

# MURANGA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

## THE HANSARD

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2016

The House Met at 9.40 a.m.

*(The Speaker Hon. Nduati Kariuki in the Chair)*

### PRAYERS

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

Hon. members, tomorrow morning we have invited a prominent Kenyan and a person from Muranga; Hon Charles Rubia E.G.H to address the House.

Hon Rubia has a long history of public service; he was the first mayor of Nairobi city and served as a cabinet minister with various portfolios under both Mzee Jomo Kenyatta and President Moi.

His suffering under Moi's regime together with another prominent person from Muranga, Hon. Kenneth Matiba is well known. It is just right that this Assembly should honour such people; it is a great honour for anyone to be invited to address parliament; this is given rarely and to special people.

Hon. members have on various occasions expressed their desire to get such speakers and I appeal to the members to turn up in large numbers to listen to the wisdom and advice of these prominent son of Murang'a and Kenya.

Hon. Rubia and his group are also inviting Hon. members and leaders for lunch within the precincts of the Assembly. We had opted to treat them for lunch but they opted to host us in a hotel and later changed to the Assembly for convenience of the members.

For this reason the Speaker, under the standing order number 31, is recommending that tomorrow's sitting be at 9:30 a.m. instead of 2:30p.m. This will be confirmed by the House Business Committee.

I wish to make it clear that the invitation to Hon. Rubia has no partisan political agenda at all, as has been interpreted in certain quarters; the Speaker will in fact not allow any speeches that may divide the Assembly or the people of Murang'a or express support or non-support for any candidate ;MCA's, MP's or Governor.

Let us keep divisive politics out of this function. Thank you hon. members

### PAPERS LAID

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTATION ON IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF THE ALCOHOLIC DRINKS CONTROL ACT, 2015

**Hon. Charles Karina:** Thank you Mr. Speaker, I beg to lay the following paper on the Table of the Assembly;-

The report of the committee on Implementation, on implementation status of the Alcoholic Drinks Control Act, 2015.

*(Hon. Charles Karina laid the paper on the Table)*

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTATION ON IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

**Hon. Charles Karina:** I beg to lay the following paper on the Table of the Assembly;-  
The report of the committee on Implementation on Implementation Status of adopted resolutions for the department of Environment and Natural Resources.

*(Hon. Charles Karina laid the paper on the Table)*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTATION ON IMPLEMENTATION  
STATUS OF ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
SANITATION

**Hon. Charles Karina:** Thank you once again Mr. Speaker, I beg to lay the following paper on the Table of the Assembly;-

The report of the committee on Implementation on Implementation status of adopted resolutions for the department of Health and Sanitation.

*(Hon. Charles Karina laid the paper on the Table)*

REPORT ON TAXI/MATATU OMNIBUS BY-LAWS, 2007

**Hon. Isaac Kamote:** Mr. Speaker, I am a member of the Delegated and Legislation committee and I wish to lay the following paper on the Table of the Assembly;-

The report of the Delegated County Legislation committee on Taxi/Matatu Omnibus By-Laws, 2007

*(Hon. Isaac Kamote laid the paper on the Table)*

Thank you Mr. Speaker.

REPORT OF DELEGATED COUNTY LEGISLATION COMMITTEE ON  
PERMITTING/LICENSING AND CONTROL OF SAND AND MINERALS BY- LAWS 2007.

**Hon. Isaac Kamote:**, I beg to lay the following paper on the Table of the Assembly;-

The report of the Delegated County Legislation committee on permitting/Licensing and control of sand and minerals By- Laws 2007.

*(Hon. Isaac Kamote laid the paper on the Table)*

**NOTICES OF MOTION**

REPORT OF THE DELEGATED COUNTY LEGISLATION COMMITTEE ON  
PERMITTING/LICENSING AND CONTROL OF SAND AND MINERALS BY- LAWS  
2007

**Hon. Isaac Kamote,** I beg to give notice on the following;-

That, this Assembly adopts the report of the Delegated County Legislation committee on permitting/Licensing and control of sand and minerals By- Laws 2007, laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday June 7, 2016.

INSPECTION AND ACCREDITATION OF HEALTH FACILITIES TO ENSURE  
NATIONAL HOSPITAL INSURANCE FUND (NHIF) MEMBERS ACCESS SERVICES

**Hon. Charles Kirigwi:** I wish to give notice of the following motion;-

Aware that attaining the highest possible health standards in a manner responsive to the population needs is the core focus of the Kenya Health Sector Strategic plan, under vision 2030, and the national government manifesto as well, further aware that this goal can only be

achieved through supporting provision of equitable, affordable and quality health services at the highest attainable standards, to all Kenyans, recognizing that access to basic health care is an economic and social right, pursuant to Article 43, (1) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya, cognizant of the fact that Health Services is a devolved county function under part 2 (2) of the Fourth schedule; this Hon. Assembly resolves that the County Executive Member in charge of Health and Sanitation;

1. Should commence the accreditation process of all health facilities in the county by the National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF), so as to ensure all members access NHIF benefits from whenever they are across the county.
2. Should conduct inspection of all health facilities in the county to establish their compliance with National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) accreditation standards, in terms of vital services, personnel, infrastructure and equipment among other requirements.
3. Should protect the funds received from NHIF as rebates for forwarding to respective facilities, through opening of a special account for the same, to avoid misdirecting of the funds to other uses.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

**The Speaker:** Hon. members the House resumes this afternoon at 2.30. Thank you.

*The House rose at 9.52 a.m.*