



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY
SECOND ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2018

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

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8. ***MOTION – HON. JAMES KIRIBA, MCA**

Subjects: Audit of all Law firms and Lawyers contracted by the Executive.

THAT, aware that the payment of legal fees has for long been a cash cow for unscrupulous lawyers and their co-conspirators within the County Legal Services sector; **NOTING** that just last year, the Deputy Registrar of the High Court slashed legal fees of Ksh1.1 billion demanded by Momanyi & Associates Advocates, and which the previous County Government had agreed to settle, having initially paid Kshs60 million as part payment, to just Sh1.3 million; **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that the foregoing merely demonstrates the rot that has been brought about by unscrupulous lawyers and law firms launching spurious and exaggerated claims of legal fees, which often times got settled by collusion from County employees; **RECOGNIZING** that the County still faces a huge debt bill owed to lawyers and law firms, which the governor has now subjected to review to establish their veracity via the newly constituted Pending Bills Taskforce; **KEEPING IN MIND** that if drastic action is not taken, and keeping in line with the Country's overall renewed spirit to face corruption and theft of public monies head on, to weed the County...

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of unscrupulous law firms and lawyers, the County will continue to hemorrhage money at the hands of unscrupulous individuals in the legal profession; this Assembly **RESOLVES** that the County Executive undertake a fresh audit of all Law firms and Lawyers it has contracted and still contracts to date for purposes of weeding out unscrupulous lawyers and law firms that have consistently been mentioned in corrupt claims meant to steal public funds, whether in Nairobi County or anywhere else in the Republic.

* **Denotes Orders of the Day**

NOTICE

The Assembly resolved on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 as follows:-

- i. **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.

NOTICE PAPER I

Tentative business for Thursday, 8th November, 2018

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 39(1))

IT IS NOTIFIED that the Assembly Business Committee, at their last meeting, approved the following *tentative* business to appear in the Order Paper for Thursday, 8th November 2018:-

MOTION – HON. JOHN KAMAU, MCA

Subjects: Conservation of environment from medical and hazardous waste.

THAT, aware that Part 2 of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides for the functions of the County Government which include amongst others control of air pollution and implementation of specific National Government policies on Natural Resources and environmental conservation; **FURTHER AWARE** that Section 5 of the Nairobi City County Solid Waste Management Act, 2015 provides that every person within the County is entitled to a clean and healthy environment and has a duty to safeguard and enhance the quality of the environment; **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that there has been careless disposal of waste such as medical waste, asbestos and harmful chemicals to the environment and more particularly Nairobi River; **NOTING** that the asbestos wastes have hazardous material with extremely fine fibers that can remain suspended in air for hours and if handled without caution, may cause serious chronic health problems such as asbestosis, lung cancer and mesothelioma; acknowledging that the County Government in partnership with the National Government through a multiagency taskforce is working towards the restoration and transformation of the County into an environmental friendly area; **FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGING** that the National Environmental Management Authority (NEMA) has established guidelines on disposal of asbestos waste and other waste treatment; **THIS ASSEMBLY URGES** the County Executive to enforce the control of highly hazardous materials such as asbestos in all buildings in accordance with the NEMA guidelines on safe management and disposal of asbestos and establish robust regulations within sixty (60) days, for effective conservation of the environment including water bodies such as Nairobi River from medical waste and other harmful chemical wastes as provided in Sections 10 and 38 of the Nairobi City County Solid Waste Management Act, 2015.