

MOMBASA COUNTY ASSEMBLY**HANSARD REPORT**

Tuesday, 16th August 2016

The House met at 2.29pm.

(Hon. Deputy Speaker (Mr. Rashid Mswabah) in the Chair)

PRAYERS

Hon. Deputy Speaker: Members you may sit down.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

Hon. Members of this First Assembly of Mombasa, welcome to the third and last part of the fourth session of the Assembly. This third part marks the end of a short recess which commenced on the 5th August 2016 and ended yesterday the 15th day of August 2016.

It is my hope that the one week recess period enabled you to take a break from our normal busy schedule and that you were also able to be with the electorate in your various wards and for the Nominated members, with the groups that you represent so that you are now able to bring to the attention of this Assembly any challenges that they may be facing in terms of service delivery by the County government so that as a House we may collectively offer a solution to the issues that you may have noted that need to be addressed.

I urge the various Committees with pending reports to fast track their finalization. We as an Assembly have limited time and we must ensure that we utilize it properly for the benefit of the people of Mombasa.

Hon. Members, we look forward to processing of more legislation in this third part of the session.

There are a number of legislative proposals which the Clerk has received from the Department of Education and Environment and the Inspectorate; and once they are published they will be brought before the Assembly for passage.

I believe that the able Chairperson of Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriation is already working on the Finance Bill, which, by law, must be passed by 30th September of each year.

In a nutshell we have a lot of business to tackle for the remaining part of the year and let us fold our sleeves and get to work.

Hon. Members, welcome once again to the last part of this session and I believe that we are all ready to effectively discharge our constitutional roles of making legislation, oversight and representation.

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(Applause)

ADJOURNMENT

Members there being no other business this House stands adjourned until tomorrow morning.

The House rose at 2:34pm.