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THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

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REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS

Subject: Identification of loading zones in the County

Hon. Speaker, Pursuant to Standing Order 47(2)(c), I rise to request for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Transport and Public Works regarding the identification, designation and verification of loading zones in the County.

Hon. Speaker, Section 54 of the Nairobi City County Transport and Public Works Act, 2020 grants the County authority to designate specific zones and regulate the use of vehicles in these zones for loading and unloading. Any vehicle using these zones must comply with signage, operational limits, and restrictions set by the county's transport regulations.

Hon. Speaker, concerns have been raised that the County Executive has been allocating loading zones to private entities that fail to comply with legal requirements, including the provision of proper identification. As a result, this has led to frequent traffic congestion, and revenue officers are often unable to identify these operators leading to substantial revenue loss for the County.

Hon. Speaker, further concerns have been raised regarding some private entities who, due to the lack of identification and verification, have not been remitting the required fees for the use of their designated loading zones.

Hon. Speaker, in this regard, the Chairperson should inquire into and report on the following: -

- Procedures put in place by the County Executive for one to be designated a loading zone and what penalties are imposed on those who fail to comply with requirements;
- ii. A comprehensive report on the total of all loading zones in the County and their location;
- iii. A detailed list on the owners of these loading zones and those who have paid and not paid for their loading zones; and

iv. Provide a sample letter of designation/permit.

HON. SILAS MATARA ONGWAE, MCA MEMBER FOR DANDORA AREA II WARD

Date. 1/16/25