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NAIROBI CITY COUNTY



NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY - FIFTH SESSION



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REQUEST FOR STATEMENT

Subject: Delayed payments to retirees by LAPFUND and the status of remittance of statutory deductions.

Hon. Speaker, Pursuant to Standing Order 47(2)(c), I wish to request a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Labour and Social Welfare regarding the persistent delays in the disbursement of retirement benefits to former County employees managed by the Local Authorities Pensions Fund (LAPFUND).

Hon. Speaker, Article 43(1)(e) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, guarantees every person the right to social security. Furthermore, the Retirement Benefits Act (No. 3 of 1997) establishes the regulatory framework to safeguard the interests of members of retirement schemes and mandates the efficient management of these funds to ensure that retirees receive their dues in a timely and dignified manner. While the Pensions (Amendment) Bill, 2024 has sought to introduce progressive measures including automatic cost-of-living adjustments for public service pensioners, it remains imperative that the existing legal and contractual obligations to the current retirees are met with the urgency they deserve.

Hon. Speaker, it is a matter of profound concern that many retirees who have served this County with distinction are currently enduring significant financial hardship due to these systemic delays.

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

- i) Whether LAPFUND is currently ensuring the timely disbursement of retirement benefits to all eligible retirees, and if not, the specific operational or administrative challenges causing these delays;
- ii) The total number of retirees who have exited the service but are yet to receive their terminal dues;
- iii) The total outstanding monetary liability currently owed by the County Government to LAPFUND on behalf of these retirees; and
- iv) The total number of current County workers whose statutory contributions are actively being remitted to LAPFUND to ensure their future retirement security.

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