

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

THIRD ASSEMBLY - (SECOND SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2023 AT 2.30PM

- 1. The Assembly assembled at Thirty minutes past Two O'clock.
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer.

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Malyun Abdi, MCA) having confirmed that there was no Quorum at the commencement of the Assembly caused the bell to rung for 10 minutes.

The Speaker having confirmed that there was a Quorum at the expiry of 10 minutes called the Assembly to order.

3. PAPER LAID: -

The following paper was laid on the Table of the Assembly;

I. THE 5TH REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS ON SYMPOSIUM ON EMERGING THEMES ON THE ROLE OF LAW MAKERS HELD AT WYNDHAM DUBAI, DEIRA DAYS UAE.

(Chairperson, Finance Budget & Appropriations)

4. NOTICE OF MOTION -PROVISION OF BASIC COUNSELLING SKILLS FOR TEACHERS WORKING IN ECDE CENTERS

THAT, aware that Article 43 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides that every person has the right to education; **FURTHER AWARE** that the Education Act, 2013 mandates respective Counties to implement the right of

every child to Free and Compulsory Pre-School Education; RECOGNIZING that Early Childhood Development Education lays a lot of emphasis on the holistic development of a child's social, emotional, cognitive and physical needs in order to build a solid and broad foundation for lifelong learning and well-being; **ACKNOWLEDGING** that among the essential skills for teachers in Early Childhood Development Education (ECDE) are guidance and counselling, coaching, and mentoring. **NOTING THAT** Since teachers are dealing with children they must understand and at the same time assist them along in their growth and development; **ACKNOWLEDGING** that Nairobi City County has about 25,000 pre-primary school learners who enjoy free learning in the 232 ECDE centers. (The Star 1st September, 2021); APPRECIATING that the County Executive has budgeted for construction of Early Childhood Development Education Centers in the 17 Sub-Counties with the aim of increasing the number of children enrollment in Early Childhood Education; **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that it is important for ECDE teachers to be well trained in guidance and counselling in order to impart teacher-trainee-skills and knowledge on how to care for and guide the young children in their academic work, play, interactions with other children and counsel children with special needs and behavioral problems, now therefore this Assembly **URGES** the County Executive to introduce and roll-out trainings for all County ECDE teachers on counseling and special child care trainings and incorporate such programs in their subsequent Annual Development plan for continuous implementation.

(Hon. Lily Kidenda, MCA)

5. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45(2)(c)

The following statement was requested: -

i. The Hon. Redson Otieno, MCA requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Health Services regarding the purchase of computers and printers in all level II and III hospitals in the County. (Response due after 21 days)

6. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON BILLS SPONSORED BY PARTIES OR COMMITTEES.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on Bills sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party be limited as follows:- A maximum of forty five (45) minutes for the Mover, in moving and fifteen minutes (15) in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee (if the Bill is not sponsored by the relevant Committee), and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen Minutes (15) each (if the Bill is not sponsored by either of them); and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Sectoral Committee, in that Order.

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

7. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS' BILLS.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on Bills NOT sponsored by a Committee, the Leader of the Majority Party or the Leader of the Minority Party be limited as follows:- A maximum of three hours and thirty minutes, with not more than thirty (30) minutes for the Mover, in moving and ten (10) minutes in replying, a maximum of thirty (30) minutes for the Chairperson of the relevant Committee and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen Minutes (15) each; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Sectoral Committee, in that Order.

(Hon. Moses Ogeto, MCA – Majority Whip)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

8. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON REPORTS.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on a Report of a Committee, a Sessional Paper or any other Report submitted to the Assembly, be limited as follows: - A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order.

(Hon. Moses Ogeto, MCA – Majority Whip)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

9. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON REPORTS.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), this Assembly orders that, each speech in a debate on a Report of a Committee, a Sessional Paper or any other Report submitted to the Assembly, be limited as follows: - A maximum of sixty (60) minutes for the Mover in moving and thirty (30) minutes in replying, and a maximum of ten (10) minutes for any other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that Order.

(Hon. Moses Ogeto, MCA – Majority Whip)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

10. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON THE MOTION ON THE ADDRESS BY THE GOVERNOR.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), and in furtherance to the provisions of Standing Order 27(5), this Assembly orders that debate on the Motion on the Address by the Governor be limited to no more than five (5) minutes for each Member Speaking, thirty (30) minutes for the Mover in moving and replying and twenty (20) minutes for the Leader of Minority Party.

(Hon. Moses Ogeto, MCA – Majority Whip)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

11. PROCEDURAL MOTION - LIMITATION OF DEBATE ON THE ADJOURNMENT MOTION.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 106(1), this Assembly orders that, the debate on any Motion for the Adjournment of the Assembly to a day other than the next normal Sitting Day in accordance with the Calendar of the Assembly, be limited to a maximum of three (3) hours with not more than five (5) minutes for each Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of ten (10) minutes each; and that priority be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, in that order. Provided that, when the period of Recess proposed by any such motion does not exceed ten (10) days, the debate shall be limited to a maximum of thirty minutes (30), and shall be strictly confined to the question of the adjournment.

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

12. PROCEDURAL MOTION - ADOPTION OF THE ASSEMBLY CALENDAR - SECOND SESSION.

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

THAT, pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 31(1), this Assembly approves the Calendar of the County Assembly (Regular Sessions) for the Second Session (2023)

(Hon. Moses Ogeto, MCA – Majority Whip)

Debate ensued; Mover replied; Question put and **agreed to**;

And the time being forty-three minutes Past Four O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

13. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at Forty-three minutes past four O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Wednesday, February 22nd, 2022 at 2.30 p.m