MOMBASA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

HANSARD REPORT

Thursday, 17th March, 2016 The House met at 2:35p.m. (Mr. Speaker (Hon. Thadius Rajwayi) in the Chair)

PRAYERS

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): You may have your seats Hon. Members, yes Clerk.

PAPER

Hon. Zainab Mumba, Chairperson, Committee on Water, Environment and Natural resources.

(Silence)
(Business differed)

Next?

NOTICE OF MOTION

Any Member of this Committee,

(Silence) (Business differed) Next?

MOTION

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy.

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker I request this House to adopt this County Fiscal Strategy Paper and the Debt Management Paper under the following observations; The County Fiscal Strategy Paper should be aligned with the Annual Development Plan, the County Integrated Development Plan, the annual budget and the Debts Management Strategy Paper. Figures should match where appropriate and projects be cascaded appropriately and planned over the medium term. The County priorities in the County Fiscal Strategy Paper should be in line with the national objectives in the Budget Policy Statement and policy goals clearly outlined pursuant to section 117 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Hon. Hatimy just read it as it is, it is very obvious that this...

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: I request Mr. Speaker my Member Hon. Nyamvula to second the Report.

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

Hon. (Mr.s.) Nyamvula: Ahsante Bwana Spika, I second.

(Question proposed)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): I now propose the question that the Motion by Hon. Hatimy be discussed in this House...

(Question put and agreed to)

Hon. Hatimy.

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker I request this House to pass the resolution of the recommendation of this Paper so that we can go with our coming budget, so I think we have the Report and I request any Member who has any question to raise the question so that we can adopt this Report. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): There is that proposal by Hon. Hatimy on this particular Report in...(*Inaudible*) so that we just... (*Inaudible*)... in case of any difference or anything Hon. Members you would want added or deleted in this particular Report then that should be done; alternatively is that we tackle this particular Report clause after clause, can I hear your views.

Hon. Murfad?

Hon. Amur: Mr. Speaker we go clause by clause so that we can adopt this document thank you Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Patrick.

Hon. Siminyu: Mr. Speaker this is a very important document and I support what the Member here has proposed that we go through this document clause after clause so that the document can be passed.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes Hon. Mohamed.

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: I have no objection Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Now you need to take us just through, we would not handle introduction isn't that important, but clause two observation, then findings, yes Hon. Hatimy.

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Mr. Speaker I think Hon. Amur is ready to give us this Report, he is willing to read it.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes Hon. Murfad.

Hon. Amur: (Inaudible).

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Thank you Mr. Speaker the observations and findings;

(Hon. Mohamed Hatimy moved the Report)

REPORT ON REVIEW OF THE COUNTY FISCAL STRATEGY PAPER, 2016 AND DEBT MANAGEMENT STRATEGY PAPER

- 2. Observations and Findings
- 2.1 The goals of the workshop were:
- a. Review and consideration of the County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 and the Debt Management Strategy Paper, 2016.
- b. Compare and assess the alignment or lack thereof between the documents under review with other national and County fiscal, financial and development policy documents.
- c. Assess, compare and assess the compliance of the documents under review with stipulations of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012.
- d. Make recommendations for corrective measures where anomalies are found in the policy documents under review and any other.
- 2.2 The National Vision 2030 is the main developmental policy guide passed during the Grand Coalition government of 1997 to 2012.

On the ascendancy of the Jubilee government from 2013 to date national economic and development policy was shifted towards an Economic transformative agenda which is contained in the annual Budget Policy Statement.

2.3 Members were taken through the County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 and the Debt Management Strategy Paper, 2016 by the facilitator Mr. Fred Oundo.

The following was noted during the discussions:

I request my Member Serah Nyamvula to continue.

(Hon. Nyamvula continued with the Report)

COUNTY FISCAL STRATEGY PAPER, 2016

- a. There was under-absorption of funds particularly in terms of development expenditure across departments for the period July 2015 to December 2015.
- b. Projected revenues and expenditures could not match against actuals with actuals falling short of expectations in the previous fiscal year.
- c. Projected revenue for 2016/2017 were: Local revenue Kshs.3,588,023,012/= while total exchequer issues are projected at Kshs.6,337,731,281/= with total revenues given as Kshs.9,925,754,293/=.
- d. Projected expenditure for 2016/2017 were: Personnel Kshs.4,456,154,057/=, operational expenditure Kshs.2,293,358,862/= and development expenditure at Kshs.3,176,241,374 with total expenditure given as Kshs.9,925,754,293/=.
- e. The document contains departmental ceilings with the lions share going to health at 24.53% while the County Public Service Board got the least allocation at 1.34%
- f. It was noted that the departmental allocations in the County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 were not in conformance with the priorities in the same document and the County Integrated Development Plan. While some departments were highly prioritized the allocations to them were low while non-prioritized departments were given higher allocations.
- g. A comparative assessment of the document under review with its previous year's version shows a departure/variance in the strategic priorities of the county government with no sufficient explanatory notes being given for the radical shift.
- h. A look at the County Integrated Development Plan shows some development projects had not been initiated four year's down the line partly due to cumbersome procurement procedures and failure by departments to prioritize the same. This also shows failure to cascade the projects to the Annual Development Plan and factoring their allocations in the County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016. Delayed exchequer releases were also mentioned as a contributory factor occasioning the delay in project implementation.
- i. A table of revenue realized by the County government since financial year 2012/2013 to December 2015 shows wide fluctuations in revenue realized.

Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016

a. A statement of County government debt was given as: Kshs.435,238,530/= for development expenditure, recurrent expenditure – Kshs.2,776,044,324/= with total

given as Kshs.3,211,282,854/=. Recurrent debt exceeds development debt by a wide margin.

- b. According to the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 debt should be development oriented and not predominantly recurrent. The Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 however, shows the reverse to be true at the County government.
- c. It was Reported that the figures contained in the Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 do not truly reflect the total debt stock of the County government and there are significant amounts not disclosed.
- d. While the debt stock has been partially disclosed in the Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 no accompanying schedule of repayment of the same has been annexed to show seriousness by the County treasury to reduce or clear the same.
- e. Some allocations have been made in the current financial year's budget for debt repayments but there is a mismatch between the figures in the budget and the Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016. This needs to be corrected and a repayment schedule over the medium term prepared to clear the debts.
- f. The Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 mentions the establishment of a Debts Management Office but indications contained therein are that it is a data/statistical collection office rather than an authoritative unit for debts control and management.
- g. The Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 does not show achievements in debts reduction since the previous financial year to enable assessment of success or failure of previous policies and efforts to contain or reduce debt.

3. Conclusions

- 3.1 The County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 and Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 are a remarkable improvement over previous year's versions of the policy documents in terms of analysis and content but some modest improvements needs to be done to ensure it complies with the law and aligns to other policy documents.
- 3.2 While the general economic and financial outlook look positive, some key interventions and actions need to be taken to narrow the gap between planning and implementation of policies. The County government needs to ensure legislation is enacted and operationalized to create key institutions such as the Debts Management Office and there is sufficient political good will to ensure it is effective.
- 3.3 Planning should be integrated and co-ordinated and ensure cascading is done from long-term to medium-term to annual planning. Adherence to medium term expenditure framework should be done.
- 3.4 Debts reduction should be a priority and minimization of the same should be enhanced.

3.5 Budgeting should go in tandem with revenue enhancement at the local level to enable full implementation of projects and programmes.

4. Recommendations

County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016

4.1 The County Fiscal Strategy Paper should be aligned with the Annual Development Plan, the County Integrated Development Plan, the annual budget and the Debts Management Strategy Paper.

Figures should match where appropriate and projects be cascaded appropriately and planned over the medium term. The County priorities in the County Fiscal Strategy Paper should be in line with the national objectives in the Budget Policy Statement and policy goals clearly outlined pursuant to section 117 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012.

- 4.2 The County government should desist from over-budgeting by preparing realistic budgets where revenues are not extremely over-projected and expenditure is modest. Containing the wage bill by keeping employment within a manageable level.
- 4.3 There is need to conduct cost-benefit analysis to find out whether leasing of medical equipment or buying the same is more advantageous and cost-effective.
- 4.4 The County government needs to put in place a Revenue Enhancement Plan to ensure local revenue projections are achieved to enable proper funding of the budget.
- 4.5 The County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 needs to review and analyze accomplishments in the development arena since the previous year and what corrective action is taken to initiate or complete stalled projects.
- 4.6 An annual statement of revenue projected versus revenue realized and variances thereof needs to be published and circulated for an informed view of performance.

Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016

- 4.7 The Debt Management Strategy Paper, 2016 be revised to provide full disclosure of all County government debts including those of the County Assembly and a debts repayment schedule to clear all debts.
- 4.8 Debts repayment should be geared towards clearing long outstanding and minor debts first before clearing recent and major debts.
- 4.9 Debts should be development oriented rather than recurrent in line with stipulations in the Public Finance Management Act, 2012. To minimize debts especially recurrent approval of expenditure should only be done subject to availability of funds.
- 4.10 There is need to impose debts ceilings across departments and proactive action to clear debts. Political goodwill is necessary to ensure success in containing debt.

- 4.11 The establishment of a Debt Management Office must be supported by enabling legislation which will give the office power and authority to make the office effective in managing county debt. Further, the County Treasury should prepare, publish and circulate a concept note on the establishment Debts Management Office providing full details on its roles, mandate and *modus operandi*.
- 4.12 There should be transparency in publication of County government debts with information being made available on the official County government/County treasury website.
- 4.13 The Debts Management Strategy Paper needs to be aligned with the annual budget by factoring debts repayments in the budget.
- 4.14 The Debts Management Strategy Paper needs to show achievements in debts reduction and management since the previous year so that it is known whether the policy espoused previously are working or not.

Others

- 4.15 A comparative assessment/alignment needs to be done in the County government's policy documents i.e the County Integrated Development Plan, the County Fiscal Strategy Paper with the national government's Vision 2030, the Economic Transformative Agenda and the annual budget policy statement.
- 4.16 The County government needs to seriously address the mismatch between planning and implementation of development projects by ensuring that there are sufficient resources to initiate and accomplish projects and sufficient goodwill to back the same.
- 4.17 A workshop be organized for the Committee to review, consider and recommend the alignment/amendment to the County Integrated Development Plan and the Annual Development Plan.
- 4.18 The County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 and the Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 be revised by the County Treasury to take care, cognizance and adopt the recommendations of the Committee contained in this Report.
- 4.19 The County Assembly to approve and adopt this Report. (Hon. (Mr.s.) Nyamvula ended reading the Report)

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: I beg to move Hon. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): As per the prayer of clause 4(19) be considered by this House.

(Question put and agreed to)

Yes Hon. Nyamvula.

Hon. (Mr.s.) Nyamvula: Thank you Mr. Speaker this is just to reinforce what our Report indicated that some of the figures especially on the departmental expenditure, development and recurrent vary. It was noted during the meeting that departments have spent... have done some developments but there seems to be some mistakes that in their development index percentages are low even though they have spent on development. This indicated as we were discussing Mr. Speaker; the ex chequer, the treasurer has not been balancing things properly by not taking into account... not indicating what some of the departments have been doing to ensure that the show... the figures in the right area whether it is development and recurrent and more particularly is the only... If I remember there were three departments that have the highest development percentage i.e. health, agriculture and I'll check; when you look at other departments Mr. Speaker am trying to recall to be correct is that we have commitments; for instance the department of Youth, gender and sports have commitments which are not indicated in their accounts. For instance we have three policies which are coming through; they were supposed to come to this County Assembly and they have not been budgeted for and so some of the biggest... just to say on the Report is that the indications of the Report there is something lacking in terms of the way it was Reported. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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

Hon. Amur: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker I wish to congratulate the Committee for good work; if you go to 4,2 There should be transparency in publication of County government debts with information being made available on the official County government/County treasury website. This will enable our Members to see exactly what is happening in the County government of Mombasa, and 4:16, the County government needs to seriously address the mismatch between planning and implementation of development projects by ensuring that there are sufficient resources to initiate and accomplish projects and sufficient goodwill to back the same. That means that the Committee is very much alive and is working towards to improve this; the third Mr. Speaker the Committee spoke of it the Report was 4.18, The County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 and the Debts Management Strategy Paper, 2016 be revised by the County Treasury to take care, cognizance and adopt the recommendations of the Committee contained in this Report. If the Committees could be working this way Mr. Speaker; if the Committee will work this way in line with the budget then this County would also be 001 in its budget and achievement and doing its job the way it is supposed to do. I want to congratulate the Committee for work well done. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

(Applause)

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

Hon. Siminyu: Thank you Mr. Speaker I would like to give a statement on upholding peace during and after the elections.

(Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi) interrupted)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Hon. Patrick I know you have been waiting to crossover but you need to wait till we reach that bridge; we are still handling this important stuff here.

Hon. Siminyu: Thank you Mr. Speaker I was excited to bring my statement. Mr. Speaker this document is a very important document in the budget cycle and I take this opportunity to congratulate our able Chairman Hatimy for making sure this document reaches this House on time. Mr. Speaker I want to say that the last time we had somebody in charge of finance he went home because he failed to deliver such a document in time and this time we have people who are working very hard to make sure that these things are happening in time.

Mr. Speaker what I want to say is to thank the Committee and that they should keep the fire burning so that they can continue working for Mombasa County. Thank you.

(Applause)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Hon. Jimmy Odari.

Hon. Odari: Thank you Hon. Speaker. Mr. Speaker even though I came late I think i need some time to go through the Report...

(Applause)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes Hon. Murfad Amur.

Hon. Amur: This is the problem of coming in late.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes Hon. Tom.

Hon. Ogalo: Mheshimiwa Spika mimi ni Mwanachama wa hii Kamati na ningependa wale ambao walikuwa pale wasikie hata mimi niko pamoja na naunga mkono.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Yes Hon. Paul Onje.

Hon. Onje: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi si Mwanachama lakini hata vile nimeona hii ripoti kutoka kwa finance na mimi napongeza kazi nzuri ambayo wamefanya kwa sababu wamegusa kila mahali. Kwa mfano nikiangalia hapa kwa Debt Management Strategy Paper, 2016 hapa wameweza kuleta mambo mazuri sana; .hii 4.7 'The Debt Management Strategy Paper, 2016 be revised to provide full disclosure of all County government debts including those of the County Assembly and a debts repayment schedule to clear all debts'. Bwana Spika ikiwa haya mambo yatatekelezwa kulingana na vile Kamati ya fedha wameeleza nafikiri kazi itakuwa rahisi hata kwa upande wa executive na tutawapatia kazi rahisi na kila mmoja ambaye anafanya kazi na serikali ya Kaunti ya Mombasa watakuwa wanaona matunda ya kazi ambayo wanaifanya. Kwa hio mimi nawashukuru kwa kazi nzuri na kwa hayo machache ahsante sana.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Well ladies and gentlemen there is a clause in this particular Report which is actually sending some message to us as a government that we need to do a little bit more than what we are doing.

Clause 4.4 which reads that, The county government needs to put in place a Revenue Enhancement Plan to ensure local revenue projections are achieved to enable proper funding of the budget'. It is important we say this as a House and be united about this because some of the reasons as to why we are losing our revenue is that some are not paying taxes; one, two we have individuals who are parading outside there collecting money illegally pretending to be working for the County government and in that manner we are losing a lot of revenue as a County government and in the end the person who is suffering most is the citizen outside there. You will also find that most of the times you go there and collect Kshs 200 per day then thereafter we end up as a government arresting the same citizens for a mistake that is not theirs. This one we also need to stand up and help also the executive in fighting this because each and every time these persons are molested it is the same Hon. Members who will actually start to go and plead for them to go. We must stop protecting these particular individuals and we have evidence and those particular claims that people already have, so whenever private individuals Hon. Members this House needs to start saying no to such kind of behaviors because this is a double tragedy for us as a government. The common man is losing; crying and the government also is losing money and this Report is very clear that we still have more ways on how we can deal with this particular issue, of that must be done.

Again there is the aspect where this particular paper I have seen somewhere where the Public Service Board actually is the least department in terms of funds; and when we look into the allocation which was given in 2015/2016 (??) 112,000,000 the one that we were able to use is

only 21,000,000. I have just looked at the proposals in this particular Report, and to me the proposals need to be taken into consideration, i need to know for instance why we have only utilized a maximum of 37.8 per cent, and again ladies and gentlemen this document has operations for the next 12 months but am so surprised that some are not having the document, even the notice of Motion was placed on Tuesday and again now it is a surprise I don't even know the time we have to give this notice.

For that reason therefore that will not stop us from moving forward because we must be ready and able to work with the constitutional timelines. As it is I will give this chance to Hon. Mohamed Hatimy who is the mover of this particular Motion to have the last say before the question is put. Hon. Mohamed.

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika na kama unavyojua kwa hio itakuwa ni bajeti ya mwisho ...

(Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi) interrupted)

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Hon. Amur that doesn't mean there will be no budget for your case and that's... (*Inaudible*).

Hon. Mohamed Hatimy: Kama tunavyojua hii ni bajeti yetu ya mwisho, ukiangalia tumeweza kusema kuwa ni lazima ile stakabadhi ambayo itakuwa imetumika na ile bajeti lazima ziwe zimefuatana. Tumesema kuwa tunataka kuhakikisha CIDP imekaa na kuangalia kama itaambatana na bajeti na *Fiscal Strategy Paper* na *Debt Management Strategy Paper* kwa hiyo Mheshimiwa Spika nashukuru Nyumba hii kwa kuweza kuona huu Mswada ni muhimu na kuweza kupitisha na kusema kuwa wakati huu stakabadhi iko sawa kabisa. Kwa hio Mheshimiwa Spika naomba Nyumba hii iwe na umoja na muungano wa kuweza kuambiana kwenye tumekosa tuambiane ili tuwe tukiondoka hapa tuwe kwa mstari mmoja na tuweze kutoka kwenye Nyumba hii kwa njia ya usawa na njia ya usafi sio kuwa tutaambiwa kuwa tumetumia pesa kama juzi ilivyoandikwa kwa gazeti ile 255 milioni zimetumika bila kujulikana lakini Nyumba hii iko safi kama pamba na safi kama Gavana wetu alivyo. Kuna jambo limefunga watu wengi mdomo kuwa we are the least kwa corruption kwani sisi tulikuwa twangojewa kuonekana Mombasa ndio inayoongoza lakini imeonekana Mombasa haiko kwa list hiyo...

(Applause)

Kwa hivyo naomba Nyumba hii tuwe na umoja na tuweze kufaulu kwa yaliotuleta hapa, ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Well very quickly one allow me to remove the fear that this may be your last budget I want to believe that you still have much more to do and you will do another fiscal paper God willing and secondly whether we are listed or not in the most corrupt or least corrupt I think we must continue, we must urge ourselves to continue condemning this particular nightmare and disaster called corruption so that we just have to be at peace within ourselves. Thank you for also bringing that up because those who have been mentioned are crying and those who have not been mentioned are celebrating so for us to go on celebrating we must continue to condemn; we do not condone corruption as a government. Otherwise as it is Hon. Members allow me to place the question that the County Fiscal Strategy Paper, 2016 be approved in this House as presented by Hon. Mohamed Hatimy.

(Question put and agreed to)

STATEMENT

Hon. Patrick Siminyu.

Hon. Siminyu: Thank you Mr. Speaker for this opportunity. Mr. Speaker I want to make a statement on upholding peace and integrity during and after the elections. Mr. Speaker this is

due to the fact of what happened in Malindi last time and as you know integrity and peace during elections is up to us and the security apparatus to ensure there is peace and there should not be bias by the police, it will bring problems to our people and even the leaders themselves. As you saw even MPs like Ferdinand Waititu were involved in voter bribery, it is a shame Mr. Speaker, it's a shame this should not happen in this era, leaders should lead by integrity. Leaders should make sure that each and everything is done by the book as required by the law, but you find because they feel they are in the ruling party they can do whatever they want to do, even the police themselves when the youths from opposition are harassed because of such it takes the opposition leaders to stand firm so that action can be taken.

Mr. Speaker it is wrong and I would like to ask those police plus those in power they should not take this opportunity, they should show equal service whether in the opposition or not, integrity from the police, integrity from those in leadership should be held during and after the elections. Mr. Speaker we find that during and after elections we find so many cases even in politics where it is when people discover that they belong to certain community and others. Mr. Speaker usually some leaders fuel these activities sir, I thank the Governor he did a lot to bring all together so that Malindi will speak with one voice as Malindi people and there should be more of such a leadership direction where leaders bring people together not to divide people.

Mr. Speaker I would like to ask because people are asking this; what action are we taking to address this? We should not go down, action should be taken so that we can see peace and integrity in the future elections that we are going to have and we should learn from whatever has happened in Malindi. Thank you.

Mr. Speaker (Hon. Rajwayi): Well that to me was kind of a great insight from Hon. Patrick Siminyu who has brought to this House; it is important that we, there is no other leader that will think about bringing this County and country together apart from yourself. To me whatever has happened is actually a wakeup call as leaders we must...there is no option here, we must stand up be together and preach peace and togetherness and thank you Hon. Members for heading my call that we must not politicize whatever is happening to the Governor of this great County and let us allow the due process to take its course, immediately that is done I want to assure you that if there is any County that is more cosmopolitan then that other County is none other than Mombasa and we must preach peace for us to coexist together. We must wake the 46 Counties to learn from us that when you are peaceful that's the only way you can achieve even what you want to achieve because in the presence of violence nobody benefits; whether you are the person who is promoting or perpetrating that violence nobody is actually a beneficiary of violence and we have to accept that there is nothing wrong when you think even outside the box and try to petition the NCIC and see how best we can bring them aboard and communicate to you the agenda, the workplace and how best they want to bring this country together.

It must not be viewed from only one side, it must cut across, not that when something happens to Hon. Patrick Siminyu it is a sin but when it happens to Hon. Hatimy it is a right, that must not happen and let us not wait until it is too late for us to make up. I want to assure you if you want to sleep now come the election day you will be dead, so either wake up now we walk the talk so that when it comes to that time we are all up and running because we are on the wrong side when we allow bad things to happen but we are on the right side when we stand up and give our vice when that is needed and that time is now. And Hon. House we must get up and bring all communities together and so each and every person who is living here so that we must know elections are something that will just pass but we will continue to be here as a people and as one family so make sure Hon. Patrick Siminyu you build on that particular statement that you have. Next?

ADJOURNMENT

This House stands adjourned until Tuesday next week at exactly 2:30p.m. The House rose at 3:35p.m.