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**Fifth Session
(030)
(Afternoon sitting)**

REPUBLIC OF KENYA
BOMET COUNTY ASSEMBLY
SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FIFTH SESSION)
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
TUESDAY 6th APRIL, 2021 AT 2.30 P. M

1. The Assembly assembled at Two Thirty O'clock
2. The proceedings were opened with a word of prayer.
3. **COMMUNICATION FROMH THE CHAIR**
The Speaker welcomed the members of the public who were at the public gallery.
4. **PENDING BUSINESSES OF THE ASSEMBLY AS AT 6th March, 2021**

The following businesses are pending before various committees;

PETITIONS

- (a) Petition by Dr. Wilson Kipsang arap Rop concerning Rate/Rent Penalties and Interest levied on the Bomet Plot Owners (*Committed to the Committee on Finance, ICT and Economic Planning*)
- (b) Petition by Peter Bunei Mastamet Concerning Water harvesting and Usage (*Committed to the Committee on Water, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources*)

Bills

1. The Bomet County Equitable Development Bill, 2019- Governor's Memorandum.

Policies

Sessional Paper: Bomet County Climate Change Policy- *Committed to the Committee on Energy, Environment, Water and Natural Resources*

Road Maintenance Policy - *Committed to the Committee on Roads, Transport and Public Works*

Reports

1. County Government of Bomet Consolidated Reports and Financial Statements for the Financial Quarter ended June 30th 2019- *Committed to the Committee on Finance, ICT and Economic Planning.*
2. Fourth Quarter Financial Statement and Reports for the Bomet County Executive for the Financial Year 2019/2020- *Committed to the Committee on Finance, ICT and Economic Planning.*
3. The report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of Bomet County Assembly for the year ended 30 June 2018- *Committed to the Public Investment and Public Accounts Committee.*
4. The report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of Bomet County Executive for the year ended 30 June 2018- *Committed to the Public Investment and Public Accounts Committee.*
5. County Budget Review and Outlook Paper (CBROP), 2020- *Committed to the Committee on Budget and Appropriation).*
6. The report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of Bomet County Car Loan and Mortgage scheme fund for the year ended 30 June 2018- *Committed to the Public Investment and Public Accounts Committee.*

7. The report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of Bomet County Bursary Fund for the year ended 30 June 2018- *Committed to the Public Investment and Public Accounts Committee.*
8. Bomet County Quarterly Reports and Financial Statements for the Quarter ended 30th September 2020.
9. The Report of the Auditor-General on the County Assembly of Bomet for the year ended 30 June, 2019
10. The Report of the Auditor-General on the County Executive of Bomet for the year ended 30 June, 2019
11. The expenditure report for the Financial Year 2019/2020 for the department of roads; - *Committed to the Committee on Roads, Transport and Public Works*
12. Progress report for the FY 2019/2020 for the department of Roads; - *Committed to the Committee on Roads, Transport and Public Works*
13. Special Audit Report of the Auditor-General on Financial operations of Bomet County Executive, Financial Year 2015/2016 - *Committed to the Public Investment and Public Accounts Committee.*
14. The Bomet County Assembly 2020-2021 itemized based budget for the year ending 30th June, 2021.
15. The Consolidated reports and Financial Statements for the Financial Quarter ended December 31st, 2020. (Committee on Finance, ICT and Economic Planning)
16. The Annual Report of the Bomet County Public Service Board for the year ending 31st December, 2020. (*Committee on Labour and Public Service*)

5. **MEMBERS PRESENT**

- 1) Hon. Kiprotich Wesley
- 2) Hon. Bore Winnie
- 3) Hon. Kelong Joseph
- 4) Hon. Koech Ambrose
- 5) Hon. Maritim David
- 6) Hon. Andrew Maritim
- 7) Hon. Charles Langat
- 8) Hon. Barchok Kipngetich
- 9) Hon. Mutai Cecilia
- 10) Hon. Korir Philip
- 11) Hon. Augustine Koske
- 12) Hon. Chepkemai Evaline
- 13) Hon. Cherotich Clara
- 14) Hon. Serbai Robert
- 15) Hon. Kilel Zadock

6. **Members absent**

- 1) Hon. Nelson Mutai- Speaker
- 2) Hon. Chirchir Richard
- 3) Hon. Chesangi Alice
- 4) Hon Janet Turgut
- 5) Hon. Langat C. Jane
- 6) Hon. Chemutai Catherine
- 7) Hon. Kirui Leonard
- 8) Hon. Chepkirui Marcella
- 9) Hon. Kirui Josphat
- 10) Hon. Chepkwony Joseah
- 11) Hon. Kirui Haron
- 12) Hon. Bett Wesley
- 13) Hon. Ngeny Leonard
- 14) Hon. Langat Alfred
- 15) Hon. Robert Langat
- 16) Hon. Kilel Zadock
- 17) Hon. Chepkirui Ridha
- 18) Hon. Weldon Kirui
- 19) Hon. Kipkirui Davis
- 20) Hon. Chepkorir Hellen

- 21) Hon. Mutai Vincent
- 22) Hon. Rono Robert
- 23) Hon. Keter Samuel

7. PAPERS LAID

The following papers were laid on the table of the County Assembly –

- i) Hon. Cicilia Mutai tabled the report of the Committee on Gender, Culture and Social Services on the 2019/2020 F/Y expenditure report of the Bomet County Department of Youth, Gender, Culture and Sports.
- ii) Hon. Winnie Bore tabled the Supplementary Budget Estimates F/Y 2020/2021. The Committee on Budget and Appropriations was given 10 days to table a report.
- iii) Hon. Charles Langat tabled the Report of the Committee on Labour and Public Service on the Annual report of the County Public Service Board for the period ending 31st December, 2020.
- iv) Hon. Leonard Kirui tabled the Annual Report of the County Assembly Service Board.

8. Statements due on 6th April, 2021 at 2.30 p.m.

- 1. Comprehensive statement was sought by Hon. Weldon Kirui from the Chairperson Committee on Labour and Public Service regarding the office of the County Secretary. In the statement, the chairperson should respond on the following:
 - a) In the view of the recent judgment issued by the High Court of Kenya at Kisumu nullifying the appointment of Stella Chepkoech Langat as the County Secretary, I seek to be informed by the County Executive Committee Member for Administration, ICT and Public Service on what measures has been taken by the County Executive following her nullification of being the County Secretary?
 - b) Whether the County Government has initiated the process of recruiting the County Secretary
 - c) Who is the Acting County Secretary?
 - d) The County Assembly be furnished with a list of all the appointments and contracts executed by the former County Secretary Ms Stella Chepkoech Langat from the date of her appointment up to date for purposes of mitigating any potential legal challenges (*Statement sought by Hon. Weldon Kirui*)

(The Statement was committed to the Committee on Labour and Public Service)

2. Mr. Speaker I rise to seek a comprehensive statement from the Chairperson Committee Labour and Social Services
3. I wish to be furnished with a comprehensive report by the County Public Service Board on the recruitments conducted by the it from 1st January, 2020 to date.
4. The report should entail the list of all the applicants, shortlisted candidates and eventually those who got employed and the positions they hold. Further the report should indicate the position applied for, their sub counties and wards.
5. The report should further demonstrate whether the requirements of section 65 of the County Government Act, 2012 were met.
6. The expenditure report of the CPSB from 1st January, 2020 to date.
7. The list of the panelists conducting the interviews.” (*Statement sought by Hon. Augustine Koske*)

(The Statement was committed to the Committee on Labour and Public Service)

All the statements were deferred to 7th April, 2021 at 2.30 p. m

Hon. Andrew Maritim sought the following statement-

I wish to seek for a comprehensive statement from the Chairperson Committee on Education, Youth and Sports concerning the status of the Bomet IAAF stadium. In the statement, I wish to be specifically informed on the following issues-

- i) The current status of the reconciliation between Bomet University College and County Government of Bomet regarding the IAAF stadium which was constructed on County Government land parcel, Bomet Township 307/308.
- ii) What is the total amount of money spent by County Government of Bomet on the project so far?
- iii) Whether the County Government has conducted valuation of the land occupied by the stadium?
- iv) Whether there have been any efforts to acquire land in compensation to the University in an alternative area within the County?
- v) Whether or not the County Government has explored the option of having the facility acquitted and constructed at Mismis/Sigor registered and occupied by Sigor High School and then have the current location

- consolidated and handed over to Bomet University College to increase its land capacity ownership?
- vi) Whether or not the original master plan of the Bomet University College is being complied with to the latter particularly on the issue whether the research Centre have been centralized as outlined in the charter which states as follows “Bomet University College envisions having research centres in the following five important objectives set out on the following locations:
- a) Centre for green livestock research – Sigor Sub County
 - b) Centre for tea research – Konoin Sub County
 - c) Centre for research in alternative medicine – Bomet East Sub County
 - d) Environmental and climate change research centre- Sotik Sub County
 - e) Centre for research in Africa musicology – Bomet Central Sub County
 - f) The above research centres will be developed to international standard in collaboration with leading local and international partners”.
- vii) Whether or not the County Physical Planning department have approved all the constructions currently going on at the Bomet University College?

9. ADJOURNMENT

The Assembly was adjourned to Wednesday, 7th April 2021 at 09.00 a.m.

10.The Assembly rose at 1500 Hours.