

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA

OFFICIAL REPORT Wednesday, 4th August, 2021 The House met at 2:38p.m.

[The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Raphael Bwire) in the Chair]

PRAYERS

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): You may be seated Members, once again welcome to our afternoon session. Yes, Clerk?

[Silence]

Clerk, kindly confirm if there is a quorum.

[Lack of quorum confirmed]

The Serjeant-At-Arms ring the bell for five minutes.

[Quorum Bell rung]

Clerk please confirm if there is quorum?

[Quorum confirmed]

Thank you. Next Order please. Clerk?

PAPER

BUDGET PREPARATION GUIDELINES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR BUDGET 2022/2023

Yes Honourable Hamisi Mwidani, the Leader of Majority Party?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Mr. Speaker, thank you for giving me this chance to lay Paper on budget preparation guidelines for the Financial Year Budget 2022/2023. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

[Paper Laid]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you.

[Silence]

Honourable Members, the budget preparation guidelines for the Financial Year 2022/2023 stands committed to the Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations. Yes, Clerk?

NOTICE OF MOTION

APPROVAL OF LOAN FACILITY FOR PAYMENT OF SALARIES AND OTHER REMUNERATIONS FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Yes Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to give the following Notice of Motion:

THAT AWARE that Section 142 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 allows short-term borrowing by the County government on the approval by the County Assembly;

FURTHER AWARE that the County government of Mombasa like all other Counties in Kenya is yet to receive any disbursement of equitable share to date for the Financial Year 2021/2022;

Mr. Speaker, CONCERNED that the delay in receipt of disbursement and the low revenue collection due to the adverse operating economic environment may adversely affect the operations of the County Assembly and the County Executive including payment of monthly salaries and remuneration;

I therefore urge this Assembly to RESOLVE:

- 1. THAT, Pursuant to Section 142 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012, County government including the County Assembly be and is hereby authorized henceforth whenever necessary to borrow funds from financial institutions to enable payment of monthly salaries and remuneration for County Government/County Assembly employees;
- 2. THAT, the loans received from financial institutions for payments of salaries and remuneration be repaid from disbursements received from the National Treasury.

Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you, the Majority Leader. Yes Clerk?

STATEMENTS

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON LANDS PLANNING AND HOUSING, HONOURABLE AHMED SALAMA ON THE OWNERSHIP AND STATUS OF DISPUTED PLOT OF LAND IN JOMVU MISHENI

Yes Honourable Ahmed Salama, Chairperson Committee on Lands, Planning and Housing?

[Silence]

The Vice Chair Honourable Aran?

Hon. Aran: Thank you Mr. Speaker. We have not yet received the response from the Department and we humbly request for an extension of two weeks when we are back for the recess Honourable Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): But Honourable Aran we agreed last week that we will be closing the businesses of the responses this week and you did promise that you will bring the response today, you asked for one week which elapses today! Was it not among the responses that you were to report last week?

Hon. Aran: Not this one Honourable Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Okay. Yes Honourable Athman Shebe?

Hon. Athman Shebe: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, it is of great sadness that I stand before you because this matter is of great, great significance. People in Jomvu are being jailed for this reason, others are with machetes and *pangas* Mr. Speaker; I just, you know this issue I brought it here last two weeks and I was promised that this matter is going to be given priority. Mr. Speaker, I do not know what is happening to my distinguished Honourable Member here together with the Chairman I need your indulgence Honourable Speaker on this matter please it is of great significant or else you are going to hear Jomvu Kuu Ward people have been slashed and cut with the machetes and it is of great importance that I need your input on this. I know today we might be going to a recess and that means two weeks time Mr. Speaker and I do not know whether to request or rather to arrange a special Committee to get to the bottom of this matter I need your indulgence. Thank you.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Honourable Aran for how long has this business be pending before your Committee?

Hon. Aran: One-week Honourable Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Okay. Honourable Members now that we do not have the response with us today and that the Committee is for the first time asking for the extension there are rumors that we might be heading for a recess Honourable Member, the author of the Statement can you just be kind enough to allow the Committee to bring the response in the next two weeks immediately after the recess.

Hon. Athman Shebe: I am going to give them a benefit of doubt Mr. Speaker. Thank you.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Come again?

Hon. Athman Shebe: I am going to give them that opportunity that is what I meant.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you so Honourable Vice Chair Committee on Lands you are hereby given two weeks so immediately after the recess the first Wednesday of the week that we will be reporting here be ready with that response, so make use of this recess to either go down to the affected area or pressurize the department so that immediately we resume you also bring the response.

Hon. Aran: Most obliged Honourable Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Is it on the same issue?

Hon. Kitula: No Honourable Speaker niko na Point of Order!

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Yes.

Hon. Kitula: Standing Order 96 Mheshimiwa Spika katika vikao vyetu vya Bunge sijui ni lini Bunge letu limeruhusu tembo la mnazi kuingia katika Bunge hili kwa sababu nikiangalia meza ya Mheshimiwa Mary Osongo kuna tembo la mnazi katika meza hiyo. Sasa sijui kama amepitia *security checks* kwa sababu maji ambayo yako katika meza yake ni tofauti na yetu...

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Order! Order Honourable Kitula, are you sure it is what you are alleging?

Hon. Kitula: Serjeant-At-Arms anaweza kutuhakikishia Mheshimiwa Spika kwa sababu ni tofauti na maji yetu...

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): It was for the Sergeant-At-Arms to ascertain because those are grave claims Honourable Member; if it is water kindly just take it back to the owner the Serjeant once you have ascertained it is water no need to take it away from her but Honourable Member you see the already sentiments have been captured that Honourable Osongo has *mnazi* in the chambers. So you could have just first asked the Serjeant to confirm whether it is water or something that you are alleging? Yes Honourable Osongo?

Hon. Osongo: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I think the Honourable Member I do not know what is wrong with him, you cannot judge something before knowing what is there so he should withdraw that.

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The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Honourable Kitula those are grave allegations considering that Honourable Osongo is a staunch Christian she believes in the Lord, so kindly withdraw and apologize to that.

Hon. Kitula: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika sijapinga hilo hata Yesu Kristo pia aliweza kunywa *wine* na tukizingatia kwamba tembo la mnazi halijapigwa marufuku wameweza kuwa ni tembo wao wenyewe wanalipenda binafsi...

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Honourable! Again you are misleading the House, the Jesus himself never took the wine, he changed water into wine but he never took it so you are still misleading the House, kindly apologize and withdraw those statements.

Hon. Kitula: Mheshimiwa Spika ningetoa samahani kwa Mheshimiwa Osongo lakini kutokana na muonekano wangu na utaalamu wangu inakaa kama mnazi lakini kuthibitisha Serjeant ningependa kutoa samahani sana. Ahsante sana.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. The matter has been withdrawn and the Member has apologized. Yes Clerk?

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON HEALTH SERVICES HONOURABLE KIBWANA SWALEH ON THE REPAIR OF FAULTY RAMP AT SHIKA ADABU HEALTH CENTER

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Yes Honourable Kibwana Swaleh, Chairperson Committee on Health Services?

[Silence]

The Vice Chair?

[Silence]

But have seen the Chairperson. Yes Honourable Hamida?

Hon. Noor: Honourable Speaker thank you since we have not gotten a response for this...

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Make use of your microphone Honourable.

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker I think we have not gotten a response for this one yet.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): So when will you be ready?

Hon. Noor: I think when we come back from the recess.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): So specifically you are asking for two weeks.

Hon. Noor: Yes.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Okay permission granted. What is it Honourable Mwalimu?

Hon. Hamad Mwalimu: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Nafikiri wiki iliyopita Bwana Spika ulitoa uamuzi wako kwamba leo niweze kupata hayo majibu, kwa hivyo naomba usaidizi wako Bwana Spika.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Actually we made an announcement on this pending issues last week, Members I do not know what is wrong with the Committees because this needs just an assurance from the department, a commitment in fact for how long or after how long will they repair? I think it was an issue to do with a ramp right, so once again Committees let us wake up we are doing injustices to the people whom we are representing and the Members who are bringing the statements on behalf of the people they represent. So because we do not have a response Honourable Mwalimu let us kindly again allow them to bring the response in the next two weeks and I think that will be the last time failure to which we will look for another alternative. So kindly allow the Committee because the Chairman is not in... the Member has requested for two weeks and I also request the author of the Statement to give the Committee two weeks Honourable Mwalimu so that we they will bring the response immediately after recess. Are you in agreement?

Hon. Hamad Mwalimu: Sawa Mheshimiwa Spika nitasubiri.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. So Honourable Hamida kindly pass the information to the leadership of the Committee.

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker I will.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Yes, Clerk?

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND MOMBASA VISION MV 2035 HONOURABLE IBRAHIM OMONDI ON STATUS OF BURSARIES IN THE COUNTY

Honourable Ibrahim Omondi, Chairperson Committee on Education, Information Technology and Mombasa Vision (MV 2035) any response?

[Silence]

The Vice Chair?

[Silence]

Any Committee Member?

[Silence]

Yes Honourable Osongo?

Hon. Osongo: Thank you Mr. Speaker for now we do not have a response so we are requesting for more time.

[Silence]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Yes, what is it Honourable Athumani Shebe?

Hon. Athmani Shebe: Mheshimiwa Spika niko chini ya himaya yako nikitaka unipatie fursa japo sie nilieweza kuleta taarifa hii lakini nafikiri kila Wodi takriban 30 za katika maeneo kata ziko na changamoto kubwa za watoto wetu wanaohitaji kwenda shule na songo mbingo hii ambayo imeweza na uzembe wa hii Kamati. Kwangu mimi naweza sema ni uzembe kwa sababu mimi kusema ni uzembe Mheshimiwa Spika saa hii watoto wanatakikana kurudi shule na kila Mheshimiwa Mwenza hapa atakubaliana na mimi hapa hana takriban chini ya fomu 200 ambazo ziko katika ofisi zao ambao wanatarajia watoto waende shule. Kwa hivyo niko chini ya himaya yako Mheshimiwa utupe muongozo katika hili suala manake naona kuwa ni aidha Kamati imeweza kushindwa kutekeleza ama kusukuma *executive* kuhusu hili suala sijui utatupa njia gani ya kuhakikisha kuwa watoto wetu wameenda shule na Kaunti imewezesha. Nikikupa mfano Mheshimiwa Spika katika mfumo mzima wa eneo Bunge la Kimataifa wamekuja na mikakati na watoto wamepata hizi basari; je Kaunti tuna mikakati gani, tunasema elimu kwanza chini ya himaya yako. Ahsante.

[Silence]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): So Honourable Osongo are you sure in the next two weeks you will be ready with the response?

Hon. Osongo: Mr. Speaker Sir, we are going to try our level best to make it.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Have you ever tried because the issue is not coming for the first but the second time, have you tried that level best maybe as a Committee?

Hon. Osongo: The Statement I think was issued last week but we will do the follow up, give us the two weeks.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): It is okay because the issue comes up across all Members, you are also the interested party you must also be feeling the same pinch from the parents. So kindly also work on it as a Committee and bring the response in two weeks' time. Thank you. Yes, Clerk?

MOTION

APPROVAL OF LOAN FACILITY FOR PAYMENT OF SALARIES AND REMUNERATIONS FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Yes Honourable Majority Leader?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to move the following Motion on approval of loan facility for payment of salaries and other remunerations for County government employees:

THAT AWARE that Section 142 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 allows short-term borrowing by the County government on the approval by the County Assembly;

FURTHER AWARE that the County government of Mombasa like all other Counties in Kenya is yet to receive any disbursement of equitable share to date for the financial year 2021/2022;

Mr. Speaker;

CONCERNED that the delay in receipt of disbursement and the low revenue collection due to the adverse operating economic environment may adversely affect the operations of the County Assembly and the County Executive including payment of monthly salaries and remuneration;

I, therefore urge this Assembly to RESOLVE:

- 3. THAT, Pursuant to Section 142 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012, County government including the County Assembly be and is hereby authorized henceforth whenever necessary to borrow funds from financial institutions to enable payment of monthly salaries and remuneration for County government/County Assembly employees;
- 4. THAT, the loans received from financial institutions for payments of salaries and remuneration be repaid from disbursements received from the National Treasury.

I call Honourable Junior to second the Motion.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Yes Honourable Wambua second the Motion.

The Chief Whip (Hon. Wambua): I second Mr. Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Honourable Members, I now propose a question that the Motion moved by Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani on approval of loan facility for payment of salaries and any other remuneration for the County government employees be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes Hamisi Mwidani?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Bwana Spika ningependa kulielekeza Bunge kwa ufasaha kwamba tumetuma haya maombi kwa sababu ya ile *delay* ambayo inatokea pesa kutoka Nairobi. Bwana Spika ni kama unavyojua sasa hivi tayari tuko tarehe nne mwezi wa nane na mshahara wa Julai hatujauona hata harufu yake hatujauona dalili. Kwa hivyo ningeomba Mheshimiwa Spika na waheshimiwa wenzangu ya kwamba turuhusu watu wetu wa fedha waweze ku-negotiate na hizo *financial institutions* angalau tuwe hatutaweza kuchelewa kwa muda mrefu kwa kupata mishahara. Bwana Spika, kwa ukweli tunazidi kuwa kwa hali ngumu sana; kwa hivyo ningeomba Bunge hili kwa heshima na nidhamu tupitishe kwa kauli moja angalau uso wetu kule mitaani uweze kufunguka kwa sababu ni vile tu *Assembly* hakuna *marooms* lakini wengine tungekuwa twalala humu humu kwa sababu imefika wakati pia umesema mpaka pia hujui utumie Kiswahili gani na kila siku mtu anakusikia wewe Mheshimiwa lakini wamuambia ni kweli lakini sina na unajua mwananchi aliyepiga kura akiona ni tarehe nne na bado wamuambia huna anajua unamnyima maanake tarehe nne huwa wazi kila mtu ashapata mshahara! lakini ni mambo ya ukweli kwamba hatuna.

Kwa hivyo Bwana Spika na waheshimiwa ningeomba tupitishe hii Hoja kwa manufaa yetu pamoja na wale waliotuchagua kwa sababu unapokuwa nacho na wewe ndio unaweza kusaidia lakini ukiwa huna inakuwa sasa yule hana na wewe aliokuwa na matumaini yako nawe pia huna sasa mnakuwa nyote sina! Sina! sina. Kwa hivyo Bwana Spika na waheshimiwa ningeomba hii hoja isichukue hata dakika 20 ndio tuweze kuona hali itakuwa imeweza ikubadilike tuwe kwenye hali nzuri. Bwana Spika hali ni mbaya. Hivi sasa nakuambia hata hatuna haja ya kusema mengi; ikiwa mtu ana elfu kumi basi huyo ni mwanamke wa kisawasawa au u mwanamme wa kisawasawa na hakuna. Kwa hivyo Bwana Spika naomba Bunge hili kwa unyenyekevu, najua Faith anazo maanake najua kwa nini anazo maanake bosi wake alikuwa hapa juzi hivyo basi alifungiwa kitu sisi wengine mabosi wetu hata hawajakanyanga. Kwa hivyo Bwana Spika tunaomba Bunge lipitishe hii Hoja kwa unadhifu kwa manufaa yetu na wale waliotuchagua, ahsante Bwana Spika.

[Applause]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Yes Honourable Members, the floor is open for contribution. Yes Honourable Athman?

Hon. Athumani Shebe: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti nachukua fursa hii kwanza kuingia kwenye kumbukumbu ya historia ya Bunge la pili kuchangia hoja ambayo nina imani asilimia mia kwa mia yaweza kupita katika Bunge hili. Yangu tu Mheshimiwa ni kusema kuwa napenda kutia uhai hoja hii ambayo imeletwa mbele na Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi na yangu ni kusema kuwa Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti nafikiri Mombasa Kaunti ya Mombasa kwa jumla tuna historia kubwa ya watu kuweza kucheleweshewa marupurupu yao, mishahara yao na hata kutia donda chumvi Mheshimiwa Spika hata zile pesa wafanyi kazi wa umma wanapaswa kukatwa pia Kaunti ya Mombasa ina historia kubwa kuwa haipeleki mikato hii katika sehemu husika aidha kwa serikali, kwa NHIF. Kwa mikopo kwa wale watu wengine waliochukua mikopo kwa hivyo na pesa tunajua saa nyingine Mheshimiwa Spika wakati mwingine zinachelewa si makosa.

Nitaekelea katika blanketi zima la Kaunti ya Mombasa, pia Serikali Kuu ina desturi hii ya kuchelewesha pesa, kwa hivyo hoja hii imepata uhai japo kuchelewa kwa wakati huu itaweza kusaidia japo kiduchu kwa wale Waheshimiwa na pamoja na wafanyi kazi wote kwa umma ihakikishe kuwa leo Bunge hili inapitisha hoja hii na itawezesha kuwa Waziri wa sarafu aweze kukaa na yale mashirika husika ya kuweza kukopesha sarafu ili waheshimiwa na wafanyi kazi wa umma wa Kaunti ya Mombasa watakuwa wanapata mishahara yao Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti. Manake ni desturi kawaida huwa wafanyi kazi wa umma tarehe 25,24 na 28 huwa watu washaramba mishahara Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti. Lakini hapa kwetu haijawahi kutokea labda ikitokea basi kwa hoja hii iliyoletwa mbele yetu na Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi wa Bunge hili. Kwa hivyo ningependa waheshimiwa wenza chembelecho Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi dakika ishirini ni nyingi ikichukua sana ni dakika 10 Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti lakini kuwe na msukumo kuhakikisha kuwa hili linafanyika. Kweli kuna uvumi huenda tukaenda mapumzikoni takriban wiki mbili. Wiki mbili hizi kwangu ni kinaya Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti manake ni takriban miezi sita kwa sababu wiki mbili tukienda mashinani bila shilingi inakuwa ni mtihani. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti afadhali hamna hamna tuweze tupitishe hoja hii kuhakikisha itawezesha serikali ya Kaunti kuweza kukopa katika yale mashirika ya kifedha waheshimiwa wa wafanyi kazi wote wa umma waweze kupata tahfifu Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti, naipa uhai sana Mheshimiwa hoja hii. Ahsante.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you Honourable Shebe Athman. Yes Honourable Faith Boniface?

Hon. Mwende: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Motion, and how I wish it would have come back in 2017 because once you are employed you are very sure by the end of the month you are receiving your salary but in our Assembly you wait for 40 something days so I appreciate and I request the concerned people to push it to be effected by Friday every person should have the salary. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Yes Chief Whip? Yes you are up!

The Chief Whip (Hon. Wambua): Ahsante sana Bwana Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika hoja hii imekuja kwa wakati mzuri sana kwa sababu sisi Waheshimiwa wa Mombasa tumeumia sana kwa mishahara hata huwezi kupanga na mtu ikifika mwisho wa mwezi ukaweza kumpatia chochote. Kwa hivyo ukiona hoja kama hii Bwana Mwenyekiti wa Fedha amekuja nayo sisi tunashukuru sana na tunaona uhai mbeleni, tunaona tunaweza kupangilia hata chochote tunaweza kupata na tunaweza kuendeleza mambo yetu. Nasimama kuiunga hoja hii. Ahsante sana.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you Chief Whip. Yes Honourable Nzai?

Hon. Nzai: Thank you very much Mr. Speaker to have given me this chance also to air my views. It is said in our mother tongue; a good lady does not deserve much make up. This Motion does not require much discussion, five minutes...

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): You said that is in your mother tongue?

[Laughter]

Hon. Nzai: What I am trying to tell you Mr. Speaker is that let us pass this Motion without much discussion as in it is good as it was made. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Honourable Members, let us hear from Honourable Solomon Ngugi for the first time. Honourable Solomon Ngugi? Yes, the Members also want to hear from you. You see we have never heard anything from you even a maiden speech.

Hon. Ngugi: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mimi pia nataka kuipa uhai hiyo hoja kama vile waheshimiwa wenzangu wanavyoipa uhai. Ni ukweli itatusaidia maana twazihitaji hizo pesa. Kama tunavyoona hiyo karo ya shule inapiga watu chenga mpaka watoto wetu wenyewe kuwasomesha pia ni balaa. Sasa hoja hii mimi naipa uhai mara tatu ya wengine. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Applause]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Honourable Majority Leader, kindly reply?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Basi natoa shukrani kwa Waheshimiwa kuweza kupitisha hii hoja na pia nataka kuwaongezea kwamba chelewa lakini ufike. Kwa kweli hii ndio ilikuwa yatakikana kuifanya mapema lakini ni kama unavyojua kwa mazingira na mambo yalivyokuwa tumechelewa kidogo. Ndiyo tunaambiwa chelewa chelewa lakini ufike. Waheshimiwa hili ni jambo ambalo sasa litatusaidia sasa sababu tutakuwa sisi hatuangaliani tena na ile pesa ya kutoka Nairobi tukishakubaliana na hii benki na ile tarehe ambayo tunataka benki itakuwa wanatupa sisi mshahara wetu kwa ile tarehe benki ikingoja ile pesa sisi tunalipa. Kwa hivyo Mungu akipenda sasa tutakuwa kwenye usalama mzuri manake tutakuwa na uhakika ya kwamba tarehe ikiwa ni tarehe 22 ni 25 huo mshahara mtu ataupata. Hayo mengine itakuwa kati ya system wakileta pesa wao ndiyo wanalipa huku kwa benki. Kwa hivyo waheshimiwa nimeshukuru sana kwa kuelewa hii hali tulioko na tumeweza kupitisha kujinasua tuwe katika hali nzuri. Nawashukuru sana na Mungu atulinde sote.

[Silence]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Honourable Members, before I put a question I just want to bring to our attention that the Motion is good as you have suggested, Majority Leader the Motion is very general; it indicates whenever the Executive works or sees that there is a problem with finance they can approach financial institutions for assistance. But again I also want to question Members that let us not open that loophole whenever they want any financial assistance they should be bringing the Motion. This is for the current financial crisis and it is not a leeway for them that they will be now borrowing every time they feel like borrowing whenever they feel there is a financial crisis they bring a Motion we pass it to allow them to go and borrow the loans, so it is not a leeway.

We are not opening that gap whenever they feel like they should be going for those loans. This is for the current situation and when it arises in the near future they will also come for approval by the Assembly, I think we are together. Thank you. Honourable Members, I now put a question that the Motion moved by Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani be approved by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question put and agreed to]
[Applause]

Yes Clerk?

PROCEDURAL MOTION ADJOURNMENT OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

Yes Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani, the Majority Leader?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Let me take this opportunity on Procedural Motion.

THAT, pursuant to Standing Order No.23 (3) and the County Assembly Calendar adopted by this House on Wednesday,17th March, 2021 this Assembly adjourns for recess and to resume regular sittings on Tuesday,17th August, 2021.

That is a period of two weeks. Thank you Mr. Speaker, I will request Honourable Junior to second the Motion.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Yes Honourable Junior?

The Chief Whip (Hon. Wambua): I second Mr. Speaker.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Honourable Members I now propose a question that the Motion moved by Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani on the County Assembly for recess to be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved?

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes Honourable Hamisi Musa Mwidani? Your contribution please?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Thank you Mr. Speaker. I think I will not take much time because we have already passed the calendar of this House and it is not something very new to the Members; mine is to say that we use that time for recess in our areas so that we can do some issues with the electorate. So Members what I can just say that we just go for two weeks recess but please remember to take care on COVID -19 it is now very strong rather than any other time and I will request that God willing that we all meet after recess when we are very safe and I assure Members that as a Chairman for Finance I will also push so that we do not stay very long before the money has come in your pockets. Thank you very much.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Members you can contribute to this Motion at least two people. Yes Honourable Chef Whip?

The Chief Whip (Hon. Wambua): Bwana Spika hoja hii imekuja pia wakati mzuri twende tukaonane na watu wetu ambao walituleta katika Bunge.

[Interruption]

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Make use of you microphone.

The Chief Whip (Hon. Wambua): Kwa sababu wengine pia Bwana Spika wanaweza kuona tuko mbali kuona kwenda kufika muda wa uchaguzi lakini wakati umefika na tunahitajika sana kwenda mashinani kuendeleza siasa zetu pole pole. Nafikiri *Motion* hii hata haina haja kuongelewa sana kwa sababu ni kwa uzuri wetu; tumekuwa hapa katika muda huu ambao tumekuwa, tumechangia yale ambayo tumechangia hapa tunataka sasa tuipeleke kule mashinani tuweze kuendeleza watu wetu waweze kujua ni kitu ambacho tunafanya katika Bunge. Ahsante sana Bwana Spika.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Shukran Mheshimiwa Kiranja wa Bunge. Yes Mheshimiwa Mwaka Mwalundonda?

Hon. Mwaka Bakari: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Hata mimi pia naunga mkono kuweza kwenda nyumbani kwa sababu ni kalenda ndiyo imeturuhusu lakini kama si kalenda mimi ningesema tusiende nyumbani, kwa sababu ni kalenda na wakati umefika hatuna budi kwenda nyumbani japo tunaenda shingo upande kwa sababu mimi binafsi kama Mheshimiwa Mwaka na nimechaguliwa najua saa hii shule zimefunguliwa. Wanafunzi wanataka msaada lakini tumekubaliana nalo kwa sababu kama Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi wa Bunge hili amesema tusicheze mbali pesa zitatoka kwa hiyo tumekubali kwenda, nashukuru sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Yes Honourable Bernard?

Hon. Ogutu: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Naunga sana hoja hii japokuwa huwa tuko na wananchi wetu kila siku na kama alivyosema Mheshimiwa Mwaka ikiwa kweli kuna hiyo mipango kabambe manake najua serikali ina mipango kabambe ya kuhakikisha kwamba tukienda kule mashinani unaweza kukaa hapo nyumbani Mheshimiwa Spika manake tukienda hivi hivi kutakuwa moto kuliko kukaa huku kwenye Bunge. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Thank you. Yes, the Motion mover to reply.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwidani): Ahsante sana Bwana Spika. Bwana Spika ni kweli ile hali iliyoko si hali nzuri vile lakini kwa vile tushajiruhusu kisheria ni kwamba twende tukakutane na wananchi wetu na tutakwenda. Sisi wengine ni mapumziko lakini mimi hata nitabaki mpaka nione kwamba yale niliyoyazungumza yametimia. Sitaki Waheshimiwa wako huko wiki zote mbili mpaka zimeisha wamerudi bado wako hali ile ile. Mimi naona itakuwa si sawa.

Kwa hivyo ni jukumu langu na naelezea jinsi mumepitisha huu Mswada nitaufuatilizia Mungu akipenda kuanzia kesho tuone kwamba mambo mengine yote yamekuwa sawa. Ahsante sana Bwana Spika.

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Bwire): Honourable Members I think we have exhausted on that.

ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Members, also allow me to wish you well during your stay during this recess make good use of it. Make good use of your *Mashinani* offices, serve your people diligently and stay safe. There having being no other business this House stands adjourned until Tuesday 17th August, 2021 at 10:00a.m.

The House rose at 3:25p.m.