NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



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REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(2) (c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Children, Early childhood Education and Vocational Training regarding Office of the Governor's Scholarship established under the former county government administration and funded by the governor's office.

Hon. Speaker, the establishment of the Scholarship was meant to alleviate the suffering of bright but vulnerable children from across the County. It identified excellent but needy students and was intended to provide support through Secondary Schooling and tertiary/university education.

Hon. Speaker, its abrupt stoppage under the new County Administration has occasioned untold suffering for poor parents whose children had benefited from the Scholarship and who now find themselves stuck.

Hon. Speaker, in the statement, the Chairperson should inquire into and report on:-

- Status of children still in school under the scholarship who are now suffering due to i) its abrupt stoppage; and
- Measures put in place to safeguard the interests of the beneficiaries of the scholarship ii) by the new County administration;
- Whether there are any plans to continue with the Scholarship given its critical nature iii) and the need it served.

Hon. David Ayoi, MCA. MEMBER FOR GATINA WARD

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