Second Assembly (No. 046) Third Session (177)



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – (THIRD SESSION)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2019 AT 2.30 P.M.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

- **1.** Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions
- 5. Papers
- 6. Notices of Motion
- 7. Statement

8. *MOTION – HON. DORIS KANARIO, MCA

Subject: a policy on Youth, Women and Persons with Disability Empowerment Fund

THAT, aware that Article 21 (3) of the Constitution 2010 provides for all State Organs and public officers to address the needs of vulnerable groups within the society, including women, persons with disabilities, youth among others; **further** aware that Part II of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provides for the functions of the County Government which is to support enterprises for women and youth in the County by establishing and providing for the administration of youth and women empowerment fund, ensuring and coordinating the participation of communities and locations in governance at the local level and assisting communities and locations to develop the administrative capacity for the effective exercise of the functions and powers and participation in governance at the local level; **acknowledging** that there has been a high number of youths and women who contribute greatly to the development of Nairobi City County through small and medium scale enterprises; **disturbed** that most youths and women in the County cannot easily access credit facilities from financial institutions due to stringent procedures in accessing such facilities and lack of securities and guarantors, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop a policy to establish the County Youth, Women and Persons with Disability Empowerment Fund and set out provision relating to the procedures for application of loans and conditions for grant of loan to youth and women in the County.

9. *MOTION – MOTION – HON. SILAS MATARA, MCA

Subject: Development of regulations & policy for civic education prior to any public participation

AWARE that Article 35 (1) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that every citizen has the right of access to information held by the state; FURTHER AWARE THAT Section 7(2)(d) & (e) of the Nairobi City County Public Participation Act, 2015 provides that the County Government shall establish appropriate mechanism, process and procedures to enable the public participate in the affairs of the County and shall provide for, but not limited to; consultative sessions with locally recognized communities, organizations, and where necessary minorities, and report back to the local community in a timely manner; APPRECIATING THAT the County Government of Nairobi City has in the past been able to engage members of the general public on key decision making as the case is with budget making process in the County as provided for in Section 125(2) of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012; **CONCERNED THAT**, limited Constitutional timelines often hinder the level of engagement with the public and on dissemination of the required information that would facilitate an informed feedback and contribution by the general public on the subject matter in question; FURTHER CONCERNED that with the diverse academic background, there is need for the public to be informed on the decisions in question, its significance and effect of such decision in a civic education manner to enable the public to make an informed decision and add value to such process; this ASSEMBLY URGES the County Executive to urgently develop policy and regulations that will govern conduct of civic education in line with the Nairobi City County Public Participation Act, 2015 and the County Governments Act, 2012.

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<u>NOTICES</u>

I. The Assembly resolved on Wednesday, 13th February, 2019 as follows: -

a) THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on any Motion, including a Special motion be limited in the following manner:-A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Sectoral Committee, in that Order.

* Denotes Orders of the Day *