

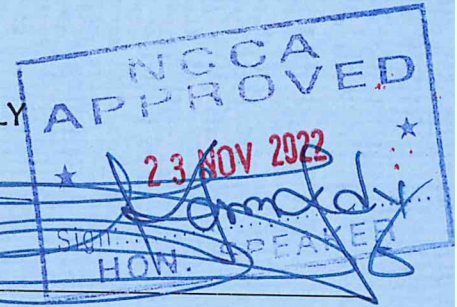
# GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY

(FIRST 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 Urban Planning and Housing regarding several building collapsing in Nairobi County,

Hon. Speaker, Nairobi County has greatly seen a sudden increase in construction of residential homes in parts of the City. However some of the residential buildings begin to show signs of weakness including visible cracks before being fully constructed.

Hon. Speaker, in the past few weeks we have witnessed several buildings collapsing within the City. Most of these buildings, it is alleged do not have the requisite approvals and construction permits. For instance, in Kasarani a storey building collapsed killing at least three people and six other people rescued from the rubble.

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

- i. Measures the County Executive has put in place to ensure that buildings are constructed with the approved construction permits;
- ii. Regularization measures that the County Executive has put in place to ensure that all buildings in the County are compliant with the County Government laws; and
- iii. Whether the County Executive has enough capacity to conduct environmental impact in the County.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Silas Matara".

Hon. Silas Matara, MCA  
Dandora II, MCA  
Nairobi City County Assembly