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*The Assembly met at the Chamber,
Main Assembly Buildings at 2:30 p. m.*

[The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui) in the Chair]

PRAYER

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): Hon. Members, welcome to this afternoon Sitting.

ADJOURNMENT

(Hon. R. Rono rose on a point of order)

Hon. R. Rono: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, thank you. Since we are resuming from the long recess, it is important for us to know the pending businesses so that we can do away them as we start this Session.

(Hon. Z. Kilel rose on a point of order)

Hon. Z. Kilel: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, thank you. We appropriated a budget for water. Right now we are seated here and we do not have water to drink. Thank you.

(Applause)

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): As of the first point of order on the pending businesses before this House, I direct that the Clerk-At-Table updates this House through the Leader of Majority tomorrow 19th February, 2020 in the afternoon Sitting.

As of the welfare issues, that can be sorted out in a different forum since that is an administrative issue. That can be sorted by the Clerk-At-The-Table. Clerk-At-The-Table, stand guided that Members are raising a pertinent issue over the welfare issues.

(Hon. J. Chepkwony rose on a point of order)

Hon. J. Chepkwony: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, thank you. Concerning the pending businesses, the House is still at stake. We Tabled this morning the list of Members proposed to the House Business Committee. I do not know who will allocate the time for those names to be deliberated on; now that we do not have a House Business Committee. Thank you.

(Hon. R. Rono rose on a point of order)

Hon. R. Rono: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, thank you. May I know if we can hold any Committee meetings since we do not have the House Business Committee? Are we allowed to transact any business in our Committees?

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): Thank you. Committees have their own program. They can therefore continue with their businesses as usual. What we do not have at the moment is the House Business Committee to allocate time for the Businesses of this House.

As for the leadership, I directed that the leadership brings the pending businesses before this House. I have not said that those businesses be allocated time. It is the duty of the House Business Committee to allocate time. We only need to know how many businesses that are pending before this House as we start this Session.

Let the leadership of the Assembly through the Leader of Majority Table the pending businesses tomorrow afternoon before the House. It is upon the House to approve or disapprove the House Business Committee.

(Hon. J. Chepkwony rose on a point of order)

Hon. J. Chepkwony: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, thank you. May I know when we are supposed to deliberate on the list of the proposed Members to the House Business Committee? Who will allocate time for the deliberation of that list?

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): Hon. Member, it is now your prayer to the Members to prioritize approving the list. The Motion will be before this House tomorrow as per the Speaker's ruling in the morning Sitting because we have seven days from Wednesday last week. The seven days elapses tomorrow.

(Hon. A. Langat rose on a point of order)

Hon. A. Langat: Hon. Temporary Speaker, Sir, my concern is that, as the Second Assembly, we are slightly past halfway. We are roughly left with twenty two months. Could you advise us on who is to oversight the County Assembly Service Board in terms of the infrastructure that has been laid down? We would wish to use the new facility because we had been told that it will only take six months. We are supposed to fast track on this and utilize it while we are still here. Thank you.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): Thank you. We have been here for over two years and there need to be a mark that we shall leave in this Assembly. I therefore, commit to give the ruling or advice on the same on Wednesday, 26th February, 2020 at 2:30 p. m. The Clerk-At-The-Table should take note of that. Thank you.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. W. Kirui): Hon. Members, there being no other business, this House now stands adjourned to 19th February, 2020 at 9.00 a.m.

The House rose at 2: 40 p. m.