

Third Assembly (N0.059)

Fourth Session (059)

## THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF BOMET THIRD ASSEMBLY – (FOURTH SESSION) ORDERS OF THE DAY THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST, 2025 AT 2.30 P.M.

## **PRAYERS Determination of Quorum**

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

## 8\*MOTION- (Hon.Lily Cherotich-Nominated Member representing persons with disabilities)

**THAT**, aware that Article 54 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 guarantees the rights of persons with disabilities, including the right to be treated with dignity and respect and to be addressed and referred to in a manner that is not demeaning; to access educational institutions and facilities for persons with disabilities that are integrated into society to the extent compatible with the interests of the person; to reasonable access to all places, public transport and information; to use Sign language, Braille or other appropriate means of communication; and to access materials and devices to overcome constraints arising from the person's disability.

**FURTHER AWARE** that the Persons with Disabilities Act, 2025, and other national policies provide a framework for the promotion and protection of the welfare of persons with disabilities:

**CONCERNED** that despite these provisions, persons with disabilities in Bomet County continue to face significant challenges, including but not limited to limited access to inclusive education, employment, healthcare, assistive devices, social protection, and public infrastructure;

**NOTING** that the County Government of Bomet has a duty to promote inclusivity and equal opportunities for all residents, regardless of physical or mental ability;

## THIS COUNTY ASSEMBLY RESOLVES THAT the County Government of Bomet:-

- Develops and implements a comprehensive County Disability Policy and Action
   Plan, in line with national and international disability frameworks;
- 2. **Allocates adequate budgetary resources** towards programmes and services targeting persons with disabilities;
- 3. Ensure the accessibility of all public buildings, facilities, transport systems, and ICT platforms for persons with disabilities;
- 4. **Establish a County Disability Fund** for the provision of assistive devices, vocational training, and small business grants for persons with disabilities;
- 5. **Promote inclusive education and employment opportunities** for persons with disabilities across all sectors;
- 6. Strengthen the Disability Mainstreaming Unit within the County Public Service;
- 7. **Ensure meaningful representation of persons with disabilities** in all county decision-making bodies and public participation processes.

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