MOMBASA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

HANSARD REPORT

Thursday, 25th February, 2016 The House met at 2:43p.m. (Mr. Speaker (Hon. Thadius Rajwayi) in the Chair)

PRAYERS

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Let's have our seats Hon. Members.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

Ladies and gentlemen I have communication to pass; one, there is a letter that has come from Member of County Assembly (MCA) Kipevu ward, it reads as, 'Invitation to Kipevu Ward Free medical camp'.

(Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi) read)

I would like to invite you for a free medical camp which will be held on Saturday, 27th February, 2016 at Kwa Hola Primary School from 6:00a.m till 6:00p.m.

(End of communication)

So Members those who are interested make sure you attend.

(Applause)

The next communication; we have received two reports from the Office of Controller of Budget and the reference is, FY 2015/2016 1st Quarter, County Budget Implementation Review Report.

(Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi) read)

The Office of the Controller of Budget was established under Article 228 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 to among others; oversee and report on the implementation of the budgets of the national and County government to each House of parliament every four months. Pursuant to Article 228, 6 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Office has prepared the First Quarter County Budget implementation review report for FY 2015/2016 covering the period July to September 2015. Forward herewith, please find a copy of the report for your necessary action.

(End of communication)

Now ladies and gentlemen, I forward this to the relevant Committee; that is the Committee on Finance and Budget, so the Chairman please, so the same Committee is advised to contact the Office of the Speaker.

Finally ladies and gentlemen I have a letter before me; it is an invitation to the launch of Mombasa City Polytechnic and Governance Awareness program (GAP) graduation.

(Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi) read)

Mombasa County has been reforming existing approaches to education through the County's Department of Education and Children (DoEC).

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We have been working on rebranding the Youth Polytechnics under our jurisdiction into City Polytechnics in order to meet our strategic objectives of increasing our transition rate from basic education to tertiary and from tertiary into the global economy. The department in its strategic plan has envisioned the City Polytechnics to be world class centres catering for the technical and professional needs and talents of the growing youth population in Mombasa. As we celebrate this achievement, I would hereby like to invite you to the occasion of the official launch of the Mombasa City Polytechnics presided over by His Excellency Hassan Ali Joho, Governor Mombasa County to be held at the new Mtongwe City Polytechnic on the 25th February 2016, starting at 2:00pm. The occasion will also mark the graduation ceremony of 398 trainees who have successfully completed their programs at the various institutions under the Governor's award program (GAP).

Kindly invite all the MCAs and your presence will be highly appreciated. Kindly confirm your participation. Thank you for your continued support in transforming the lives of the people of Mombasa.

Sincerely.

Lewa Tendai Mtana

County Executive Member

Dept. of Education, Children and Environment".

(End of communication)

So make sure you also consider that. Yes Hon. Paul Onje?

Hon. Onje: Ahsante Bwana Spika, ni furaha yangu kufika hapa na kupewa nafasi ya kuongea mbele ya hii Nyumba tukufu; mimi nimesimama nikiunga mkono barua ambayo umesoma kwamba sisi ambao tuko hapa kama Waheshimiwa tumeletwa hapa kwa sababu tuliweza kupata elimu. Bwana Spika bila elimu sisi wengine hatungekuwa tunaonekana hapa bali ni wengine wangekuwa hapa. Kwa hio mimi naomba tuweze kupeleka Bunge mbele tuahirishe mbele ili sisi wote kama Waheshimiwa tuweze kwenda kujiunga na Gavana wetu huko seminar...

(Applause)

Hii Mheshimiwa Spika itaonyesha wazi kwamba sisi kama serikali ya Kaunti pamoja na *executive* ambayo inaongozwa na Mheshimiwa Hassan Ali Joho kwamba sisi ni kitu kimoja na tunapenda maendeleo ya Kaunti yetu.

Mheshimiwa Spika wakati kama huu inatakikana tuonyeshe kwamba tuko na umoja na huu umoja Bwana Spika ndio utafanya wananchi wajue kweli wamechagua viongozi ambao wamebeba misalaba yao na kuwafanyia kazi kulingana na vile walikuwa wanatarajia. Mimi nashukuru umenipatia nafasi na nitakuwa nambari ya kwanza kwenda huko sehemu za Mtongwe, Ahsanteni.

(Applause)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Hon. Siminyu.

Hon. Siminyu: Mr. Speaker I would like to second the prayer by Hon. Paul Onje that the House adjourns for this important occasion at Mtongwe, and it is about matters of education of our children. I would urge Members to join and support this so that we can go and support them.

(Applause)

(Question proposed)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): I want to believe that the prayer by one Hon. Paul Onje is pursuant to Standing order 30 of this Hon. House and we have limited time to make contributions on this matter, we have just five minutes so just for information from the House for the proposal that the prayer by Hon. Paul Oswago Onje be considered in this House.

(Question put and agreed to)

So ladies and gentlemen each and every one of you is having five minutes and consider that it is also reading 2:00p.m and we are past two so limit the time of contributions. Yes Hon. Maimuna Salim.

Leader of Minority Hon. (Ms.) Maimuna Salim: Mheshimiwa Spika, ahsante kwa fursa hii ningependa kwamba tuweze kuanza msafara kwa sababu muda hauko kwetu, kwa hivyo naunga mkono hoja hii na ningependa sisi tuwe wa kwanza kabla Gavana wetu hajafika kule...

(Applause)

(Question proposed)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes any other contributors? Okay I put this to question that the prayer by Hon. Paul Onje be considered in this House.

(Question put and agreed to)

ADJOURNMENT

Ladies and gentlemen the House stands adjourned until next week Tuesday at exactly 2:30p.m which will be on 1st March 2016.

The House rose at 2:58p.m.