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BOMET COUNTY ASSEMBLY
FIRST ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST, 2014 AT 9.00AM

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

Determination of Quorum

1. Administration of oath
2. Communication from the chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of motions
7. Statements

8* MOTION (Hon. Christopher Ngeno)

THAT aware that Article 40 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 gives every Kenyan citizen the right to acquire and own property of any description and in any part of Kenya; also aware that under Article 27(6) of the Constitution the state is mandated to take legislative and other measures, including affirmative action programs and policies designed to redress any disadvantaged suffered by group because of past discrimination; also aware that under Article 67(2) of the Constitution, the National Land Commission is mandated to initiate investigations, on its own or on a complaint, into present or historical land injustices, and recommend appropriate redress; also aware that there exists a group within the county known as the “Chepchas Community” whose land, which presently is the land covered by The African Highlands Produce Company Limited (Now Finlays (K) ltd), was systematically, forcefully and atrociously taken away by the white settlers thereby rendering them squatters in their own land; also aware that their livestock were forcefully confiscated and were never paid for and that they now live in abject poverty and completely unable to sustain themselves; deeply concerned that this community may be rendered extinct by high levels of poverty, contaminated water through aerial sprays by Finlays(K) and other rampant diseases; this House urges the County Government of Bomet to immediately initiate affirmative action programs to ensure the survival of the community and to seek legal redress to ensure that the community is adequately and fully compensated by Finlays (K) ltd for the loss of their ancestral land.

**Denotes the Orders of the Day*

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