## COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY



### SECOND ASSEMBLY

# THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY (FOURTH SESSION)

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

No. 19 of 2020

## WELCOMING FROM THE SHORT RECESS

## Hon. Members,

As you can recall, during today's morning sitting, I conveyed guidelines issued by the Head of Public Service regarding containment measures for the spread of Covid -19. Consequently, I convened a special meeting of the County Assembly Service Board to deliberate on how to implement the said guidelines.

Accordingly, **Hon. Members**, the Service Board has adopted the following measures, which shall strictly be adhered to-

- i) Beginning this **Thursday**, **23**<sup>rd</sup> **July**, **2020** at **2.30 pm**, we shall be holding virtual sittings. Only the house leadership and the mover of a business on the floor shall be allowed in the chamber. All other Members shall follow and participate in Assembly proceedings via zoom. The Office of the Clerk is directed to facilitate the virtual sittings.
- ii) Visitors will not be allowed in Assembly precincts including in Committees unless in exceptional circumstances. Members are also encouraged to stay away from the precincts.
- iii) Members of the public are encouraged to send electronic mails. The Clerk shall be sharing documents with Members and staff electronically.
- iv) There will be a scale down of staff turning up for work.
- v) Adequate PPEs and Sanitizers shall be provided by the Service Board.

**Hon. Members**, these measures are aimed at protecting you and your loved ones from this dangerous virus.

It is so directed

I thank you Honorable Members.

The Hon. Beatrice Elachi, CBS

<u>SPEAKER OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY</u>

Tuesday, 21st July, 2020