

## GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY  
THIRD ASSEMBLY  
(SECOND SESSION)



Notice given  
by Hon. Kimemia on  
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## MOTION – HON. ANTONY KIMEMIA, MCA

*Subject: Rehabilitation of the County Social Halls*

Hon. Speaker, I wish to give Notice of the following Motion: -

**THAT**, aware that Article 55 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides for the State to take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that the youth 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 Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provides for the functions of the County Government which include 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; **concerned** that there is joblessness among youth with talents in the County which has negative impact on the economy as it forces to depend on small working class thus stretching family resources; **further concerned** that most County social halls are in deplorable conditions due to negligence and desertion by the County Government which has contributed to lack of talent nurturing venues for youth within the County; **noting** that creative Arts and Talents Sector is greatly overlooked, under-appreciated window of opportunity in the County where youth with talents can be mentored to discover, develop and build up their capacities; **further noting** that unemployment among young people fuels frustration and desperation and in response, some of the youths turn to socially and legally unacceptable vices such as violence, substance abuse and even suicide, which have negative repercussions on the young people and contribute to growing security, moral and psychological instability in the society; **acknowledging** that in many developed countries creative arts such as films, music, dance and painting amongst others have proved to be well-paying and good revenue earnings, this Assembly urges the County Executive to urgently rehabilitate and modernize all the existing County Social halls and streamline their management to ensure that youths across the County are encouraged and mentored to develop and manage their arts and talents in the County.