



THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY

(FIRST SESSION)

REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS

Subject: Unfair Market Competition

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SPEAKER

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 47(2)(c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson of Sectoral Committee on Trade, Tourism and Cooperatives regarding a private wholesale and retail food market that is alleged to be operating illegally at City Park.

Hon. Speaker, there has been complaints by traders operating at City park market regarding a private wholesale and retail market that operates on Tuesdays, Fridays and Sunday. It is alleged that the said market is using deceptive business practices to gain competitive advantage.

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

- i) Whether the Sector is aware of the existing private market operating at Parklands Popin Centre and efforts being put in place to ensure fair market competition;
- ii) The measures that the Sector has put in place to provide adequate water and sanitation at City park market;
- iii) Reasons the Sector has failed to close down the private market even after numerous petitions to the County Government by the City Park informal traders that the said market was also operating along a public road and road reserve which cause human and vehicular traffic; and,
- iv) Measures the Sector is putting in place to ensure City park market acquires the intended rental status that will in turn increase revenue for the County

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Hon. Fiunifiu Kamau Thuo, MCA  
MEMBER FOR KARURA WARD

Date... 3/11/2022

Response to be presented within 3 weeks

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3/11/22