



THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY

(SECOND SESSION)

REQUEST FOR STATEMENT

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Sgt. HON. SPEAKER
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Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 47(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 the delay in issuance of bursaries for the Third Term, 2023.

Hon. Speaker, as you are aware, a bursary is a type of financial assistance provided to students to help pay for their education. They are often provided by the Government with the main objective being to increase access to education for disadvantaged groups, such as low-income families.

Hon. Speaker, Nairobi City County passed a budget allocating funds for bursaries with each Ward being allocated Kshs. 7 Million for the Financial Year 2023/2024. The disbursement of bursaries for 3rd term has inordinately delayed which forced many Children from disadvantaged homes in the Wards not to attend classes due to lack of school fees.

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

- i. A detailed report on why the disbursement of bursaries has delayed for the 3rd term of 2023;
- ii. Steps that the County Executive has taken to ensure that the bursaries are going to be disbursed as soon as possible; and
- iii. Challenges the Sector has been facing in ensuring that bursaries are disbursed on time and how the said challenges are being addressed.

[Signature]
Hon. Mark Thiga, MCA
Member for Hospital Ward

Date.....7/11/23.....

*Statement Requested
on 7/11/2023
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Done in 9 days*