

# COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY SECOND ASSEMBLY - (FIRST SESSION) NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

# TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2017 AT 2.30 P.M.

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

## 3. ADMINISTRATION OF OATH/AFFIRMATION OF OFFICE

Having been presented to the Assembly, the Speaker administered the Oath of Office to the following Member:-

NAME WARD

1. Asil Mohamed Mohamud

Nominated Member

## 4. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR:-

The Speaker conveyed the following communication:-

#### — Conduct Of Business In The Chamber

**"Honorable Members**, permit me to welcome you to this Sitting as we commence regular sittings of the County Assembly in the Second Assembly.

**Hon. Members,** the Assembly embarks on this session with eagerness and focus, aiming to further the exercise of its three fold mandate.

**Hon. Members**, as you may be aware, it has been the practice that a Member who wishes to contribute to debates or raise a point of order in the Assembly presses the relevant button of the electronic gadgets installed on each sitting space.

Accordingly, each Member was issued with a Chamber log-in card for purposes of accessing the said system to facilitate debate. The cards are to be inserted in the allotted slot as you were earlier trained to enable you to make interventions to speak, vote in divisions and raise points of order.

Similarly, the Clerk of the County Assembly has also registered all Members in the biometric system for purposes of recording your chamber attendance. This is in keeping with the requirements of Article 194(1)(b) of the Constitution.

**Honorable Members**, equally, it may be desirable for the benefit of new Members, to point out from the outset that the rules of the Assembly are such that when the Speaker is on her feet, all Members are required to be seated, or if they are standing, to remain in their places.

Further for the benefit of the new Members, a Member desiring to cross to either side of the aisle is required or advised to move to the Bar, bow and cross over to whichever side of the aisle he or she desires to go to. This is so that we avoid disorderly movements that can be detrimental to the orderly conduct of business in the Assembly.

**Hon. Members**, most importantly, the comprehensive rules of debate and decorum as tutored to you during our induction and as contained in the Standing Orders must of necessity guide your conduct to avoid falling afoul of our own regulations within this Chamber and precincts.

It is so advised.

I thank you."

#### 5. PAPERS LAID:-

The following paper was laid on the Table of the Assembly;

THE ADDRESS OF THE GOVERNOR TO THE ASSEMBLY ON  $28^{\rm TH}$  SEPTEMBER, 2017 DURING THE OPENING OF THE FIRST SESSION OF THE SECOND ASSEMBLY

(Leader of the Majority Party)

# 6. NOTICE OF MOTION - (Leader of the Majority Party)

**THAT,** PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF STANDING ORDER 25(5), THE THANKS OF THE ASSEMBLY BE RECORDED FOR THE EXPOSITION OF PUBLIC POLICY CONTAINED IN THE ADDRESS OF THE GOVERNOR DELIVERED ON THURSDAY, 28<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2017 AND LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE ASSEMBLY TODAY, TUESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER, 2017.

# 7. MOTION - APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE ASSEMBLY BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 163(1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the Select Committee on Assembly Business in addition to those specified under paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f): -

- 1. The Hon. Beatrice Elachi, MCA Speaker and Chairperson.
- 2. The Hon. John Kamangu, MCA Deputy Speaker and Vice Chairperson.
- 3. The Hon. Hassan I. Abdi, MCA Leader of the Majority Party.
- 4. The Hon. Elias O. Okumu, MCA Leader of the Minority Party.
- 5. The Hon. Chege Mwaura, MCA Majority Party Whip.
- 6. The Hon. Peter Imwatok, MCA Minority Party Whip.
- 7. The Hon. James K. Kariuki, MCA.
- 8. The Hon. Waithera Chege, MCA.
- 9. The Hon. Millicent Mugadi, MCA.
- 10. The Hon. Patricia Musyimi, MCA.
- 11. The Hon. Anthony Kiragu, MCA.
- 12. The Hon. Peter Warutere, MCA.
- 13. The Hon. John Kamau, MCA.
- 14. The Hon. Wilfred Odalo, MCA.
- 15. The Hon. Rose Adhiambo Ogonda, MCA.
- 16. The Hon. Moses Ogeto Nyangaresi, MCA.
- 17. The Hon. Husni Mohammed Alawi, MCA.
- 18. The Hon. Nimo Omar Hajji, MCA.
- 19. The Hon. Kennedy Omondi Obuya, MCA.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and Agreed to.

# 8. MOTION - APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SELECTION

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 164(1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the Select Committee on Selection: -

- 1. The Hon. Abdi Ibrahim Hassan, MCA Leader of the Majority Party
- 2. The Hon. Elias Otieno Okumu, MCA Leader of the Minority Party
- 3. The Hon. John Kamangu, MCA.
- 4. The Hon.ChegeMwaura, MCA.
- 5. The Hon. Charles Thuo, MCA.
- 6. The Hon. James Kiriba Kariuki, MCA.
- 7. The Hon. Esther Chege Waithera, MCA
- 8. The Hon. Juliet June Ndegwa, MCA.
- 9. The Hon. Peter Anyule Imwatok, MCA.
- 10. The Hon. Herman Masabu Azangu, MCA.
- 11. The Hon. Caroline Mayunzu, MCA.
- 12. The Hon. Michael Ogada, MCA.
- 13. The Hon. Jane Muasya, MCA.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and <u>Agreed to</u>.

# 9. <u>PROCEDURAL MOTION</u> - <u>LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON BILLS</u> SPONSORED BY PARTIES OR COMMITTEES

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on Bills sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party be limited as follows:- A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and fifteen minutes (15) in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by the relevant Committee), and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any 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 Minutes (15) each (if the Bill is not sponsored by either of them); 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.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and Agreed to.

# 10. <u>PROCEDURAL MOTION</u> - <u>LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON INDIVIDUAL</u> MEMBERS' BILLS

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on Bills NOT sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party be limited as follows:- A maximum of three hours and thirty minutes, with not more than thirty (30) minutes for the Mover, in moving and ten (10) minutes in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any 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 Minutes (15) each; 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.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and <u>Agreed to</u>.

## 11. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON A MOTION

Motion made and Question proposed -

**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.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and <u>Agreed to</u>.

# 12. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON REPORT OF A COMMITTEE

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on a Report of a Committee, a Sessional Paper or any other Report submitted to the Assembly, be limited as follows: - A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any 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 priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and <u>Agreed to</u>.

# 13. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON MOTION ON THE ADDRESS BY THE GOVERNOR

Motion made and Question proposed;

**THAT,** notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4) and in furtherance to the provisions of Standing Order 25(5), this Assembly orders that debate on the Motion on the Address by the Governor be limited to no more than five (5) minutes for each Member Speaking, thirty (30) minutes for the Mover in moving and replying and twenty (20) minutes for the Leader of Minority Party.

(Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and <u>Agreed to</u>.

## 14. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON ADJOURNMENT

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 103(4), this Assembly orders that, the debate on any Motion for the Adjournment of the Assembly to a day other than the next normal Sitting Day in accordance with the Calendar of the Assembly, be limited to a maximum of three (3) hours with not more than five (5) minutes for each Member

speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of ten (10) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that order. Provided that, when the period of Recess proposed by any such motion does not exceed ten (10) days, the debate shall be limited to a maximum of thirty minutes (30), and shall be strictly confined to the question of the adjournment.

## 15. MOTION - DEBATE ON THE GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS - (1STDAY)

Motion made and Question proposed -

**THAT,** the thanks of the Assembly be recorded for the exposition of public policy contained in the Address of the Governor delivered on Thursday, 28th September, 2017.

Leader of the Majority Party)

Debate ensued;

Change of Chair from the Hon. Speaker to the Hon. Deputy Speaker

And the time being Thirty minutes past Five O'clock, the Deputy Speaker interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**16. <u>ASSEMBLY ROSE</u>** - at thirty minutes past Five O'clock.

## MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Wednesday, October 4th, 2017 at 2.30p.m