

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KISUMU



COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KISUMU SELECTION COMMITTEE

REPORT ON THE REALIGNMENT OF COUNTY ASSEMBLY COMMITTEES

**Presented by;
Hon Kennedy Ooko
Chairperson
MARCH 2024**

**Directorate of Committee Services
County Assembly Buildings**

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Hon Speaker,

Standing Orders No. 155 (1) of the Kisumu County Assembly Standing Orders provides that “There shall be a select Committee, to be designated the Committee on Selection, consisting of the Leader of the Majority Party who shall be the Chairperson, the Leader of the Minority Party and not less than nine and not more than eleven other Members, who shall be nominated by the County Assembly parties and approved by the County Assembly.”

Standing Orders No. 159 (*Discharge of a Member from a Committee*) also provides that,

- (1) The County Assembly party that nominated a Member to a select Committee, may give notice in writing to the Speaker, that the Member is to be discharged from a select Committee.
- (2) The discharge of a Member shall take effect upon receipt by the Speaker of a notice under paragraph (1).

Hon Speaker,

The county assembly recently amended our standing orders, these changes resulted to the decrease of membership of committees. Hon Speaker communicated the same on the floor of the House and thereafter directed the Selection Committee to initiate the process of realignment of Committees to accommodate the Changes.

Mandate and Legal framework

Hon Speaker,

The Committee on Selection derives its mandates from County Assembly Standing Orders No. 155 (2) which provides that *the Committee on Selection shall nominate Members to serve in Committees, save for the membership of the County Assembly Business Committee and Committee on Appointments.*

While carrying out this exercise, the Committee was guided by;

1. The Constitution of Kenya, 2010 Fourth Schedule on Devolved Functions
2. County Government Act, 2012
3. Kisumu County Assembly Standing Orders
4. Resolution of the house following the adoption of Procedures and rules committee report on the amendments on the Kisumu county assembly standing orders on Thursday 30th June 2023.
5. Selection Committee reports on constitution of House Committees.

Membership

The Committee on Selection comprises of the following;

1. Hon Kennedy Ooko	-	Chairperson
2. Hon Seth Kanga	-	Vice Chairperson-
3. Hon Nereah Okombo	-	Member-
4. Hon Seth Okumu	-	Member-
5. Hon Lumumba Owade	-	Member-
6. Hon Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member-
7. Hon. Vitalis K’Omudho	-	Member-
8. Hon Ratib Boitone	-	Member-
9. Hon Pamela Oyoo	-	Member-

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Hon Speaker,

The Selection Committee wishes to sincerely thank the offices of the Speaker and the Clerk of the County Assembly for the moral and financial support extended to it in the execution of this exercise. All this is geared towards ensuring efficient and smooth operationalization of Assembly legislation and enhance productivity.

I also take this opportunity to thank Members of the Committee for their participation during the preparation of this report.

Finally, my appreciation goes to the technical staff for their time and efforts put forward to ensure this exercise was a success.



Hon Ooko Kennedy Ouma
Majority Leader/ Chairperson.

PROPOSED RE-ALIGNMENT OF HOUSE COMMITTEES

Hon Speaker,

After reviewing all the Committees within its mandate and in exercise of the powers conferred to it, the Committee on Selection resolved that membership of various Committees be as follows;

Selection Committee

1. Hon Kennedy Ooko	-	Chairperson
2. Hon Seth Kanga	-	Vice Chairperson
3. Hon Nereah Okombo	-	Member
4. Hon Seth Okumu	-	Member
5. Hon Lumumba Owade	-	Member
6. Hon Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member
7. Hon. Vitalis K’Omudho	-	Member
8. Hon Ratib Boitone	-	Member
9. Hon Pamela Oyoo	-	Member

House Business Committee

1. Hon Elisha Jack Oraro	-	Chairperson
2. Hon Nereah Okombo	-	Vice Chairperson
3. Hon Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
4. Hon Seth Kanga	-	Member
5. Hon Seth Okumu	-	Member
6. Hon Lumumba Owade	-	Member
7. Hon Eunice Alando	-	Member
8. Hon Carren Odhiambo	-	Member
9. Hon Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member

Appointments Committee

1. Hon Elisha Jack Oraro	-	Chairperson
2. Hon George Abaja	-	Vice chairperson
3. Hon Kennneddy Ooko	-	Member
4. Hon Lumumba Owade	-	Member
5. Hon Seth Kanga	-	Member
6. Hon. Zachary Okoyo	-	Member
7. Hon Nereah Okombo	-	Member
8. Hon Eunice Alando	-	Member
9. Hon Carren Odhiambo	-	Member

Budget and Appropriations committee

1. Hon. Joachim Oketch	-	Chairperson
2. Hon. Seth Okumu	-	Vice Chairperson
3. Hon. Nereah Okombo	-	Member
4. Hon. Boitone Ratib	-	Member
5. Hon. Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
6. Hon. Moses Ochele	-	Member
7. Hon Seth Kanga	-	Member
8. Hon Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member
9. Hon. Vincent Jagongo	-	Member
10. Hon. Geoffrey Warindu	-	Member
11. Hon. George Abaja	-	Member
12. Hon. Lumumba Owade	-	Member
13. Hon. Carren Odhiambo	-	Member
14. Hon. Reuben Rakwach	-	Member
15. Hon. Pamela Oyoo	-	Member

Powers and Privileges committee

1. Hon Elisha Oraro	-	Chairperson
2. Hon Adeg Benson	-	Vice Chairperson
3. Hon Emily Oginga	-	Member
4. Hon Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
5. Hon Nancy Matara	-	Member
6. Hon Anne Ochola	-	Member
7. Hon Samwel Onyango	-	Member
8. Hon. Vitalis K'Omudho	-	Member
9. Hon Kennedy Ouko	-	Member-

Procedure and Rules committee

1. Hon Elisha Oraro	-	Chairperson
2. Hon Pamela Oyoo	-	Vice chairperson
3. Hon Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member
4. Hon Nereah Okombo	-	Member
5. Hon Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
6. Hon Kennedy Ouko	-	Member
7. Hon. Seth Okumu	-	Member
8. Hon Emily Oginga	-	Member
9. Hon Kennedy Ajwang'	-	Member

Public Accounts and Investment committee

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|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon. Kennedy Ouko | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Geoffrey Warindu | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Reuben Rakwach | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. James Omollo | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Nancy Matara | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Seth Okumu | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. James Were | - | Member |

Implementation committee

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|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon Henrietta Bodo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. James Were | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Vincent Jagongo | - | Member |
| 4. Hon Ann Ochola | - | Member |
| 5. Hon Geoffrey Warindu | - | Member |
| 6. Hon Mickey Awuor | - | Member |
| 7. Hon Carolyne Opar | - | Member |
| 8. Hon. Ratib Boitone | - | Member |
| 9. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo | - | Member |

Delegated County Legislation committee

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|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon Mariam Abeid | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon Peter Obaso | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon Moses Ochele | - | Member |
| 4. Hon Carolyne Opar | - | Member |
| 5. Hon Samuel Dede | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Kennedy Ajwang' | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. James Omollo | - | Member |
| 8. Hon Mickey Ochieng | - | Member |
| 9. Hon. Henrietta Bodo | - | Member |

Agriculture, Fisheries, Livestock Development and Irrigation committee

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|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon Eunice Alando | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon Bill Oliver | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon Samuel Dede | - | Member |
| 4. Hon Maurice Ngeta | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Jennipher Obonyo | - | Member |
| 6. Hon Pamela Oyoo | - | Member |
| 7. Hon Vincent jagongo | - | Member |

Medical Services, Public Health and Sanitation committee

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| 1. Hon. Vincent Jagongo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Emily Oginga | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Seth Okumu | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Joachim Oketch | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Nereah Okombo | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Lumumba Owade | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Kennedy Ooko | - | Member |

Sports, Culture, Gender and Youth Affairs committee

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|-----------------------------|---|------------------|
| 1. Hon Nancy Matara Ochieng | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon James Were | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon Maurice Ngeta | - | Member |
| 4. Hon Zachary Okoyo | - | Member |
| 5. Hon James Omollo | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Benson Adegga | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo | - | Member |

Lands, Housing, Physical Planning and Urban Development committee

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| 1. Hon Boitone Ratib | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon James Omollo | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon Seth Kanga | - | Member |
| 4. Hon Moses Ochele | - | Member |
| 5. Hon Joachim Oketch | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Zachary Okoyo | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. George Abaja | - | Member |

Education, Technical Training, Innovation and Social Services committee

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|--------------------------|---|------------------|
| 1. Hon. Seth Okumu | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Vitalis K'Omudho | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Bill Oliver | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Kennedy Ouko | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Samwel Onyango | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. James Omollo | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Benson Adegga | - | Member |

Infrastructure, Energy and Public Works committee

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| 1. Hon Reuben Rakwach | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon Anne Ochola | - | Vice chairperson |
| 3. Hon Seth Kanga | - | Member |

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| 4. Hon. George Abaja | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Jennipher Obonyo | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Kennedy Ooko | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Lumumba Owade | - | Member |

Finance, and ICT committee

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| 1. Hon. Carren Odhiambo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Lumumba Owade | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Joachim Oketch | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Mickey Awuor | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Kennedy Ouko | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Benson Adegga | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. George Abaja | - | Member |

Labour and Social Welfare committee

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| 1. Hon. Zachary Okoyo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Kennedy Ooko | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Alice Wajewa | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Benson Adegga | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Eunice Alando | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Seth Kanga | - | Member |
| 8. Hon. Mickey Awuor | - | Member |
| 9. Hon. Emily Oginga | - | Member |

Administration of Law, Justice, Constitutional Affairs, Good Governance and Security committee

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|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon. Moses Ochele | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Reuben Rakwach | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Samwel Onyango | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Mariam Abeid | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. James Were | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Anne Ochola | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Vincent Jagongo | - | Member |

Water, Environment, Natural Resources and Climate change committee

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|----------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon. Samuel Dede | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Mickey Awuor | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Emily Oginga | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Peter Obaso | - | Member |

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| 5. Hon. Pamela Oyoo | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Warindu Geofrey | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Maurice Ngeta | - | Member |

Trade, Tourism, Industry and Marketing committee

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|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon. Alice Wajewa | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Kennedy Ajwang' | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Samuel Dede | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Eunice Alando | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Peter Obaso | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Bill Oliver | - | Member |

Ward Development committee

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|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. Hon. Vitalis K'Omudho | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Samwel Onyango | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Alice Wajewa | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Mariam Abeid | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Peter Obaso | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Carolyne Opar | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Kennedy Ajwang' | - | Member |
| 8. Hon. Bill Oliver | - | Member |
| 9. Hon. Henrietta Bodo | - | Member |

Welfare and Equal Opportunity committee

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| 1. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Maurice Ngeta | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Emily Oginga | - | Member |
| 4. Hon. Mariam Abeid | - | Member |
| 5. Hon. Carolyne Opar | - | Member |
| 6. Hon. Geofrey Warindu | - | Member |
| 7. Hon. Eunice Alando | - | Member |
| 8. Hon. Anne Ochola | - | Member |
| 9. Hon. Carren Odhiambo | - | Member |

Liaison committee

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| 1. Hon. Nereah Okombo | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Vincent Jagongo | - | Vice Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Elisha jack Oraro | - | Member |

4. Hon. Reuben Rakwach	-	Member
5. Hon. Boitone Ratib	-	Member
6. Hon. Moses Ochele	-	Member
7. Hon. Alice Wajewa	-	Member
8. Hon. Samuel Dede	-	Member
9. Hon. Kennedy Ouko	-	Member
10. Hon. Zachary Okoyo	-	Member
11. Hon. Carren Odhiambo	-	Member
12. Hon. Seth Okumu	-	Member
13. Hon. Eunice Alando	-	Member
14. Hon. Mariam Abeid	-	Member
15. Hon. Henrietta Bodo	-	Member
16. Hon. Nancy Matara	-	Member
17. Hon. Vitalis K'Omudho	-	Member
18. Hon. Joachim Oketch	-	Member
19. Hon. Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
20. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo	-	Member
21. Hon. Seth Kanga	-	Member
22. Hon. Lumumba Owade	-	Member
23. Hon. Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member
24. Hon. Emily Oginga	-	Member
25. Hon. Pamela Oyoo	-	Member
26. Hon. George Abaja	-	Member

General Oversight committee

1. Hon. Elisha .J. Oraro	-	Chairperson
2. Hon. Carolyn Opar	-	Vice Chairperson
3. Hon. Nereah Okombo	-	Member
4. Hon. Kennedy Ooko	-	Member
5. Hon. Seth Kanga	-	Member
6. Hon. Lumumba Owade	-	Member
7. Hon. Jennipher Obonyo	-	Member
8. Hon. George Abaja	-	Member
9. Hon. Oiko Pete	-	Member
10. Hon. Vincent Jagongo	-	Member
11. Hon. Maurice Ngeta	-	Member
12. Hon. Habil Nyasuna	-	Member
13. Hon. Gard Olima	-	Member
14. Hon. Joachim Oketch	-	Member
15. Hon. Seth Okumu	-	Member
16. Hon. Samuel Dede	-	Member
17. Hon. Moses Ochele	-	Member

18. Hon. Kelvin Oraro	-	Member
19. Hon. James Omollo	-	Member
20. Hon. Pamela Oyoo	-	Member
21. Hon. James Were	-	Member
22. Hon. Benson Adegga	-	Member
23. Hon. Mildred Ajumbo	-	Member
24. Hon. Bill Oliver	-	Member
25. Hon. Boitone Ratib	-	Member
26. Hon. Vitalis K'Omudho	-	Member
27. Hon. Tom Nyaoke	-	Member
28. Hon. Vincent Obuya	-	Member
29. Hon. Fredrick Odari	-	Member
30. Hon. Carren Odhiambo	-	Member
31. Hon. Zachary Okoyo	-	Member
32. Hon. Samwel Onyango	-	Member
33. Hon. Millicent Omuya	-	Member
34. Hon. Tom Onditi	-	Member
35. Hon. Kennedy Ouko	-	Member
36. Hon. Reuben Rakwach	-	Member
37. Hon. Geoffrey Warindu	-	Member
38. Hon. Alice Wajewa	-	Member
39. Hon. Anne Ochola	-	Member
40. Hon. Emily Oginga	-	Member
41. Hon. Eunice Alando	-	Member
42. Hon. Henrietta Bodo	-	Member
43. Hon. Kennedy Ajwang'	-	Member
44. Hon. Mariam Abeid	-	Member
45. Hon. Mickey Awuor	-	Member
46. Hon. Nancy Matara	-	Member
47. Hon. Peter Obaso	-	Member
48. Hon. Regina Kizito	-	Member

CONCLUSION

Hon Speaker,

The Committee now urges this honourable House to adopt this report on the realignment of County Assembly Committees.



Hon Ooko Kennedy Ouma
Majority Leader/ Chairperson