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## 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 Moi International Sports Centre, Kasarani and Nyayo National stadia sport facilities currently managed by the National Government.

Hon. Speaker, paragraph 17 of part 1 of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 confers the promotion of sports and sports education mandate to the National Government, while paragraph 4 of part 2 of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 presupposes sports and cultural activities and facilities to be a mandate to the County Government.

Hon. Speaker, Sports Kenya (SK) is a state corporation established by the National Sports Act, 2013 and is mandated to promote, co-ordinate and implement national and international sports programmes, establish, manage, develop and maintain the sports facilities. Sports Kenya manages two of Kenya's premier Sporting Complexes, which is Moi International Sports Centre, Kasarani and Nyayo National Stadium both in Nairobi City.

Mr. Speaker, based on the clear distinction of the mandate of the two levels of government provided in the Constitution, management of the above stadia should be arguably under the Nairobi City County Government. Further, it is noteworthy that the provisions of Article 187 of the Constitution of Kenya as read together with Section 24, 25 and 26 of the Intergovernmental Relations Act, 2012 provide the criteria for transfer of functions between different levels of Government.

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

Status of implementation of paragraph 4 of part 2 of the Fourth Schedule of the i) Constitution of Kenya, 2010 on management of sports and sports facilities within Nairobi City County, specifically Moi International Sports Centre, Kasarani and Nyayo National stadia.

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