

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

First Assembly
(No.0146)



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(Special sitting)
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BOMET COUNTY ASSEMBLY
FIRST ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)
ORDERS OF THE DAY
THURSDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2014 AT 2.30 PM
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. John Chepkwony–Leader of Minority)

THAT, aware that this County Assembly on 20th of August 2014 during a morning sitting resoundingly approved a motion urging the County government of Bomet to immediately initiate affirmative programmes to ensure the survival of Chepchabas community and the entire Kipsigis Community in Bomet County whose land was systematically, forcefully and atrociously taken away by the white settlers in the name of various multinational companies and to seek legal redress to ensure that the said communities are adequately and fully compensated by these multinational companies for the loss of their ancestral land and livestock. Deeply concerned that the Chepchabas Community and the entire Kipsigis Community in Bomet County suffered great financial and mental agony and anguish from the said evictions, the British Government should compensate them as a matter of right under our Constitution,

Also, aware that Article 21 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 mandates the state and every state organ to observe, respect, promote and take any such measures to ensure the realization of the rights guaranteed in the constitution,

Further aware that Section 6(5) of the County Governments Act 2012 gives powers to a county government to contract any person, company, firm or other

body for the delivery of a particular service or carrying on a particular function, this County Assembly resolves and calls upon the County Government of Bomet to urgently source competent persons, company or firm of legal practitioners to initiate legal proceedings in Kenya and abroad to inter alia seek compensation, return of unlawfully acquired land to the bona fide owners and other remedies from the British Government.

And further this County Assembly urges Her Majesty the Queen of England, Queen Elizabeth II to apologize for the wrongs and atrocities which the British Government orchestrated against the Chepchas Community and the entire Kipsigis Community in Bomet County.

**Denotes the Orders of the day*

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