

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 Justice and Legal Affairs regarding approval for borehole drilling in the County.

Hon. Speaker, the population of Nairobi City County has steadily been on the increase in the recent years. This has put pressure on the provision of basic services, especially potable water to the residents. This has been occasioned by insufficient and old infrastructure that is unable to match the water demand. It has therefore been thought that boreholes can ease the demand.

Hon. Speaker, private investors, for instance, ambassador hotel continue to face impediments to undertake such projects from the County Government despite securing approvals and licenses from the County, Water Resources Authority and National Environmental Management Authority (NEMA) (see attached). Therefore, in the face of these license, the County enforcement officers are yet to allow commencement of the project.

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

1. The circumstances that led to stoppage of the projects in light of the said approvals and licenses; and
2. Measure put in place by the County Executive to ensure that developers and investors are expeditiously facilitated to roll out their investments pursuant to the relevant laws.

Hon. Daniel Ngengi, MCA
MEMBER FOR CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT WARD

Date: 16/7/19.....