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(OFFICIAL REPORT)

DAILY HANSARD

Monday, January 26, 2015

(Special Sitting)

PLENARY

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The House met at 2.40 p.m.
[The Speaker (Hon. Geoffrey Kipng'etich Korir) on the Chair]
Prayers.**

There was no quorum.

Hon. Speaker: Serjeant-At-Arms to ring the bell

The quorum bell was rang.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

- ❖ **THAT THERE BE A SPEAKER'S KAMUKUNJI TO DISCUSS THE WAY FORWARD ON THE REQUEST FROM THE CHAIR MYOOT KIPSIGIS COUNCIL OF ELDERS,**

Hon. Speaker: Honourable members, there are a communication from the Chair. Honourable members, I had requested the Clerk to supply you with copies of request made by the Chairman Myoot Kipsigis Council of Elders, Bishop Paul Leleito on behalf of Kipsigis Council of Elders. He had written to the members of the County Assembly that the Myoot Kipsigis Council of Elders have been following with much concern the current issues facing Bomet County, and of special concern is the stalemate concerning the site of the County University because the County Assembly exercises the oversight role of the County Government. The elder asked the Chair Kipsigis Council of Elders to write to the Speaker to request the Members of the County Assembly for a special meeting with them with a view to seeing averting the possibility of Bomet County losing the University to another place.

As elders whose main objective and mandate is to safeguard the heritage, social welfare, unity and cohesiveness of the community, they feel they must work together for the benefit of our generation now and that of our children and grandchildren in future.

He is thanking us for considering and accepting this appeal for the sake of our beloved County, and he is looking forward to hearing from me on this deep and urgent investment project in our County; and signed by Bishop Paul K. Leleito.

Honourable members, we can meet after this for a small Speaker's Kamukunji so that we can be able to discuss the way forward, and I need to have a feeling from you so that I can be able to communicate back the right message from the members.

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PAPERS

- ❖ **THE SUBMISSIONS OF NAMES OF PERSONS NOMINATED TO BOMET COUNTY LAND MANAGEMENT BOARD**
- ❖ **SUBMISSION OF THE NOMINEE TO REPRESENT KONOIN IN THE COUNTY LAND MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR VETTING**

Hon. Speaker: Honourable Chebomui.

Hon. B. Chebomui: Thank you, honourable Speaker for the opportunity to table the submissions of names of persons nominated to Bomet County Land Management Board and also the submission of the nominee to represent Konoin in the County land Management Board for vetting.

Hon. Speaker: You realize that today's special sitting is for the purpose of the Chair of Urban Planning to be able to submit the names. Since we have already dealt with the last agenda, it is my own opinion that since we also have a special sitting on Thursday, the resubmission of names will proceed to the House so that the House can discuss the merits and demerits on whether it meets the threshold. For the submission of someone representing Konoin; one Duncan Kirui, that name stands committed to the Committee on Urban Planning, Lands and Housing so that they can deal with the matter, and you have two days, and we shall be able to reconvene on Thursday so that we can be able to consider the content of our report and the way forward.

The committee should work tirelessly so that by Thursday morning we shall be having a Special Sitting to consider the same on Thursday morning. This is due to the fact that for those who read the newspaper last week, all the County Assemblies Speakers and Governors were given until the end of this month so that they can be able to submit the names of the members of the County Land Management Board.

The committee needs to fast track on the same. Honourable Langat.

Hon. R. Langat: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I wonder whether I can also table a report from the Public Service Committee for the period ending 31st December, 2014 so that...

Hon. Speaker: You can seek leave.

Hon. R. Langat: May I request that you allow that I table a report on the Public Service Committee for the period ending 31st December, 2014 so that the committee can deal with it.

Hon. Speaker: Is it the one that we had committed to you or the one from Public Service Board?

Hon. R. Langat: The one from the Public Service Board.

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Hon. Speaker: I commit the same to the committee so that they can deal with it and expedite the matter within 21 days so that you bring back the report. Honourable Langat, there is the other report which was supposed to end by 15th January, 2015; can I be able to request you that you table that report on Thursday?

Hon. R. Langat: Thank you Mr. Speaker, the report is ready and it will be tabled.

Hon. Speaker: Because it has elapsed. Also the Chair of the Ad-hoc committee, where is honourable Samson or the Vice Chair or a member of that committee? You can inform the Chair to table the report because the deadline was 15th January 2015 so that he can be able to table the report on Thursday during the special sitting. I hope the members of the ad-hoc committee should inform the honourable Chair that he needs to table the report on Thursday morning during the special sitting.

The House adjourned at 2.50 p.m.