

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA

OFFICIAL REPORT

Thursday, 23rd August, 2018 The House met at 2:42p.m.

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

PRAYERS

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

(Loud Consultations)

Order Hon. Members! Yes Clerk.

STATEMENTS

Yes Hon. Moses Aran.

Hon. Oindo: Mr. Speaker Sir thank you for giving me this opportunity. I have a statement in regard to the CASA games that is scheduled on 26th August, 2018 to 1st September, 2018 and the team is supposed to leave tomorrow.

Mr. Speaker Sir, the County Assembly Sports Association (CASA) is a body which was formed during the Legislative Summit which took place in Mombasa from 22nd to 25th May, 2018.

It is a sporting body which brings together all the 47 County Assemblies in sporting and other extra curricula activities.

Mr. Speaker Sir, the inaugural games are scheduled to take place from 26^{th} August – 1^{st} September in Nairobi.

The County Assembly of Mombasa being a participant, has adequately prepared its various disciplines namely; football men, netball, tug of war men, choir and cultural dance which are scheduled to leave for Nairobi on the 24th August, 2018 to take part in the annual sporting event.

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I have faith in our various disciplines to bring victory back home. Mr Speaker Sir, I must commend His Excellency the Governor, Hon. Hassan Ali Joho for promoting sports through building state of the art stadia including the new football stadium we have, basketball courts and the renovations which are about to commence at Mombasa Municipal Stadium.

I hope that come the next CASA sports, Mombasa will be ready to host the games.

Mr. Speaker Sir, on behalf of the entire County Assembly fraternity, and my Committee I express my sincere gratitude to our able Speaker, Hon. Aharub Khatri for spearheading and facilitating our teams to attend this important event in the Legislative Calendar.

Mr. Speaker Sir, I also take this opportunity to wish our team success and let us always have in mind that, "Umoja in nguvu, utengamano ni udhaifu".

(Applause)

Team 001, I believe you will do us proud! Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir.

Hon. Moses Oindo Aran Chairperson, Committee on Youth, Sports and Gender.

(Applause)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Yes Hon. Bwire.

Hon. Bwire: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker I seek to know from the Chairperson Committee on Transport, Infrastructure and Public Works if he is aware of the poor state of Safari Junda Ngombeni Road via Junda Mission and what plans the County government has to remedy the situation. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Yes Chairperson Transport Hon. Prischilla, do you have the response now?

Hon. (Mrs.) Prischilla Mumba: Thank you Mr. Speaker, this has come to my knowledge and I think we will also have a site visit. I would not promise in this coming week because we have the CASA Games so maybe I will promise after the games we make a day so that we can have that site visit and I bring the report. So maybe I can be given more than a week because of the CASA Games which will be in between the week. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Thank you Chairperson, but Chairperson you have to be aware that you have got very many pending issues so plan your Committee properly so that all the pending responses to come to this Honorable House in time. As you have said you are not in position this week then plan your Committee to respond with whatever that was raised before this Honorable House, you can visit the office of the Clerk's and find out what is pending from your Committee. Yes Clerk?

MOTION

Yes the Leader of Majority.

PROCEDURAL MOTION

ADJOURNMENT OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker let me take this opportunity to move a Procedural Motion on adjournment of the County Assembly. Mr. Speaker Sir I beg to move the following Motion.

Pursuant to Standing Order (3) of Mombasa County Assembly Standing Orders this House resolves to adjourn on Thursday, 23rd 2018 to attend the County Assembly Sports Association Games (CASA) from Friday, 24th August, 2018 to Saturday, 1st September, 2018 and thereafter proceed for long recess as per the County Assembly Calendar which is scheduled to commence on Friday 31st August, 2018 and end on Monday, 24th September 2018 and resume sittings on Tuesday 25th September, 2018.

Thank you Mr. Speaker and I will request Hon. Bwire to second.

Hon. Bwire: I beg to second Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

(Question proposed)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): I propose that the Motion by the Leader of Majority on adjournment be debated in this Honorable House. Yes Hon. Hamisi Mwidani, Leader of Majority.

Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Just as I have stated about the games which we have been given a statement from the Chair we have to give time for the Members so that they can participate in these games and it is a very appropriate time for them to prepare so that we can easily win the games, as a winning team. So Mr. Speaker I am very glad to see that we move with what I have mentioned; the days of the games and the days of proceeding the recess and this recess does not mean that the Committees will not meet, it is also a chance for the Committees to proceed with if need arises. So Mr. Speaker mine will be very short, what I want is the Members to accept and to give support to this Motion so that we have a proper time to attend the games and to our recess in time. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Yes Hon. Samba.

Hon. Samba: Thank you Mr. Speaker, my contribution to the Motion that has been moved by the Leader of Majority is as we are all aware the past one month we have been having thorough practice and it has also been our wish to participate and not only participation but also to bring trophies back home. I think this is the first edition of CASA games, the last time we were in Machakos but we never did well maybe due to preparations but this time round we hope we are going to be the best amongst the best. Hon. Speaker our prayers is that we make sure that players stay as much as comfortable as they can. We do not want any scenarios whereby we are going to spend some finances there but we come without trophies; we hope for maximum cooperation between the staff and the Hon. Members and the entire leadership of the House.

Secondly, Hon. Speaker we also need to have that recess as per the Standing Orders for us at least to have engagement with our electorates so that at least we may also go and do some research and come with also tangible Motions that can make Mombasa County. And with those few remarks, I wish our team all the best and let us win. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

ADJOURNMENT

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The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Mwalimu): Hon. Members I can see you have exhausted on the debate and as per the Standing Order raised by the Leader of Majority in this Motion we are not going to put a question but it will go as per the Motion that has been brought but the Leader of Majority said that the Committees can come and sit but it is unless they are permitted by the office of the Speaker. So if there is no permission from the Speaker then the Committees sittings will be null and void; so if you have or you think you are going to have a Committee sitting notify the Speaker in time. Hon. Members there being no other business the House stands adjourned until the 24th September, 2018.

The House rose at 2:58p.m.