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## DAILY HANSARD

*The Assembly met at the Main Assembly Chamber,*

*Dr. Joyce Laboso Centre at 9:00 a. m*

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Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2023

*(The Assembly met at 9:00 a. m in the*

*County Assembly Mini Chamber at County Assembly Buildings)*

*[Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir) in the Chair]*

### PRAYER

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** Hon. Members, there seems to be no quorum. I order the Serjeant-At-Arms to ring the bell for five minutes.

*(The quorum bell is rung for five minutes)*

*(Hon. Members walked in to the Chamber)*

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** Hon. Members, thank you for arriving and ensuring there is a quorum.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** Hon. Members, as you are aware, Hon. Emily Cheruiyot lost her grandchild. Therefore, we must come together and pass a word of condolence to the Hon. Member. Those who will attend the burial tomorrow, please pass our heartfelt condolences.

### PAPERS

#### BILL

#### First Reading

#### THE BOMET COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2023

The Bomet Supplementary Appropriation Bill 2023

**Hon. E. Kirui (Kimulot Ward, UDA):** Hon. Speaker I seek leave to move the Procedural Motion that The Bomet Supplementary Appropriation Bill 2023 be exempted from the provision of the County Assembly Standing Order 129,

We passed the Supplementary Budget report and we would like to request the Members to pass this Motion because there is a lot of work that needs to be done. We need to complete the work today other than waiting for 7 days. The budget needs to be urgently implemented. I request Hon. Kiprotich to Second.

**Hon. W. Kiprotich (Chepchas Ward, UDA):** Hon. Speaker, owing to the fact that there are so many competing activities as the Chair Budget and Appropriation Committee has alluded, we thank the drafters of the Standing Orders for contemplating times when there are urgencies.

We have a challenge of waiting for 7 days to consider the Appropriation Bill between the First, Second Reading, Committee of the Whole County Assembly and the Third Reading. All the bills should follow the law but Standing Order 129 gives room that Procedural Motion to be moved and the County Assembly accepts that we can reduce the time and finish within a stipulated time. We came to represent the people and we are going to make use of Standing Order 129. I ask the members that we approve the motion and the bill be exempted from the numbers of days and we complete it today. Mr. Speaker I Second.

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** Thank you.

*(Question proposed)*

**Hon. R. Ruttoh (Chemaner Ward, UDA):** Hon. Speaker, thank you for the opportunity to contribute on the Procedural Motion tabled by the Chairperson, Committee on Budget and Appropriation. Having in mind that these Hon. Members, aside from being Members of this Hon. Assembly, they are also parents. If we follow the procedure of 7 days, our children will not go to school. There is no point of us preventing our children from going to school in something that could have been completed in a short time. I therefore, support the Chairperson and the Secunder of the Motion that we complete everything today.

Thank you, Hon. Speaker.

*(Question put and agreed to)*

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** The Committee on Budget and Appropriation, you have thirty minutes to look into the Bomet County Supplementary Appropriation Bill. Thank you.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**Hon. Speaker (Hon. C. Korir):** This session is adjourned until 10:40 a.m.

*The Assembly rose at 9:20 a.m*