version of the said Bill in the form developed by the Mediation Committee.

The approval of the mediated version of the Division pf Revenue Bill, 2024 by both Houses of Parliament therefore concludes the bicameral consideration of the Bill in accordance with Article 110(5) of the Constitution.

Honourable Members, in this regard, and in accordance with the provisions of Article 113(3) of the Constitution, I will proceed to present the Bill to His Excellency the President for Assent. The House is accordingly informed. I thank you!"

6. PAPERS

The following Paper was laid on the Table of the House -

- (i) Reports of the Auditor-General and Financial Statements for the year ended 30th June 2023 and the certificates therein in respect of:
 - (a) Kenya Broadcasting Corporation;
 - (b) Kenya School of Government;
 - (c) Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology Noodles Limited;
 - (d) Kenya Animal Genetic Resources Centre;
 - (e) Gatitu Tea Factory Limited;
 - (f) Kenya Tsetse and Trypanosomiasis Eradication Council;
 - (g) Moi Teachers College Baringo;
 - (h) National Youth Service:
 - (i) Kenya Engineering Technology Registration Board;
 - (j) Road Maintenance Levy Fund Kenya Urban Roads Authority;
 - (k) Anti-Doping Agency of Kenya;
 - (1) Engineers Board of Kenya;
 - (m) Technical University of Mombasa Enterprises Limited;
 - (n) Cherang'any Marakwet Water and Sanitation Company Limited;
 - (o) Kibabii University;
 - (p) National Health Insurance Fund;
 - (q) Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology;
 - (r) Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority; and
 - (s) Financial Inclusion Fund.

(Hon. Naomi Waqo, MP - Deputy Majority Party Whip)

- (ii) Reports of the Departmental Committee on Health on -
 - (a) Its attendance of the XXIV FIGO World Congress of Gynaecology and Obstetrics at the Paris Convention Centre, France, from 9th to 13th October 2023; and
 - (b) Its experiential learning visit regarding the Harm Reduction Programme for persons who use and inject drugs, held in Mauritius from 20th to 24th November 2023.

(Hon. (Dr.) Robert Pukose, MP - Chairperson, Departmental Committee on Health)

7. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 44(2)(C)

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(c)—

- (a) The Member for Gatanga (Hon. Wakili Edward, MP) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Finance and National Planning regarding the inordinate delay by Kenya to ratify the Agreement for the establishment of the Africa Finance Corporation (AFC).
- (b) The Member for Loima (Hon. Protus Akujah, MP) requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Social Protection regarding the disbursement of the Presidential Secondary School Bursary.
- (c) The Member for Ijara (Hon. Abdi Ali Abdi, MP) requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Departmental Committee on Energy regarding power outages in Masalani and Ijara Wards in Ijara Constituency.

8. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 44(2)(e)

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 44(2)(e), the Member for Navakholo (Hon. Emmanuel Wangwe, MP) issued a personal Statement regarding the demise of his mother.

9. PROCEDURAL MOTION - REDUCTION OF PUBLICATION PERIOD OF A SPECIFIED BILL

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 120, this House **resolves** to reduce the publication period of the Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024) from **seven (7) days to one (1) day.**

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

There being no debate arising;

Question pout and agreed to.

10. THE SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 32 OF 2024)

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Order for First Reading Read;

Bill Read a First Time and committed to the relevant committee pursuant to Standing Order 127(1).

11. THE SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 32 OF 2024)

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024) be now read a Second Time.

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Debate arising;

Mover Replied;

Question put and agreed to.

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

12. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

Order for committee read;

IN THE COMMITTEE

(In the Chair - The First Chairperson of Committees)

The Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024)

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

First Schedule - Amendment proposed—

THAT, the First Schedule to the Bill be amended—

- a) in vote R1071, by deleting the figure **Kshs.8,818,125,506** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0717000 General Administration Planning and Support Services** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 9,489,125,560.**
- b) in vote R1071, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 2,127,400,766** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0718000 Public Financial Management** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 386,400,766.**
- c) in vote R1071, by deleting the figure Kshs. 74,040,000 in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0719000 Economic and Financial Policy Formulation and Management** and substituting therefor the figure, Kshs. 124,040,000.
- d) in vote D1071, by deleting the figure **Kshs.1,686,784,580** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0717000 General Administration Planning and Support Services** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 1,086,784,580**.
- e) in vote D1071, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 5,677,875,310 in** Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0718000 Public Financial Management** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 6,977,875,310.**
- f) in vote D1071, by deleting the figure Kshs. 3,292,790,000 in Column 3 (Supply), under the Programme 0719000 Economic and Financial Policy Formulation and Management and substituting therefor the figure, Kshs. 3,612,790,000.
- g) by effecting the consequential amendments thereof.

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Further amendment proposed—

THAT, the First Schedule to the Bill be amended—

- (a) in vote R1025, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 4,677,112,107** in column 3 (supply), under the **Programme 0601000 Policing Services**, and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 4,527,112,107**.
- (b) in vote R1065, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 948,000,000** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0504000 University Education** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 698,000,000.**
- (c) in vote R1071, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 2,127,400,766** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0718000 Public Financial Management** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 2,527,400,766**.
- (d) by effecting the consequential amendments thereof.

(The Leader of the Majority Party)

Proposed amendment withdrawn.

Question put and agreed to;

First Schedule - as amended agreed to.

Second Schedule - Amendment proposed—

THAT, the Second Schedule to the Bill be amended—

- (a) in vote R1082, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 4,000,000** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0402000 National Referral and Specialized Services** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 104,000,000.**
- (b) in vote D1082, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 946,825,000** in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0402000 National Referral and Specialized Services** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. 846,825,000.**
- (c) in vote R1066, by deleting the figure **Kshs.** (2,830,036,440) in Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0501000 Primary Education** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs.** (1,710,036,440).
- (d) in vote R1066, by deleting the figure **Kshs. 1,112,834,768 in** Column 3 (Supply), under the **Programme 0502000 Secondary Education** and substituting therefor the figure, **Kshs. (7,165,232).**
- (e) by effecting the consequential amendments thereof.

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

Question of the amendment proposed;

Debate arising;

Question put and <u>agreed to.</u>

<u>Second Schedule</u> - as amended <u>agreed to.</u>

<u>Clauses 2, 3, 4 and 5</u>
<u>Title</u>
- <u>agreed to.</u>

<u>Clause 1</u>
- <u>agreed to.</u>

Bill to be reported with amendments.

13. HOUSE RESUMED - the Deputy Speaker in the Chair

The Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024)

(The Chairperson, Budget and Appropriations Committee)

Bill reported with amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the House do agree with the Report of the Committee of the whole House in House in its consideration of the Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024).

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

There being no debate arising;

Question put and agreed to:

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Supplementary Appropriation Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 32 of 2024) be now read a Third Time.

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to:

Bill read a Third Time and passed.

14. MOTION - CONSIDERATION OF THE BUDGET ESTIMATES FORFOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2024/2025

(General Debate – 3rd and last Allotted Day

Motion having been made and Question proposed—

THAT, this House **adopts** the Report of the Budget and Appropriations Committee on its consideration of the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure and the Medium Term for the Financial Year 2024/2025, *laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday, 5th June 2024*, and pursuant to the provisions of Article 221 of the Constitution, section 39 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and Standing Order 239-

(i) approves the issuance of a sum of **Kshs. 2,392,832,508,617** from the Consolidated Fund to meet the expenditure during the year ending 30th June 2025 in respect of the Votes contained in the First Schedule, subject to paragraph (iii) (Committee of Supply);

- (ii) makes the policy and financial resolutions as contained in the Second Schedule to the Order Paper; and
- (iii) orders that **"The Speaker do now leave the Chair"** to facilitate the consideration of the said Budget Estimates with respect to each Vote and Programme in the *Committee of Supply* as contemplated under Standing Order 240 (Consideration of Estimates in the Committee of Supply).

(The Chairperson, Budget & Appropriations Committee – 05.06.2024)

Debate interrupted on Wednesday, 5th June, 2024 (Afternoon Sitting) resumed; Rising on a point of Order pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 95, the Member Endebess (Hon, Robert Pukose, MP) claimed to move that the Mover be now called upon to Reply;

And the Deputy Speaker being of the opinion that the Motion was not an abuse of the proceedings of the House or an infringement of the rights of Members;

Question that Mover be now called upon to reply put and agreed to.

Thereupon, the Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

(Change of Chair from the Deputy Speaker to the Second Chairperson of Committees)

15. THE STATUTE LAW (MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS) BILL (NATIONAL ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 67 OF 2023)

Order read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, the Statute Law (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill (National Assembly Bill No. 67 of 2023) be now read a Second time.

(Deputy Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate interrupted on Thursday, April 25, 2024, resumed; (Change of Chair from the Second Chairperson of Committees to the Sixth Chairperson of Committees)

And the time being One O'clock, the Sixth Chairperson of Committees interrupted proceedings and adjourned the House without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

16. HOUSE ROSE - at One O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on, Thursday, June 6, 2024 at 2.30 p.m.