

Statement
requested by
Hon Maurice Ochieng
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NAIROBI CITY COUNTY GOVERNMENT



NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY – SECOND SESSION



REQUEST FOR STATEMENT

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 47(2) (c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Culture and Community Services regarding the operations of “Lava Latte club”, a public entertainment club, within a residential area and close to institutions of basic education.

Hon. Speaker, the Nairobi City County Alcoholic Drinks Control and Licensing Act, 2014 outlaws the establishment of bars or any alcoholic outlets next to institutions of basic education. Further, the County Government of Nairobi City banned establishment of entertainment clubs and bars in residential areas. However, “Lava Latte club” which is located in a residential area along State House Road with close proximity to institutions of basic education particularly Nairobi Milimani Secondary School openly sells alcohol to revelers and stages disco music mostly on Saturdays with female revelers skimpily dressed thus distracting students. In addition, the club emits intrusive noise through loud music to the neighborhood.

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

- (i) Approval of the operations of “Lava Latte club” within a residential area and with close proximity to institutions of basic education particularly Nairobi Milimani Secondary School contrary to the existing laws and regulations; and
- (ii) Measures the County Government is taking to shut down the operations of “Lava Latte club” and any other bar or public entertainment establishment operating within residential areas and in close proximity to institutions of basic education.

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Member for Mountain View Ward

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