

## COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KISUMU



### COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KISUMU

#### **THE HANSARD**

#### SECOND ASSEMBLY – FIFTH SESSION

Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2021

House met in the Main Chamber at 2:30 p.m.

(The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Seth Okumu) in the Chair)

#### **PRAYERS**

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Good afternoon Hon. Members. Mr. Clerk, please take us through the Order Paper of the day.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Next order!!

#### **COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Honourable Members, I want to welcome you to this afternoon session. I want to remind you that we shall be Launching of the Kisumu County Assembly Strategic Plan for FY 2020-2024 at Grand Royal Swiss Hotel. I believe everyone got the invitation on the same. I also want to remind you that we still have Covid-19 pandemic with us, we need to observe the Ministry of Health Protocols and Guidelines that have been proposed. If you are using the portable microphone, ensure that it is sanitized and if you are putting on a mask, ensure that it covers both your mouth and nose and keep social distance. Thank you.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Next order!!

**STATEMENTS**

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Hon. Members we are on Statements.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Yes Hon. Ojuok, Deputy Minority Whip

**Deputy Minority Whip** (Hon. Ojuok): Thank you Mr. Speaker. I just want to raise an issue with regards to a Statement that was sought in this House that was committed to the Select Committee of General Oversight in relations to Disbursement of Scholarship and Bursaries.

Mr. Speaker, this is an issue that has been dealt with in this House but not conclusively and I recall the Department was asked to go back and cover some gaps then bring to this House. To date that has not happened. At the moment we are dealing with a number of such issues where students who came for half term are not able to go back to school.

There is need for a comprehensive report to conclusively deal with that matter so that we can know what was paid and what was not and the full list of all the beneficiaries. Thank you.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Hon. Member, under which Standing Order are you seeking your Statement?

**Hon. Ojuok:** Mr. Speaker, I am clarifying a point regarding the issue because it had been raised as a statement but has not been conclusively dealt with and it has gone into silence. When it was raised as a statement, it was referred to the General Oversight Committee yet it has not been completed. Therefore I want a clarification regarding the status of this statement.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Hon. Member, I am getting your point. However, this is a House of rules and procedures. We are on the statements and we have Standing Orders guiding how statements are given in this House. I get the gist of what you are requesting for but, I am requesting you to make it as formal as possible by using the right procedures of the House so that I can find ways of guiding the House on your statement so that it is not just left hanging. Thank you.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Hon. Members, we are still statements.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Yes Hon. Rashid Miruka.

**Hon. Miruka:** Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. Please allow me to give a progress report in relation to a statement that was raised by Hon. Gard Olima.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Hon. Member, I believe that we are on Statements. Please remember that we have procedures that you should have exhausted before you give this House a progress report. Please stand guided accordingly.

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): Next Order!

**ADJOURNMENT**

**The Temporary Speaker** (Hon. Okumu): There being no any other business to transact, the House stands adjourned to Tuesday, 07<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 2.30 p.m.

*(House rose at 2.42 p.m.)*

**Addendum**

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