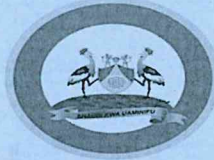


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GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



I. Statement sought by  
Hon. Mark Thiga

II. The Health Committee  
undertook to respond  
on the statement  
within 2 weeks

THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

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REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS

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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 Health Services regarding the stalled construction project in the County and in particular Upendo Hospital in Hospital Ward.

Hon. Speaker, Article 43 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides for the right to the highest attainable standard of health including right to health care services. It is unfortunate that Hospital Ward residents and its nearby environs cannot access medical services due to the stalled construction of the said health center. Upendo Hospital has stalled for more than 7 years due to lack of budgetary allocation and proper follow up from the County Executive to ensure its completion.

Hon. Speaker, Health Centers in Nairobi serve a very important role in ensuring that all residents especially at the Ward level access medical attention. However due to the delay in the completion of the said hospital there's a lapse in service delivery with regards to healthcare services.

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

- i. A detailed report on why the construction of the said hospital has stalled;
- ii. The company that was awarded the tender and how much was paid to the contracting firm vis-à-vis the approved certificate of payment;
- iii. Whether County Executive has allocated any budget towards ensuring full completion of the project; and
- iv. Steps that the County Executive has taken to ensure that all stalled projects are completed.

Hon. Mark Thiga, MCA  
Member for Hospital Ward

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