GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY

(THIRD 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 Health Services regarding the creation and utilization of the Nairobi City County Health Fund.

Hon. Speaker, Section 116 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 provides that a County Executive Committee Member for Finance may establish other public funds with the approval of the County Executive Committee and the County Assembly.

Hon. Speaker, there are reasons to believe that the County Executive created a health fund in which funds arising from programs such as Linda Mama under the defunct National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) amongst other sources are deposited and utilized particularly at Mama Lucy Hospital. Further, it is believed that funds under the said health fund were recently withdrawn and utilized at Mutuini Hospital for unnamed projects.

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

- i) When was the County Health Fund created and for what purpose. Provide regulations governing said fund.
- ii) Details of the said Fund's Bank Account. Provide Bank Statements for the Fund since its inception and details of previous and current signatories to the said Bank Account.
- iii) Details of the projects implemented at Mutuini Hospital using funds under the Fund. Provide supporting evidence related to the procurement process for the said projects.

HON. MOSES NYANGARESI OGETO, MCA

MEMBER FOR KILIMANI WARD/MAJORITY CHIEF WHIP

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