



COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA

OFFICIAL REPORT

Tuesday, 19th November, 2019
The House met at 2:50 p.m.

(The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu) in the Chair)

PRAYERS

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Have your seats. Yes Clerk?

PAPERS

PAPER ON THE INTERNATIONAL DESALINATION ASSOCIATION (IDA) WORLD CONGRESS

Yes Chairperson Committee on Water, Sanitation and Natural Resources, yes Hon. Mwalimu the Vice Chair?

Hon. Mwalimu Mgwisho: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity to lay the paper.

(Paper Laid)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Yes Hon. Vice Chair please inform the House what Paper that you are laying on the Table of the House?

Hon. Mwalimu Mgwisho: Thank you Mr. Speaker the report on the International Desalination Association World Congress (IDA). Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Thank you. Yes Clerk?

NOTICE OF MOTION

RECOGNITION OF AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD) IN MOMBASA COUNTY BY HON. NOOR

Yes Hon. Hamida Noor?

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. Notice of Motion on Recognition of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) in Mombasa County.

Mr. Speaker Sir I beg to give the following Motion;

THAT AWARE that Autism is a developmental disorder characterized by impairments in social reciprocity and communication and the presence of restricted or repetitive activities;

FURTHER AWARE that ASD affects 800,000 people in Kenya today based on WHO estimates;

NOTING THAT today many schools and special units in the County combine all children with disability into one group irrespective of the fact that different disabilities require different programs and ways of handling the individual;

CONCERNED THAT there is lack of equipped schools and trained teachers to attend to children with Autism who may benefit from such schools in the County;

I therefore urge this Assembly resolves that the County government;

1. The Department of Health Services ensure:
 - A) Proper knowledge, awareness, analysis and actions are in place,
 - B) Proper regulations are in place to tackle ASD.
2. Support children with ASD in terms of Education, rehabilitation and empowerment of qualified personnel and special schools for them.
Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Thank you. Yes Clerk?

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business the House Stands adjourned until Wednesday 20th November, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

The House rose at 3:00p.m.