



NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY  
SECOND ASSEMBLY - SECOND SESSION

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**REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS**

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Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(2) (c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources regarding the dumping of soil and garbage along Ngong River.

Hon. Speaker, unscrupulous land cartels are dumping soil and solid wastes along Ngong River with the aim of reclaiming river riparian where they erect illegal structures to rent out to unsuspecting residents hence exposing them to a myriad of risks.

Hon. Speaker, the illegal reclamation further hinders the natural flow of water down the river during rainy seasons thus destroying properties along the way as it flows.

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

- i) Whether the persons involved in the dumping of soil and garbage have any authorization to do so from the County Executive;
- ii) Measures put in place to stop the illegal dumping; and
- iii) Measures put in place by the County Executive to protect unsuspecting residents from being duped into renting structures erected along the river and buying the reclaimed land along the river riparian.

Hon. Nicholas Okumu, MCA.  
MEMBER FOR LOWER SAVANNAH WARD

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