

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY - (THIRD SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2019 AT 2.30PM

- **1.** The Assembly assembled at Thirty minutes past Two O'clock.
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

There being no quorum the Acting Speaker caused the quorum bell to be rung for ten minutes.

There being a Quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the Acting Speaker called the Assembly to order.

3. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

The speaker issued communication-welcoming members from long recess.

'Hon. Members, as you are all aware, today, we are resume from the long recess.

Accordingly, Honorable Members, I take this opportunity to welcome you all back from the long recess. I trust you all had a wonderful and fruitful break together with your families and electorate. You are most welcome.

Additionally, Honorable Members, Committees sittings have been on during the recess period to enable completion of all the pending business, and in particular, on consideration of Bills committed to the Committees and tabling of the reports for consideration.

You will recall that before recess, the Punguza Mizigo (Constitutional Amendment) Bill, 2019 sponsored by the Thirdway Alliance was

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introduced in the Assembly for consideration pursuant to the Provisions of Article 257 (4) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2012.

Hon. Members, The Thirdway Alliance Kenya's call for a constitutional referendum, which is dubbed Punguza Mizigo, has one main objective: to amend the Constitution of Kenya 2010 (CoK 2010) in order to reduce the burden and cost of governance currently being borne by Kenyan taxpayers.

Accordingly, Hon. Members, on Tuesday, 30th July 2019, the Assembly Business Committee deliberated on the proposed Punguza Mizigo (Constitutional Amendment) Bill, 2019 and resolved that the Notice of its Motion for the approval be introduced in the Assembly.

Subsequently, Hon. Members, for the interest of the Provisions of Article 118 and Article 196 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 which compels Assemblies to conduct its business in an open manner and ensuring Public Participation on the same, I wish to direct as follows Pursuant to provisions of Standing Order No. 1, that;-

Consideration of the Punguza Mizigo (Constitutional Amendment) Bill, 2019 be committed to the Sectoral Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs for consideration and tabling of its report in line with the Provision of Standing Order No. 131 on whether the Assembly proceeds to approve or reject the said Bill.

Additionally, Hon. Members, I call upon the Committee Chairpersons to expedite pending Committee business for transmission to the Assembly for their subsequent consideration.

Lastly, the Office of the Speaker wishes to invite all Members of the Assembly to the Speaker's *Kamukunji* tomorrow, Wednesday, 11th September 2019 at the Chambers at 11.30am for deliberations on Assembly and Committee's progress, challenges and way forward in ensuring the residents of Nairobi gets quality service through effective representation, prudent oversight and robust Legislation by this Second Assembly of Nairobi City.

You are all welcome.

With that, Hon. Members, I wish you a good time as you expedite your work to the best of your ability. God bless you.

I thank you Honorable Members".

(No.058) 4. PAPERS

The following papers were laid on the table of the Assembly;

i) THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ANNUAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN FY 2020/2021

(Leader of Majority)

ii) THE REPORT OF THE SECTORAL COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES BILL, 2019

(Chairperson, Sectoral Committee on Health Services)

5. <u>NOTICES OF MOTION – (Hon. Kennedy Obuya)</u> Subject: Policy to regulate automobile artisans in the County

THAT, aware that Article 55 of the Constitution 2010 provides for the State to take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that the youth have opportunities to access relevant education and training, have opportunities to associate, be represented and participate in political, social, economic and other spheres of life, access employment and are protected from harmful cultural practices and exploitation; further aware that recent years have witnessed increase of automobile (Jua Kali) garages in the County which are operated mostly by youths; concerned that most of these garages operates without clear regulations resulting in poor servicing of clients' vehicles hence increasing accidents in our roads; noting that most of these garages operates in poor working environment, where the operation area is not properly shielded from wind and dust; acknowledging the contribution of this important sector by youths in the County economy; further acknowledging that with well-organized automobile garages, youths operating in such garages may acquire funding more easily, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop a policy to regulate the establishment, management and operations of automobile mechanic (Jua Kali) garages in the County to ensure quality and safety services by automobile artisans.

6. Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (a) the following Statement was given:

i. The Leader of Majority Party tabled a Statement on behalf of the Assembly Business Committee on the Business dispensed by the Assembly before the long recess, business before Assembly and the anticipated business.

And the time being thirty minutes Past Three O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

7. <u>ASSEMBLY ROSE</u> - at thirty minutes past Three O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Wednesday, September 11th, 2019 at 2.30 p.m.