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REPUBLIC OF KENYA  
BOMET COUNTY ASSEMBLY  
FIRST ASSEMBLY – (FIFTH SESSION)  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2017 AT 9.00 A. M

1. The Assembly assembled at five minutes past nine o'clock.
2. The proceedings were opened with a prayer.

**3. MEMBERS PRESENT**

1. Hon. Geoffrey Kipngetich-Speaker
2. Hon. Mosonik William
3. Hon. Rose Boiyon
4. Hon. Chepkoech Leah
5. Hon. Christopher Ngeno
6. Hon. Chepkemai Evaline
7. Hon. Samson Towett
8. Hon. Sammy Chelule
9. Hon. Wilson Keter
10. Hon. Hellen Chepkirui
11. Hon. Siele Philip
12. Hon. John Molel
13. Hon. Robert Metet
14. Hon. David Rotich Big Five
15. Hon. Aurelia Chepkirui
16. Hon. Nancy Chepkirui
17. Hon. Julius Korir
18. Hon. Robert Bett
19. Hon. Philip Korir
20. Hon. Andrew Maritim
21. Hon. John Ngetich
22. Hon. Bency Too
23. Hon. Josephine Rotich
24. Hon. Sammy Kipsiele Kirui
25. Hon. Josphat Kirui
26. Hon. Taplelei Rotich
27. Hon. Beatrice Chebomui
28. Hon. Benard Ngeno

29. Hon. Leonard Kirui
30. Hon. Robert Serbai
31. Hon. Reuben Langat
32. Hon. Samwel Bor
33. Hon. Joyce Korir

#### **MEMBERS ABSENT**

1. Hon. Stephen Changmorik
2. Hon. John Chepkwony
3. Hon. Patrick Chepkwony

#### **4. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The Hon. Speaker informed the County Assembly Business Committee and the Procedure and Rules Committee to meet after the Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 Morning Sitting to transact the pending business.

#### **5. STATEMENTS**

The following statements were due;

- 1) Statement sought by Hon. John Molel on 7<sup>th</sup> December, 2016 from the Chairperson, Budget and Appropriation Committee on renovation of Governor's private residence using public funds. In Particular, the Hon. Members wished to be informed on the following;
  - b. How much was used to do the said renovation and were the payments done?
  - c. What sort of renovations were undertaken in the said private home?
  - d. Who was the contractor awarded the said contract and when were the renovations done?
  - e. Where are the minutes of the tender committee that sat to deliberate on the same?
  - f. What are the status of the pending cases and who has been charged?

***The Statement was committed to the Committee on Budget and Appropriation (Statement No. 84)***

**The Chairperson did not give a response since the statement seeker was not present at the time. The Hon. Speaker directed that a response be given by the Chairperson on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 during the afternoon Plenary Sitting.**

2. Comprehensive statement sought by Hon. Wilson Keter on 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2017 from the Chairperson Committee on Water, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources on the desilting of water dams within the county. In particular he sought to get clarification on the following;
  - i. Whether the department is aware about a myriad challenges and suffering facing (PWD) persons with Disabilities as a result of silted dams
  - ii. How many water dams have been desilted within Kipsonoi Ward?

***The Statement was committed to the Committee on Water, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources (Statement No. 97)***

**The Chairperson did not give a response since the Honourable Members had not been supplied with copies. The Hon. Speaker directed that a response be given by the Chairperson on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 during the afternoon Plenary Sitting.**

3. Statement by Hon. John Ngetich on 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2017 from the Chairperson Committee on Labour and Public Service on the employment of senior directors in the County Public Service Board;

In the statement, the Chairperson should indicate;

- (a) Which job group is the designation of “senior director” falls into?
- (b) Whether there is any staff establishment which indicates the position of a senior director and if there is any who approved the establishment?
- (c) Whether the position of a senior director is equal to the position of a chief officer?
- (d) If (c) above is in negative then why were the so called senior directors appointed?

***The Statement was committed to the Committee on Labour and Public Service (Statement No. 88)***

**The Chairperson did not give a response and requested for more time. The Hon. Speaker directed that a response be given by the Committee within 14 days. The Committee was advised to exhaust all the available mechanism.**

#### **6. Motion (Hon. Nancy Chepkirui)**

Aware that, in reference to the National Cervical Cancer Prevention Program Strategic Plan 2012 -2015 by the Ministry of Public Health & Sanitation And Ministry Of Medical Services (2012) ,cervical cancer is the second most frequent cancer among women in Kenya and the leading cause of cancer deaths in women of reproductive age (WRA); Appreciating that, there is a policy in Kenya that is conducive to roll out the National Cervical Cancer program; This County Assembly urges the County Government’s Department for Health to collaborate with the National Cancer Institute of Kenya and initiate a program to conduct an educational and information campaign on cervical cancer prevention, treatment and control pursuant to section 29, 30 and 32 of the Cancer Prevention and Control Act, 2012.

The Motion was seconded by Hon. Leah Chepkoech

Question was proposed and debate arose

The following rose to support the motion;

1. Hon. Robert Metet
2. Hon. Andrew Maritim
3. Hon. Siele Philip
4. Hon. Leonard Kirui
5. Hon. Joyce Korir
6. Hon. Samson Towett

7. Hon. Beatrice Chebomui
8. Hon. Hellen Chepkirui

The mover was given a right of reply

The question was put and agreed to

**7. PROCEDURAL MOTION (Leader of the Majority Party)**

**THAT**, pursuant to Standing Order 30 (3) (b), this County Assembly resolves to meet today Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 at 11.00 a. m instead of 2.30 p.m.

The Motion was seconded by Hon. Julius Korir

Question was proposed and debate arose

The following rose to support the motion;

- 1) Hon. Beatrice Chebomui
- 2) Hon. Joyce Korir

The following rose to oppose the motion;

- 1) Hon. Samson Towett

The mover was given a right of reply

The question was put and agreed to

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

The Assembly was adjourned to Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2017 at 11:30 a. m as directed by the Hon. Speaker.

**9. The Assembly rose at 1035 Hours.**