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REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c), I wish to request a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Labour and Social Welfare regarding recruitment of County Constables.

Hon. Speaker, in mid-2020, the County Government placed and advert calling for qualified persons to apply for various positions, including County Constables. We have information that many young men and women applied and some recruited by way of calling through SMSs for collection of appointment letters.

Hon. Speaker, it is however disheartening to hear from some youth, who are our constituents, that despite going thought the entire recruitment process and receiving the SMS, they are yet to be provided with the appointment letters to date. This Assembly is therefore better placed to hold the Executive to account concerning the entire process of recruitment in line with the Constitution.

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

- 1. The criteria used by the County Public Service Board in the recruitment of County Constables and a report on the outcome of the recruitment process; and
- 2. Steps that the County Executive is taking to ensure that all the qualified persons called to collect their appointment letters are handed their letters.

Hon. Redson Otieno, MCA MEMBER FOR NGEI WARD