

Wednesday, 27TH May 2015

Morning session

Time: 9:00 am

(Prayer from Speaker Hon. Elijah Omondi)

PAPERS

Hon Willis Ogunyoye: I want to present the paper on the reading comment on the budget 2015-2016 from the budget controller. Thank you Mr. Speaker sir.

Mr speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Hon members, a letter from the office of the controller of budget on the review financial year 2015-2016, therefore refer the paper to the committee of the budget and appropriation committee. Yes majority leader

Majority Leader (Hon Maline Akinyi : Thank you mr.speaker I wish to lay the paper for discussing house business calendar.

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Hon members there is a paper on discussion of house business schedule laid by the majority leader on special house business meeting, it is about adoption of special house business schedule from joint meeting between transport and implementation committee, refers to the some committees of business and transport. Any papers?. In the absence of papers, next order.

Notices of motion :

Hon: Thank you mr speaker I would like to give a notice of motion on PIC and PAC.

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Next notice, next order

Commencement of Business.

Mr.speaker (Hon Elijah omondi) : Yes Hon Simba Opepe

Hon Simba Opepe : Thank you mr speaker I seek your indulgence having investigated in first accused person who was very hostile and was not cooperative anyway he has accepted that he collected the cheque and took it to the ward office ,so the ward office are the people who should tell us where the cheque went to, and since this is a public fund I would wish you give us more time to call the secretary and the manager of the ward to tell us where this cheque went to mr.speaker , if you allow (interrupted)

Mr.speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : So the purposes of withdrawing this motion to give you time.Member,this request by hon Opepo is going to affect our business calendar, I do not know how other members will feel,I want to propose his request for members to have some inputs, because if we just allow any withdrawals it will delay the business of this house.Yes chief whip.

Hon issaiha Onyango : Thank you mr.speaker and I want to support the withdrawal,this is matter that touches integrity of a member of this house ,so if PIC and Pac feel that there are some holes that they should turn on ,I think it would be prudent to give them time.Mr speaker these withdrawals comes in sometimes when the member do not attend the committees and thus giving slow reports by the committees so therefore members should take committees so seriously because there discussion are what will inform motions in this house.I stand to support the withdrawal of the report by PIC and PAC.

Mr.speaker (Hon Elijah omondi) : Hon Mourice Ongonyo

Hon Mourice Ongonyo: Mr speaker sir, I also stand to support the withdrawal of the motion .PIC and PAC being important committee they should be given time to investigate properly,otherwise I want to say that if a issue touches a member of this house it should be taken care of. I stand to support.

Mr.speaker(Hon Elijah omondi) Yes Hon Lidia Odhiambo:

Hon Lidia Odhiambo: Thank you mr speaker, I arise to oppose the withdrawal of this motion and looking at the order paper of today, this is the only motion that we have today ,so this should not be withdrawn several time since it has been given first priority.So this committee should be serious and should avoid putting us to this kind of situation .We are going to get out of here without doing anything yet they have been given time to work of there report.(interrupted)

Hon Ochele: A point of order.

Mr speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Accepted Hon Gabi Ochieng

Hon Gabi Ochieng: Is it in order for hon Lidia to insulate that there were many business that was supposed to appear today and that this one was the one that was given the priority

Mr speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) Hon Lidia, explain to hon Gabi

Hon Lidis Odhiambo : Thank you mr speaker, we are all aware to the fact that we are given the calendar that have business that were to transacted in this house and therefore

when somebody gets an opportunity to give it on a particular day, I believe it was a good day and they accepted it and I also want to request that honorable member that he should know that we came very early here to transact business that was there. Thank you,

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Hon Members, I want to agree with hon Odhiambo, those with motion to bring out should consult with the clerk before the motion are put. Yes Hon Samuel Ongowo.

Hon Samuel Ongowo : Thank you Mr speaker, I heard hon Hon Gabi well, is it in order for in this honorable house for hon Lidia to say that we came to this house earlier and we wasted time so it is not in order for a member to say that we are wasting time and energy but she was not able to bring the business in this house to be debated, this is a member who is wasting time (interrupted)

Hon Oguko: Point of information

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Yes hon Aguko

Hon Aguko : Thank you Mr. speaker, the able chair for PIC and PAC has requested for withdrawal of this motion and I know he knows why he is doing this. Hon Adhiambo does not arrange the order of this assembly and therefore I do not think it is in order to say that we are wasting time, whereas there are other business that we should be doing. Mr speaker I support the withdrawal of this motion.

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi) : Yes Hon Minority Whip

Hon Philip Anayo: Thank you Mr. speaker I would like to support the withdrawal of this motion, I think it is high time for the members to be serious and do what brought us to this house, this is a small motion that we ought to have discussed, we have serious issues, that if we have to bring this issue of Kolunje, Kolunje, year in year out (interrupted)

Hon Issaia Onyango: Point of clarification Mr. speaker

Mr speaker (Hon Elijah omondi) ; Accepted.

Hon Issaia : It does not matter how long this takes, what matters is how to bring out the problem. Mr speaker this should not be the discussion in this house the thing is that do we accept the proposal that has been made by the hon Opepo or not, but other issue should come later on. Thank you Mr. speaker

Hon Philip Anayo : Can I continue Mr. speaker

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Yes continue

Hon. Philip Anayo: Yes we support and we want this thing to be brought and be discussed, we do not want to go for six months for such a small money .So let this matter be brought once and for all because (interrupted)

Hon. Samuel Ongow: Point of information

Mr. Speaker (Elijah Omondi): Granted

Hon. Samuel Ongow: Thank you Mr. Speaker, our role in this house is so clear and it is to oversight, but is a members start to talk of a small money, really why are we here.

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Hon. Anayo can you raise the concern of Hon. Ongow

Hon. Philip Anayo: There is nothing to raise the concern of hon. Ongow because when he was majority leader he failed the house, he failed to oversight things that ought to have need oversighted in this house and he always like to influencing other people things that goes against the people Mr. speaker so he does not stand the chance of telling us to do the things that ought to have been done.(interrupted)

Hon. Samuel Ongow: A point of information

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Granted

Hon. Samwel Ongow: Thank you Mr. speaker, these are the people who should not be here in this House, it is not the role of Hon Ongow it is the role of PIC and PAC to table there report.(interrupted)

Hon. Gabriel Ochieng: A point of order!

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Yes Hon Gabriel Ochieng

Hon. Gabriel Ochieng: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I think matters are going to go out of hand. The house procedures stipulate that once the mover of the house wants to withdraw it before it is seconded and members start to debate on it then you should just judge that way, but when you want to open it for discussion we are going against the rules and procedures of this house (interrupted)

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Order hon. Gabriel, we are not discussing the motion, we are only discussing the withdrawal of the motion of which I wanted honorable Kadede to say something since he is the right person for this. Yes Hon Whip

Hon Isaya Onyango: Mr. Speaker, Hon Kadede is not here with and he is not going to present it well, if am in the house in stand as the chair of any chairman who is out (laughter).

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Hon Ndolo Order!! Yes Hon Ndolo

Hon. Bob Ndolo: Mr. speaker I would like to also add my points .our clerk written a later to the owner of Kolunje to appear before us and he never appeared, on Monday Hon Ogosi Appeared before us and told us that the ward committee have the more information so what our chairman was requesting is to give us a week, actually I was proposing you give us two weeks for us to get all the information. Thank You.

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Before i respond to the mater I would be unfair to Hon Ogosi since you wanted to give an information you wanted to give, do you have any information (*murmuring*) Order!! Motion from PIC and PAC on Kolunje Construction to be withdrawn and I want to put a question (interrupted)

Hon. Caroline Agwanda: Mr. Speaker if you allow me I have not even heard the seconder who have seconded the withdrawal of the motion.

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): But Bob did it.

Hon. Simba Opepo: But I never ask him to second (laughter)

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Honorable Members, motion PIC and PAC on Kolunje has been withdrawn and I want to put a question to it.

(Question put and agreed to)

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): The Ayes have it, the motion has been withdrawn and clerk make sure you put it exactly after one week (interrupted)

Hon. Simba Opepo: Mr. Speaker if I heard Mr. Ndolo well, two weeks is appropriate.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Elijah Omondi): Order hon. Simba Opepo, Hon Ndolo wanted to get amended but since you had requested for one week he supported that. Yes hon. Ogosi what is your information.

Hon. Ogosi: Mr. Speaker I wanted to insist that it be one week, because I need to clear my name on this, because it is clear that Hon Opepo is investigating this (Interrupted).

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Order Hon. Members, We only had that business to discuss about, is there any other business on the order paper to discuss? Yes Chief whip

Hon. Isaya Onyango: Thank you Mr. speaker, may i say that I will kindly ask the office of the speaker and the committee of the house business to look into such matters that have been raised by the honorable members like following the procedures of this house and let us not have one item on the order paper because if this keeps on we are going to lose track I am wondering why the bills have not been brought in this house so that we can discuss them and finish them. Mr. speaker it is within the constitution that we have a number of bills that we should deal with within five years and they are about 36 bills and we have only done about 8 bills Mr. Speaker so I am asking your indulges that the bills that are remaining are brought and discussed and there is a issue of ward development fund, this is something that we should started working on 1st of July. Thanks your Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Any other indulges, yes hon. Petronilla.

Hon Petronilla Omondi: Mr. Speaker, I am very much worried about some issues that are not going well in this assembly. Today is 27th and I think all of us are aware that given the government calendar. IFMIS may be shut down by the end of this month and then come next moth we may not have anything going on, but what I learned is that we have some advertisement of those that have been awarded; we do not know how much they have been awarded. So I do not know at what stage we can get much concerned by such issues, because what I can now see we will pass the budget just like the way we discussed the supplementary budget, I seek your indulges Mr. speaker.

Mr. speaker (Hon Elijah Omondi): Hon Members since there is no any other business to discuss in this house, this house stands adjourned today until 2:30 PM.

ADJOURNED