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COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KISUMU



THIRD ASSEMBLY: SECOND SESSION

SECTORAL COMMITTEE ON CO-OPERATIVES, FINANCE, TRADE AND ENTERPRISE  
DEVELOPMENT

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REPORT ON THE STATEMENT RAISED BY HON. LUMUMBA OWADE CONCERNING THE  
GENERAL SAFETY OF TRADE MERCHANDISE IN SONDU MARKET IN SOUTH EAST  
NYAKACH WARD

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MARCH, 2023

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## **1.0 PREFACE**

### **1.1 BACKGROUND**

Hon. Speaker Sir and Hon. Members,

During the Assembly sitting on **Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2022**, Hon. Lumumba Owade the MCA for South East Nyakach Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 41(2, a & b), sought for a statement from the Chairperson of the Committee on Cooperatives, Finance, Trade and Enterprise Development regarding the general safety of trade merchandise in Sondu Market in his ward (**see annex i**).

The statement was committed to my Committee to undertake inquiries and report the Findings and Recommendations to House.

I hereby submit the Committee Report on its consideration of this matter as directed by this Honorable House and request the Honorable Members to deliberate on it and adopt it

### **1.2 ESTABLISHMENT AND MANDATE OF THE COMMITTEE**

Hon. Speaker Sir and Hon. Members,

The Sectoral Committee on Co-Operatives, Finance, Trade And Enterprise Development is established pursuant to the County Assembly of Kisumu Standing Order No. 193 (5) and is mandated to:-

- i). Investigate, inquire into, and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management, activities, administration, operations and estimates of the assigned departments;
- ii). Study the program and policy objectives of departments and the effectiveness of the implementation;
- iii). Study and review all County legislation referred to it;
- iv). Study, assess and analyze the relative success of the departments as measured by the results obtained as compared with their stated objectives;

- v). Investigate and inquire into all matters relating to the assigned departments as they may deem necessary, and as may be referred to them by the County Assembly;
- vi). To vet and report on all appointments where the Constitution or any law requires the County Assembly to approve, except those under Standing Order 185 (Committee on Appointments); and
- vii). Make reports and recommendations to the County Assembly as often as possible, including recommendations of proposed legislations.

### 1.3 COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

**Hon. Speaker,**

As currently constituted, the sectoral committee on Co-Operatives, Finance, Trade and Enterprise Development is comprised of the following members;

|     |                             |   |                    |
|-----|-----------------------------|---|--------------------|
| 1.  | <b>Hon. Carren Odhiambo</b> | - | <b>Chairperson</b> |
| 2.  | Hon. Lumumba Owade          | - | Vice-chairperson   |
| 3.  | Hon. Joachim Oketch         | - | Member             |
| 4.  | Hon. Mickey Ochieng'        | - | Member             |
| 5.  | Hon. Ratib Boitone          | - | Member             |
| 6.  | Hon. Benson Adegga          | - | Member             |
| 7.  | Hon. Vitalis Komudho        | - | Member             |
| 8.  | Hon. Pamela Oyoo            | - | Member             |
| 9.  | Hon. Jennipher Obonyo       | - | Member             |
| 10. | Hon. Ken Ouko               | - | Member             |
| 11. | Hon. Millicent Omuya        | - | Member             |
| 12. | Hon. George Abaja           | - | Member             |
| 13. | Hon. Henrietta Bodo         | - | Member             |
| 14. | Hon. Alice Wajewa           | - | Member             |
| 15. | Hon. Ann Ochola             | - | Member             |

## Secretariat

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|-------------------|---|------------------|
| 1. Edwin Omollo   | - | Committee Clerk  |
| 2. Moses Orwa     | - | Clerk Assistant  |
| 3. Brenda Chasi   | - | Clerk Assistant  |
| 4. Zablon Otiende | - | Hansard          |
| 5. Abraham Odegi  | - | Sergeant-at-Arms |

### 1.4 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I extend gratitude to the offices of the Speaker and the Clerk for the invaluable support accorded to us by creating an enabling environment for better conduct of this assignment and offering all that was necessary for this reporting.

I also applaud the Committee Members who despite their busy schedule sacrificed their time and honored all invites for Committee meetings and gave their input which greatly impacted this course.

To the CECM. Trade, Tourism, Industry and Marketing, I appreciate you for always obeying this Committee and providing information as required.

Lastly, I want to thank our secretariat for a super coordinated work throughout the process providing technical support and preparing and producing this report.

To this Honorable House, it now my appeal that you deliberate on this report and consider it for adoption.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'KZ', is written over a horizontal dotted line on a light-colored background.

**HON. CARREN AJWANG**

**CHAIRPERSON, COOPERATIVES, FINANCE, TRADE AND ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT  
COMMITTEE**

## 1.5 METHODOLOGY

**Mr. Speaker Sir and Hon. Members,**

The Committee applied the following approaches during its consideration of this statement;

- Prepared an action program.
- Requested for Committee Meetings to deliberate on the statement, analyze the responses and report to the House
- Communicated to the Department requesting for a comprehensive response on the Concerns.

## 1.6 COMMITTEE MEETINGS

**Mr. Speaker sir and Hon. Members,**

The Committee held four meetings in processing this matter and scrutinizing the response submitted from the Department TTIM.

During its first meeting, the Committee resolved and directed the Clerk to write to the Department of TTIM requesting them to give a comprehensive written response on the concerns raised by Hon. Member (**see annex ii**).

In its 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting, the Committee resolved and directed the Clerk to write a reminder to the CECM. Trade, Tourism, Industry and Markets to submit the response since the timeline given by the Committee had elapsed (**see annex iii**).

In the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Meeting, the Committee resolved and directed the Clerk to write a second reminder to the Department and deliberated on the response and mandated its secretariat to prepare this report for tabling in the House respectively.

## 1.7 CONCERNS RAISED BY HON. LUMUMBA OWADE (MCA SOUTH EAST NYAKACH)

**MR. Speaker Sir and Hon. Members,**

The key issue raised by the Hon. Member was the deteriorating security status of Sondu Market occasioned by lack of any market security arrangements exposing the trade-wares to increased case of theft in the Market.

In light of the above, the Committee was required to provide details of the Market-Security arrangements and general market management mechanism that the Department of Trade, Tourism, Industry and Markets has put in place to offer sustainable, safety and security services to the merchandise and trade wares in Sondu Market.

The Clerk was directed to formally write to the Department of TTIM to provide a comprehensive written response on the above concerns for consideration by the Committee.

The CECM. For Trade, Tourism, Industry and Markets, accordingly submitted their response to Committee vide a letter Ref: CGK/CECM/TEI/CA/5/VOL.I dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2022 for consideration (**see annex iv**).

## 2.0 COMMITTEE OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS

Mr. Speaker sir and Hon. Members,

Based on the response by the CECM. TTIM and further examination by the Committee, the following were established;

- I. That the Department of Trade, Tourism, Industry do have people employed as security officers to offer security services to the Merchandise and Trade Wares in all markets in Kisumu County with no exemption to Sondu Market
- II. That the Department does not have any elaborate security arrangement in any of the Markets in the County due to lack of budgetary provision to institute the measures.
- III. That the Market Management Committees always make local arrangements with traders to engage few individuals to offer security services but at their own cost.
- IV. That the Department budgeted for the Security arrangement services in the FY 2019/2020 and 2020/2021 and but was rejected thus unable provide security services in the all the Markets in the County.

### 3.0 COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

**Mr. Speaker Sir and Hon. Members,**

Based on the Observations and Findings herein, the committee makes the following recommendations;

1. The Department of TTIM to conduct a rapid assessment of the current general security status and arrangement for all markets in the County and submit their report the Assembly within a period of adoption of this report
2. The Department of TTIM to assess, prepare and propose to the Assembly the Budgetary estimates for initiating and providing an elaborate security arrangement services in all Markets in the County in the their proposed Departmental Budget Estimates for FY 2023/2024 and other succeeding years for review and consideration by the Assembly.
3. That, this House upon scrutiny and examination of the proposed Departmental Budget for providing the security services in all markets in the County to appropriately consider and approve the Budget and make follow up on its implementation status through its relevant oversight structures.

### 5.0 CONCLUSION

**Hon. Speaker,**

I hereby urge the Hon. members to adopt this report with the recommendations herein. May I call upon Hon.....to second.

# ANNEX I

*Handwritten signature and date: 08/11/2022*

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KISUMU



THIRD ASSEMBLY –FIRST SESSION  
STATEMENT REQUEST BY HON. LUMUMBA OWADE

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 41(2,a, b), I rise to seek a Statement from the Chairperson of the Committee on Cooperatives, Finance, Trade and Enterprise Development on the general safety of trade merchandise in Sondu market in South East Nyakach. The market is currently lacking any market-security arrangements thus exposing the trade-wares to increased cases of theft of goods in the market.

In the statement, the Chairperson should;

1. Provide details of the market-security arrangements and general market management mechanisms that the department has put in place to offer sustainable safety and security services to the merchandise and trade-wares in Sondu market.

SIGN: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>RD</sup> NOV. 2022

HON. LUMUMBA OWADE  
MCA- SOUTH EAST NYAKACH/ DEPUTY LEADER OF MAJORITY

# ANNEX II

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## County Assembly of Kisumu OFFICE OF THE CLERK

REF: CAK/TTIM/CG/VOL. I/2022

DATE: FRIDAY, 11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2022

The County Executive Committee Member,  
Department of Trade, Tourism, Industry and Marketing  
County Government of Kisumu,

*Thro'*  
The County Secretary.



RE: RESPONSE FOR STATEMENT SOUGHT ON THE FLOOR OF THE HOUSE

The above matter refers:

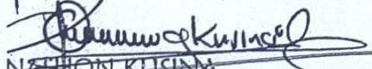
The Constitution of Kenya, 2010, under Article 185 (3) & Article 195 (2) (b) and Kisumu County Assembly Standing Orders No. 174 & 204 give the County Assembly or any of its Committees the power to request and compel production of documents or information.

This is to inform you that a statement was raised in the House during its session on Wednesday, 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2022 by Hon. Lumumba Owade MCA, South East Nyakach and was committed to the Committee on Cooperatives, Finance, Trade and Enterprise Development.

You are therefore directed to submit a comprehensive and detailed written response on the question in the statement on or before Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2022.

Annexed to this letter is a copy of the statement as approved by the Speaker.

Kindly oblige.

  
NATHAN KUSINA  
FOR CLERK OF THE ASSEMBLY

CC:  
HON. SPEAKER  
CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON COOPERATIVE, FINANCE, TRADE AND ENTERPRISE  
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# ANNEX III

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## County Assembly of Kisumu

### OFFICE OF THE CLERK

REF: CAK/TTIM/CG/VOL. 2/2022

DATE: THURSDAY, 17<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2022

The County Executive Committee Member,  
Department of Trade, Tourism, Industry and Marketing  
County Government of Kisumu,

**REMINDER**



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The County Secretary.

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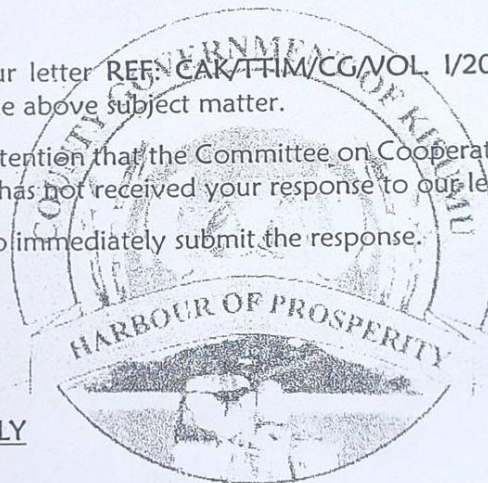
Reference is made to our letter REF: CAK/TTIM/CG/VOL. 1/2022 dated FRIDAY, 11<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2022 on the above subject matter.

This is to bring to your attention that the Committee on Cooperatives, Finance, Trade and Enterprise Development has not received your response to our letter.

I therefore remind you to immediately submit the response.

Kindly oblige.

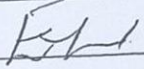
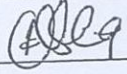
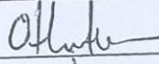
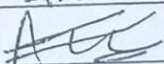
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DEVELOPMENT

## APENDICES

### Appendix 01: Approval Schedule

|    | NAME                  | DESIGNATION      | SIGNATURE                                                                             |
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| 1  | Hon. Carren Odhiambo  | Chairperson      |    |
| 2  | Hon. Lumumba Owade    | Vice-Chairperson |                                                                                       |
| 3  | Hon. Joachim Oketch   | Member           |    |
| 4  | Hon. Mickey Ochieng'  | Member           | M.A.O                                                                                 |
| 5  | Hon. Ratib Boitone    | Member           |                                                                                       |
| 6  | Hon. Benson Adega     | Member           | B.A.A                                                                                 |
| 7  | Hon. Vitalis Komudho  | Member           | V.O.K                                                                                 |
| 8  | Hon. Pamela Oyoo      | Member           |  |
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| 14 | Hon. Alice Wajewa     | Member           | Awo                                                                                   |
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