



**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA
THE HANSARD**

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*[The County Assembly met at 2:52p.m. at the County Assembly Buildings]
[The Speaker (Honourable Aharub Ebrahim Khatri) in the Chair]*

PRAYERS

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Honourable Members, you may be seated. Yes Clerk? Next order please.

STATEMENTS

HARASSMENT OF BOAT OPERATORS AND BEACH TRADERS AT BAMBURI PUBLIC BEACH

Yes, Honourable Abdulrahman Abdulkadir, Chairperson Committee on Tourism, Culture and Trade, please respond to the statement.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Thank you so much Honourable Speaker. I am standing to respond to a request for statement that was made by Honourable Patrick Mbele on the harassment of Boat Operators and Beach Traders at Bamburi Public Beach. I want to believe it is not Honourable Allen Katana?!

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Allen Katana?

Hon. Katana: Mr. Speaker, because I want this to go on record, I think Honourable Member after admitting that I am the one who brought that issue, I suggest he starts afresh, thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you, just put it on record Honourable Abdulrahman.

Hon. Abdulkadir Abdulrahman: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I stand guided. Honourable Speaker, I am up to respond to a request for a statement by Honourable Allen Katana Member of County Assembly Shanzu Ward, on an issue concerning the harassment of Boat Operators and Beach Traders at Bamburi Public Beach. Honourable Speaker, as a Committee we deliberated on this issue and we wrote several letters to the concerned department; the department of Tourism, Culture and Trade but we did not get a response. However, we wrote to them a reminder and I am pleased to inform that we got a response from the department.

If you will allow me Honourable Speaker, I can read the response as I have it here.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes please.

Hon. Abdulkadir Abdulrahman: Thank you Mr. Speaker and I quote. The Department of Tourism, Culture and Trade through their letter of Ref: CGM/DTCT/TOURISM/1/VOL.1/13 dated 1st August, 2023 stated that the Directorate of Tourism invited the Chairman of Mombasa Boat Operators, Mr. Ahmed Fumo on 20th June, 2023 to shed light on the harassment of Boat Operators and Beach Traders at Bamburi Public Beach where Mr. Fumo informed the Directorate that they are not being harassed and are working well with the authorities. I repeat, Mr. Fumo informed the Directorate that they are not being harassed as it was alleged by Honourable Allen Katana. The Department also informed the Committee that the Directorate of Tourism had initiated the Beach Management Bill in order to bring sanity and order in public beaches in the County. The legislation also proposes for the rehabilitation and modernization of the Jomo Kenyatta Public Beach. The Department further informed the Committee that in due course they will forward the Bill to the County Assembly for Consideration. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Abdulrahman. Yes, Clerk next order please.

[Interruption]

Yes, Honourable Allen Katana?

Hon. Katana: Thank you Mr. Speaker but since I am still a learner learning the procedures of this House, I thought I would also first have a copy of this before the Honourable Member just walks in with a paper and I do not know whether he is the one who has just typed so that he can just present because in fact he is even asking me who is this, Fumo? Now he is the one coming with information and then asking me who is Fumo! So, I humbly ask for your guidance Honourable Speaker, but I am 101 percent not satisfied with this Report, thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Abdulrahman?

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Honourable Speaker, I was asking him whether he knows the Chairman of the Beach Traders Association, one Mr. Ahmed Fumo and I am surprised the Honourable Member does not know him and he is here purporting to bring an issue concerning the harassment of beach operators. The department, like I said contacted Mr. Ahmed Fumo, whom I am informed he is the Chairman of Mombasa Boat Operators and he denied any allegation of harassment, so I have a written copy of the response and I can share it with him. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Allen?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika kwa ruhusa yako nitaomba nichukue karatasi hili, ambalo hata uhakika wake sijui maana sijapata watanisaidia kutafuta lakini anaongea kuhusu Boat operators, mimi niliongea kuhusu wafanyikazi wote wanaofanya kazi kule ufuoni; wale wavuvi, wale wanao fanya michezo kule, wanaofanya kazi za kupeleka watalii.

Lakini Ripoti iliyojibiwa na ananiuliza habari za Bwana mmoja anayeitwa Fumo, anayesimamia vidau peke yake na hii niliyouliza ni kwanzia mwisho Flamingo kule baharini kuja mpaka mpakani Pirates. Sasa akiniambia Boat operator's peke yake Mheshimiwa hainisaidii na swala langu muhimu ilikuwa shida wanazopitia hawa watu wanapitia shida za kupeana pesa kwa mikono mingi ya serikali, ikiwemo TRA ambayo ni Tourism Regulator Authorities, ikiwemo KWS, Kenya Maritime ikiwemo mikono minne ya serikali inachukua pesa kwa mvuvi ama mfanyikazi katika ile ufuo wa bahari. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika na mimi ni ombi langu, Mwenyekiti asiparamie Ripoti tu, akae vizuri ili wapate majibu mazuri kwa maana wananchi wetu wanateseka kule. Ahsante.

[The Speaker (Hon. Khatri) exited the Chair]

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

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Yes, what is it Honourable Abdulrahman? You do not need to respond to what Honourable Katana has raised.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Okay I want to believe that this issue has been sorted.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): I will give direction.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Thank you Honourable Abdulrahman for bringing back to the Assembly this response but as per the Honourable Members from Bamburi he is not satisfied with this response. So, I request the Committee to go back and have a site visit, invite the said departments that were named by the Honourable Member and bring back to this Honourable House bring back your Report in three weeks time.

[Interruption]

What is it Honourable Katana?

Hon. Katana: Mr. Speaker I am sorry to say this but it is not the Honourable Member from Bamburi, I am from Shanzu. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Thank you the Honourable Member from Shanzu Honourable Allen Katana. Yes, Clerk next order please?

BLOCKAGE OF PUBLIC ACCESS ROAD NEAR KIEMBENI BAPTIST CHURCH

Yes, Honourable Amriya Boy Chairperson Committee on Lands, Housing and Urban Planning or any other Member from that Committee?

[Silence]

Any Member from Lands Committee? Honourable Madialo, are you a Member?

Hon. Madialo: Yes, I am a Member. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Okay.

Hon. Madialo: We request the Honourable Chair to give us two more weeks.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Honourable Madialo, I think last week you requested for some more weeks and we accorded you one more week, of which you are supposed to bring back the response today, so what transpired that you do not have the response?

Hon. Madialo: Because I am a good Christian, I do not want to lie to you, we just want to seek your gracious permission to allow us to bring it in two weeks time.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Honourable Member from Bamburi Honourable Mbele, do you have any objections?

Hon. Mbelle: Mr. Speaker Sir, I am very dissatisfied with the answer from the Committee of Lands; the reason of my dissatisfaction is that this is a matter that has a lot of people involved including my residents whom for a very long time I have been waiting for this answer. I urge under your discretion that you then forward this matter to the whole House because this has been a matter that has been there, I think almost a month or two now and the temperatures on the ground are still very high, it is a matter of land Mr. Speaker Sir. So, kindly if you can delegate the issue whether to an *Ad-Hoc* Committee or to the Whole House I would really appreciate because I think the Committee had this for a very long time. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Thank you Honourable Patrick. Yes, Honourable Madialo?

Hon. Madialo: Through your kind permission Mr. Speaker Sir, I would request that if you would allow us, then I can give you my personal undertaking as a Member of the Lands Committee that this Report will come to this House in two weeks time.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Honourable Majority Leader, what is it?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika...

[Silence]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Yes, Majority Leader?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika ni masikitiko ya jinsi baadhi ya mambo yanavyo endeshwa...Nikiwa mwakilishi wa serikali, serikali yetu inastahili kuwajibika lakini ni jukumu la utenda kazi wa Kamati kuhakikisha inawajibisha sehemu ama serikali upande wa serikali. Mheshimiwa Spika hoja hii ambayo Mheshimiwa wa Bamburi alikuja nayo ni swala la utetesi wa ardhi. Mheshimiwa Spika, tuna ushuhuda katika Jamhuri yetu kuna sehemu watu wameuana kwa sababu ya ardhi na Kamati ina mamlaka mbali na kukaa katika maeneo ya Bunge pasi na idhini ya upande wa serikali kwenda nyanjani Mheshimiwa Spika, kutathmini yaliyojiri na kuja na Ripoti wanachokisubiria ni taarifa kwa karatasi kutoka kwa upande wa serikali.

Hali halisi ya nyanjani, Kamati haijafika. Mheshimiwa Spika, Mheshimiwa aliyekuja na hoja hii ambaye kwake kuna utesi yuko hapa. Kamati katika vikao ambavyo vimekaa kwa takriban mwezi sasa, hakuna hata kikao kimoja katika ajenda zake kinachohusu maswala ya Bamburi, waliomwita Mhe. Wa Bamburi kutaka kuskia kutoka kwake ni yapi yanayojiri walisia wa mamba pale nyanjani. Mheshimiwa Spika naomba uwajibishe hizi Kamati, kwa sababu Kamati zikikosa kufanya kazi ni aibu kwa Bunge ya kwamba tumelala, kwa sababu majukumu mengi yetu sisi kama wawakilishi wa jamii yapo katika Kamati hizi Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika ni wito wangu tu kwamba Kamati ya ardhi iwajibishwe katika hili na ipewe mda mfupi inavyoowezekana na ikilazimu wachukue hatua wenyewe kuzuru maeneo yale, kuzuru walalamishi kuwa hata kama ni kumwona yule ambaye anadai anamiliki sehemu ile, ili wawe na msimamo kama Kamati na kuja kueleza Bunge hili, ili angalau Mheshimiwa wa Bamburi na yeye aweze kukaa na amani na watu wake na kwamba amewajibikia lile ambalo limetujiri. Lakini Mheshimiwa Spika tabia ya Kamati kuandika barua na kusubiri jibu kutoka kwa idara, jibu likija asubuhi wanalileta saa nane alafu mwisho wa siku inaonekana upande wa pili wa serikali haijawajibika katika Kamati zenyewe zinazembea. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

[The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani) exited the Chair]

[The Speaker (Hon. Khatri) in the Chair]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Mwamwiri. Yes, Honourable Jacktone Madialo?

Hon. Madialo: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika, bado ninaomba kwa niaba ya Kamati ya Ardhi ya kwamba tupatiwe mda mfupi na tutaleta majibu haswa alafu pia ni wajibu wa uongozi wa Bunge ya kwamba baada ya miaka miwili ikifika mupige msasa na muangalie wenye viti, ili wapatiwe wale ambao wanawajibika na baada ya miaka miwili, baada ya kunyorosha leba naweza kunyorosha Ardhi...

[Interruption]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Allen Katana?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika nikiwa Mwanachama katika Kamati hii na mwanachama mwenzangu kusimama, sijui kama atakuwa muwazi nimuelewe kama anasema, Mwenyekiti wa Kamati yetu hafai ama ni mimi ndio nimemuelewa vibaya? Tafadhali.

Hon. Madialo: Ahsante sana Bwana Spika. Sijasema hivyo na hata mimi ndio nimesimama mara tatu kutetea Kamati yetu, kwa hivyo sijasema hivyo. Mimi ndio natetea Kamati ndio isipelekwe kwa Kamati ya *Ad-Hoc*, wewe kama mwanachama wetu umekaa hapo mimi nikitetea Kamati alafu unadakia dakia mambo...

[Applause]

Kwa hivyo jifundishe kutulia, kuwa mtulivu.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Allen Katana?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika kwa uongozi wako, mimi shida yangu ni kubwa na kazi yangu iliyonileta hapa ni ya kukutea kila mtu na nataka kusema hivi Mheshimiwa aliposimama ameongea hoja ya maana si kutetea tu Kamati, ameongea kilicho kweli ya kwamba tuliandika barua na hatujajibiwa na Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi, akatupa mwelekeo ambao ni wa maana ya kwamba tunakibali kwenda pale. Sasa, ilikuwa ni Mheshimiwa akubali mashauri tuliyopewa, yeye anasema Mwenyekiti wetu hafai mpaka kwa kuwa yeye ni wa leba apewe. Mhe.Spika kila Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti aliyechaguliwa hapa anafaa kuongoza Kamati na Mheshimiwa Amriya Juma Boy anatosha. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Patrick Mbelle? Please.

Hon. Mbelle: Mheshimiwa Spika kufikia saa hizi nikisikiza wenye Kamati ya Ardhi wanavyo ongea ni kama hii Kamati imechanganyikiwa katika swala hili la mambo yangu...

[Applause]

Mheshimiwa Spika tunavyoongea hili ni swala ambalo ni swala dharura, swala nyeti ambalo linahusisha kina mama zangu, wajane, watoto, wazee watu ambao hivi sasa tunavyoongea ni yule ambaye anasema anamiliki shamba ameenda kutafuta akimiliki na kuweza kugawanya lile shamba. Kwa hivyo ni kiti ambacho kwa wiki ama miezi kadha, wale watu wangu watakuwa wanaweza furushwa. Sasa ikiwa leo hii Kamati imechanganyikiwa ndani ya Bunge, sijui kama wataweza kusaidia katika siku zijazo ama itakuwaje? Kwa hivyo nakuomba Mheshimiwa Spika ikiwezekana itengezewe Kamati ya *Ad-Hoc* ama utafute njia mbadala ya kuweza kusaidia kuweza kupata suluhu ya tatizo hili, kwa sababu limekuwa donda sugu na ni jambo ambalo tukiliacha, litakuwa ni jambo ambalo litakuwa ni la aibu kwetu kama Bunge, kwetu kama serikali ya Kaunti. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Members. Yes, who is the Vice-Chair of that Committee?

[Loud consultations]

[Laughter]

Honourable Nyundo...

[Laughter]

Honourable Ahmed Khamis? Ok. Yes, Honourable Mwaka, are you a Member of that Committee?

Hon. Mwaka Bakari: Naam Bwana Spika. Nashukuru Bwana Spika naona swala hili la ardhi kila mtu anatungólea macho; kwa kusema ukweli ni ukweli hatujaleta Ripoti ama kujibu hii *statement* ambayo imeletwa hapa, lakini ilikuwa tuko mapumziko ya kutosha nafikiri. Kwa sababu tumekaa nje karibu miezi miwili. Bwana Spika, kama alivyosema mwenzangu wa Kamati, mwanachama mwenzangu hapa kwamba tutaileta ya uhakika tupeni wiki mbili na kusema kwamba Mwenyekiti wetu hawajibiki anawajibika, Kamati yetu inawajibika na sisi tuko tayari kuleta majibu ambayo ni wa uhakika baada ya wiki mbili.

Kwa hivyo Bwana Spika naomba.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Prischilla Mumba please.

The Chief Whip (Hon. Mumba): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Nilikuwa nataka kujuza Nyumba hii ya kuwa hata kama tulikuwa likizo Mheshimiwa Spika umetuhuru kuwa Kamati zilikuwa zinaendelea na kazi na Kamati ilikuwa ina wajibu kuendelea na kazi na ule mda ambao sisi tumekaa katika hili Jumba, tumepolekwa katika usomi wa kujielewa kufanya hizi kazi. Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi amejaribu kueleza majukumu yetu na kueleza ni kwa nini ingelikuwa saa hizi watu washafika hata kwenye *site*, ya kuwa hili jambo Mheshimiwa Spika liangaziwe kwa umakini, kama unavyojua tetesi kubwa katika Kaunti ya Mombasa ni kuhusu ardhi na ikiwa kuna mahali kuna furusha za ardhi huwa Mheshimiwa Spika kuna fujo, kuna vita, kuna mauwaji na kuna maafa yanaweza kutokea pale. Kwa hivyo sisi kama viongozi Mheshimiwa Spika huwa ni wakati mgumu sana kuwa hata kulala huwezi kulala manake grupu litakufuata pale kwako ndani ya nyumba.

Mheshimiwa Spika kuna Kamati hapa ambazo zinatajikana ziwajibike na ziwe zinafanya kaze yake kwa wakati unaofaa; hapa hatuko hapa kulenga mtu, hatuko hapa kulenga mtu binafsi, kila mtu hapa anapenda mwenzake, lakini ni wakati tuwajibike waheshimiwa wenzangu ulipo pewa uongozi wa mamlaka wa hili Jumba Mheshimiwa Spika, hukutupa mamlaka ya kuwa tuambie tuwe Wenyekiti tuwe viongozi alafu twende tukazembe katika Kamati zetu. Hatukusema kuna mtu ambaye anatajikana ama hatajikana, lakini ni wajibu saizi kila mwenyekiti wawajibike jamani. Sisi tuliyochaguliwa nyanjani tunajua ule moto tunaopata kama viongozi, tunajua moto ni mkali kule chini, tusiteteani hapa kutaka kufurahishana uso na ilhali kule chini kunaharibika. Mheshimiwa Mbelle ni mtu amechaguliwa na viongozi na watu, wakati wiki ya kwanza anaonekana hakuna kitu kinafanyika, ataonekana amezembea hakuzembea? Sasa, sisi tukizungumza hapa ni kuwa tunasema mtu hawezi kufanya kazi? Ni mtu awajibike na wajibu wake na kazi ya ardhi ni namba moja katika Jumba hili, iangaliwe nendeni kwa *site*, nendeni mkatulize kwa Mheshimiwa Mbelle na wengine nao wafuate kusaidia. Jumba hili tumezembea kwa mambo mengi tusizungumze mengi hapa Mheshimiwa Spika ni wakati tuamke sasa.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa. Yes, I thought you were on a point of information?

Hon. Mwaka Bakari: Naomba kumalizia Mheshimiwa Spika, naona kiranja wa Bunge amekuwa mkali mpaka *pressure* yataka kutoka. Kwa kweli jambo la mambo ya ardhi ni jambo muhimu sana kwa hivyo Bwana Spika mimi kama mwanachama tunachukua uhakika, tumesema wiki mbili lakini sasa kwa sababu naona kumewaka moto wiki moja Mheshimiwa Spika...

[Applause]

Wiki moja Mheshimiwa Spika Mungu akitujalia hapa jumanne mtaona kazi yetu ya Kamati ya Ardhi. Naomba Nyumba hii muweze kutuchukulia kwamba sisi ni binadamu, na pia mwanadamu akikosa akirekebisha ukubali makosa yake. Kwa hivyo kama Kamati ya Ardhi tumekubali makosa hayo na tutayachukulia haraka iwezekanavyo. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Ahsante sana Waheshimiwa wa Kamati ya Ardhi.

Nafikiri munaweza kuomba wiki moja, hii *statement* imeweza kuja saa hii ni zaidi ya miezi miwili ambayo iko katika hapa Bunge na nafikiri ikiwa kweli mumeandikia wizara ya ardhi, kuuliza hayo maswala muko na barua zenu nakala sijui kama muko nazo hizo barua za kuonyesha manake tulikuwa tunatarajia kama wanachama wa Kamati mungekuwa muko na barua za kuonyesha kwamba muliandikia Wizara na hamjapata hayo majibu. Kwa hio kwenda mbele Mheshimiwa Jactone Madialo *you have asked for one week, we will give you one week so that we get the response* na hapa tuko na ile gari pia iko hapa chini van ambayo tuliinunua kazi yake ni hiyo...

[Applause]

Nyinyi kama Kamati munaweza tumia hiyo *van* mukaenda kwenye hapo *site* mukaangalia hata ofisi ya Ardhi haiko mbali nafikiri iko hapo pia munaweza mukapitia pale mukamuona waziri ama *Chief Officer* mukubaliane kuhusu hilo swala na wiki ijayo jumatano muwe na hayo majibu, tafadhali wawajibike kidogo Waheshimiwa. *Thank you very much, yes Clerk next order please.*

STATEMENT

BLOCKAGE OF PUBLIC ACCESS ROAD NEAR KIEMBENIBAPTIST CHURCH

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, again Committee on Lands, Housing and Urban Planning. Yes Members, any Member from that Committee? Yes, Honourable Allen Katana?

Hon. Katana: Mr. Speaker as you can see am not up by choice and for sure I would also plead with this Honourable House to give us until our next sitting, hopefully next week so that we can sit with our Chair. It is clear that it is very much visible in this House that the Lands Committee is not very active or somebody has said it is over worked so Honourable Speaker, this is my humble plea that you give us up to Tuesday next week then we come with all the replies. Thank you, Honourable Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Katana. Honourable Members for Lands Committee if I may ask, when was the last time you sat as a Committee; do you even remember when the last time was?!

Hon. Katana: Honourable Speaker, personally I have been away for CAF meetings but maybe Honourable Members can tell me, can be upstanding to answer this question.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Because with the way am seeing how you are responding it seems like you have not sat down soon as a Committee! Any way we have agreed one week right?!

Hon. Katana: Yes.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Please next week by Wednesday, let us have the response please Honourable Members.

Hon. Katana: Most obliged.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Clerk next order?

STATUS OF MWAKIRUNGE DUMPSITE

Yes, Honourable Juma Mwalimu Chairperson Committee on Environment and Solid Waste Management. Yes, Honourable Makanga please.

Hon. Makanga: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to give a response to the statement on status of Mwakirunge dumpsite, a statement that was sought by Honourable Mwinyi Mtoto on seventh June at 2:30p.m. Honourable Speaker, unlike the other Committee this is a reasonable Committee, with people full of wisdom and commitment ready to serve the great people of Mombasa County. Mr. Speaker Sir, as you understand environment as a department is one of the key areas where His Excellency the Governor has committed too much resources; time and energy to resolve issues to do with dumpsite and therefore I want to applaud each and every Member of the Committee in Environment for work well done. Mr. Speaker, the statement was raised as early as stated on 7th June and the Honourable Members wanted the following matters to be addressed;

1. The Current condition of the Mwakirunge dumpsite along with detailed information on the plans in place by the County government of Mombasa to address this pressing issue.
2. The proposed timelines for implementing viable solutions and any necessary measures to prevent similar occurrences in future.

Mr. Speaker it is important to know that the administration of His Excellency the Governor has committed to convert the dumpsite in reference which is Mwakirunge into a sanitary land field before the expiry of the first term and of course before we start the second term. Sanitary land field are considered to be comparable to the environmental safe guards and standards set globally. The department of Environment and Solid Waste Management and National Environmental Management Authority that is NEMA has both resolved to convert the dumpsite into a land field so as to address environmental harm posed by the facility. Mr. Speaker Sir, I would ask the Honourable Members in this House to check the document that have been supplied to them, there is an attachment that is why I said this Committee has done a good job, on the attachment we have a matrix, an implementation matrix giving us timelines, who is responsible, the performance indicators and their status.

Mr. Speaker, if you look at that matrix, it is clear that so far, the boundary identification of the existing dumpsite has been completed and that has happened in the final quarter of the year 2022-2023. The second item is fencing of Mwakirunge dumpsite; this has started in the financial year 2023/2024, the department is working towards having a fence around that dumpsite that process is ongoing Mr. Speaker. The third thing that has happened is that we are looking forward to provision of safe disposal of solid waste while protecting human health, Mr. Speaker that is pending because it has issues to do with procurement and therefore, we have to follow the procedures according to PFM Act. Mr. Speaker, further we are looking forward to having a construction of office block at the dumpsite, again that one is pending; the process has been initiated currently in the procurement stage. Mr. Speaker, when you go to the last page of that document without taking much time is to inform this House, because this cannot happen without coming up with a Committee. This will be a Committee in relation to how the management of the dumpsite will be done, the Committee Mr. Speaker has already been formed and will proceed with the sensitization before embarking on their mandate. Therefore Mr. Speaker as a Committee we stand committed to the course and we will continue working with the Member for Mwakirunge and any other Member who has an illegal dumpsite in this House.

This is to ensure that our people live in a dignified environment. Therefore Mr. Speaker, that is the position of the Committee and again thank you for allowing us to present.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Member and thank you for the good work as a Committee, keep it up...

[Applause]

I hope other Committees will follow suit. Yes, you can do that Honourable Members. Yes, Honourable Allen are you in that Committee as well?

[Honourable Katana spoke off microphone]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Under which Standing Order?

Hon. Katana: It's not in order when you are speaking and the Member interrupts you, so this Honourable Member is not in order.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Clerk next order please?

COMMUNITY HEALTH POLICY IN THE COUNTY

Yes, Honourable Benard Ogutu Chairperson Committee on Health services, please respond to the statement.

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker before I give the response, I have heard Honourable Frankline Makanga bragging on the good work the Committee on Environment is doing. Mr. Speaker, equally the Committee on Health is doing well and as Chair of the Committee am very much proud of the Committee because whenever we are called to upon to give a response to a statement or any other assignment we normally do it within the record time. Back to the statement Mr. Speaker, I wish to respond to the statement requested in this Honourable House by Honourable Ibrahim Omondi, the Member for Airport Ward on Wednesday 7th June, 2023 at 2:30p.m. during the 41st sitting of the County Assembly. Mr. Speaker, the Honourable Member sought a statement on whether the County government of Mombasa has a Community Health policy. Mr. Speaker, the County Chief Officer for the Public Health responded via letter reference no. MCG/COPH/PROG/146 dated 27th June, 2023. Mr. Speaker, she responded that the Mombasa County department has not developed a community Health strategy policy, it is guided by the national policy, the Kenya Community Health strategy policy; however the department is at an advanced stage of developing the County Health Strategy Bill which has been passed by the cabinet and on 7th it will be taken for public participation, thereafter it will be brought to this Honourable House. I am therefore requesting that when the Bill is brought to the House, we pass it with record time Mr. Speaker. Thank you for the time.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Ogutu for your response and again keep it up even with your Committee for the good work.

Yes Clerk, next Order please?

MOTIONS

ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE VETTING OF MR. JIBRIL MAALIM NOMINEE FOR THE POSITION OF CHIEF OFFICER POLICY AND PLANNING

Yes, Honourable Athman Mwamwiri, please move the Motion.

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

THAT this Honourable House adopt the Report on the vetting of Mr. Jibril Maalim the nominee for the position of Chief Officer Policy and planning as laid on the Table on Tuesday 25th July, 2023.

With your permission Mr. Speaker, I beg to ask Honourable Kibwana Swaleh to second the Motion.

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Honourable Speaker, I do second.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Athman Mwamwiri and Honourable Kibwana for moving the Motion. Honourable Members, I now propose the question that the Motion by Honourable Athman Mwamwiri on adoption of Report on the vetting of Mr. Jibril Maalim nominee for the position of Chief Officer Policy and planning be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes, Honourable Athman Mwamwiri Vice-Chairperson Committee on Appointments, please make your contribution to the Motion.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker on the delegated powers bestowed upon me to this Committee, I wish to urge the Honourable House that pursuant to section 7 (8) of the Public Appointment Act of the County Assemblies, the Committee observed that the nominee met the integrity threshold, the nominee demonstrated knowledge of typical administrative and technical issues touching on the office he was nominated to serve. He also has the requisite abilities, academic qualification and professional experience to be approved for the appointment of Chief Officer for the department of Policy and Planning. Mr. Speaker, this being among the critical docket, I urge this House that we approve this Report, we approve the nominee so that he can assist in the policy developing planning so that we move forward as a County. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Juma Manuari from Bofu Ward please make your contribution.

Hon. Juma Manuari: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza nimshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu kwa juma hili na kutujaalia sote kufika hapa wakati huu wa mchana; nichukue nafasi hii nimuunge mkono ndugu yangu Kiongozi wa Wengi.

Katika maeneo yetu kule Mombasa ya wazungu waliita South, yeye ni jirani yangu kwa kutuletea nafasi ya kijana wetu, ndugu yetu Bwana Jibril Maalim awe katibu mkuu wa sera na mipangilio ya jiji la Mombasa. Mheshimiwa Spika, tukimtizama ndugu yetu Jibril Maalim kwanza ni kijana ambaye sasa hivi akili yake kidogo kulingana na umri wake tunaona imekomaa na tukiangalia katika rekodi zake za kazi, twashukuru Mungu kumuona sasa hivi ameingia darasani kupania kusomea PHD kwa lugha ya kimombo na vile vile katika mwelekeo wake wa kikazi tunaona kuna baadhi ya kazi ambazo yeye ana uzoefu nazo na ana tajriba ya kutosha ya kuwa hii Mombasa yetu anaweza kusimama vizuri na kuhakikisha mipangilio katika ofisi ya Gavana na mipangilio ya jiji letu la Mombasa, mipangilio inakuwa vizuri.

Kwa hivyo nimpe kongole Gavana kwa kutuletea ndugu yetu huyu Jibril Maalim ili Mombasa yetu iwe itabadilika na tukiangalia katika nidhamu zake katika rekodi yake ya nidhamu, hatujawahi kuona tetesi ama kesi yoyote kutoka ripoti zile za uchunguzaji wa nidhamu ya mwanadamu kuwa wametuletea wakatuambia kuwa huyu Bwana hana kasoro au huyu Bwana kunatatizo mahali fulani, ameibia mtu ama amepora mtu. Mheshimiwa Spika hata tukiangalia ule utajiri alionao na tukiangalia ule muda aliohudumu katika hizi nafasi zake tatu ambazo zimeelekezwa hapa tunaona inaendana nae, kwa hivyo basi twasema kwamba huyu ndugu yetu anakula halali yake na Mungu amsaidie. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika mimi naomba Bunge hili Ndugu zangu tusimameni kidete tumpitishie ndugu yetu ili hizi kazi zisonge mbele na sote tubarikiwe. Ahsante sana.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Manuari from Bofu Ward. Yes, Honourable Fatma Swaleh from Kadzandani Ward, please make your contribution.

Hon. Fatma Swaleh: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kuweza kunipa fursa hii. Vile vile namshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu muumba mbingu na ardhi pasi na kizuizi; mimi vile vile nimesimama kuunga mkono taarifa ilioletwa na Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri. Mheshimiwa Spika, ukiangalia taarifa hii upande wa elimu, kijana huyu ni msomi na vile vile naona hii nafasi inamfaa na vile vile naona yeye ndie atakuwa bora kuweza kuongozana na Mheshimiwa Gavana na vile vile ni kijana mdogo ambaye akili zake zitakuwa bado hazijachoka. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika sina budi namuunga mkono mia fil mia.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Prischilla Mumba please make your contribution, the Majority Chief Whip.

The Majority Chief Whip (Hon. Mumba): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika na mimi nimesimama hapa kuunga mkono kidete na kutoa taarifa yangu katika kuunga mkono kwa sababu nimeangalia katika nakala yale mambo ambayo Kamati hii iliorodhesha na nikiwa nina imani kwa sababu ninajua Kamati hii ni Kamati ya nguvu ikiongozwa na wewe Spika wetu ambaye ninajua una busara kubwa wakati unaangalia utendaji kazi wa viongozi ambao tunawaweka katika uongozi. Nina imani kuwa mulipiga msasa vizuri na mukachagua kiongozi chipukizi ambaye ataweza kufanya kazi, akiandamana na *super* waziri wetu ambaye tunajua katika hichi kitengo ambaye pia ni kijana chipukizi. Kwa hivyo watakapokuwa wakifanya hizi kazi, watasaidiana katika shughuli nyingi na tunajua kazi zitafanyika, tunajua zinaambatana katika majukumu yao.

Hivyo basi tunapatia viongozi ambao wana umri wa kufanya kazi ili Mombasa yetu iweze kuonekana na mabadiliko. Tumepatia uongozi watu ambao wana umri mdogo na watakuwa wana mbio za kufanya kazi ili wamsaidie Gavana kwa sababu tumekaa kwa muda tukiwa hatujawaweka katika kazi. Na tunaona kuna majukumu mengine kidogo yamekwama lakini tuna imani ikiwa leo tutapitisha kijana huyu aweze kufanya kazi nina imani kuwa sasa kasi itashika moto na mimi nimesimama kuunga kidete, kidete bila kuteteleka, sasa nataka kuona kazi iendelee na watu waendeleo kufanya kazi bila kusitasita. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Prischilla. Yes, Honourable Hamisi Mbaya?

Hon. Hamisi Mbaya: Ahsante sama Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipa fursa hii. Kwanza kabisa nimshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu, pili ni washukuru Waheshimiwa wenza kwa kuweza kujumuika kwa hichi kipindi cha baada ya chakula cha mchana. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi nitaunga mkono hoja hii kwa asili mia tisaini na tisa kwa mia. Mheshimiwa Spika, ukiangalia nia hasa ya Mheshimiwa Gavana Abdulswamad Sharif Nassir ana nia nzuri na wakaazi wa Mombasa Kaunti. Mheshimiwa Spika, ukiangalia jopo ambalo liliweza kupiga msasa huyu ndugu yetu kuna watu ambao wana uzoefu katika Bunge hili; tuna kila sababu ya kwamba kama wenye walipiga msasa huyu ndugu yetu Bwana Jibril Maalim basi tuna haki zaidi kuona kama ni nafasi nzuri ya kuweza kuunga mkono kwa sababu pia nia na madhumuni ya wale walipiga msasa ni kuona ndugu yetu wa Mombasa Kaunti wameweza kupata huduma ama mipangilio mizuri ili Mombasa Kaunti yetu iweze kuendelea mbele. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi nasema ahsante sana, nimeunga mkono kwa asilimia 99 kwa 100. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Mbaya from Timbwani Ward. Yes, Honourable Moraa Milka, nominated MCA please make your contribution.

Hon. Ngare: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity. I stand to support the Report on the vetting of the nominee for the position Chief Officer Policy and Planning Mr. Jibril Maalim. I want to start by congratulating the Committee that sat to vet him and came up with this Report chaired by you Honourable Speaker and Majority Leader. You considered and checked through his documents and on clearance and compliance requirement of EACC, HELB, KRA and others and you found him clean. Looking at his academic qualifications, the nominee has a Doctor of philosophy... no, he is still undertaking meaning has already having a Bachelor's degree and also Masters, well schooled person whom we need in this department. He has enough knowledge, looking at his employment record he has worked for about 20 years and that is good experience.

We remember what the President said yesterday; some of the people that he has given work could not even respond to some of the queries raised to them, but when we have someone who has this kind of experience in order that person is knowledgeable enough to respond matters to his docket and act decisively when it calls for. He also responded to questions appropriately and if you look at the way he responded to questions on ensuring the policies and plans developed by the County government of Mombasa are financially viable, he stated that 'policies are subjected to public participation to engage the public input in decision making and give full to public input in decision making'. I think that is very key because most of the time when the public participate in such kind of gathering is when we get to have the real feeling of what is on the ground and now that he has really properly touched on that one.

I give him thumbs up and we hope that we are going to have more vibrant public participation plan by him and his docket so that we get what is in the ground. In that regard, then I want to urge my colleagues that this is the right person to have in that docket so that we can have part of what of what is in the Governor's manifesto on the delivery of services to the people of Mombasa. Thank you so much Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much yes Honourable Leila Nyache from Kipevu Ward, please give your contribution?

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika na mimi kuweza kuniona niweze kuchangia. Kwanza namshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu kwa siku ya leo; pili nataka nipongeze Kamati ilioleta Ripoti hii katika Bunge hili. Mheshimiwa Spika, wewe ukiwa Mwenyekiti tuna imani ya kwamba huu msasa mlioupiga hapa kwa Bwana Jibril ni wa kisawasawa kabisa vile tunavyokutambua kazi yako. Mheshimiwa Spika, kwanza nataka nianze na huyu kijana miaka yake kwanza alizaliwa 1985 ni kijana mdogo sana ambaye sasa hivi ana miaka 38, huyu yuwaonekana anaweza kufanya kazi maana ana nguvu tayari. Kwa hivyo ni kijana ambaye anaweza kuchapa kazi kisawasawa pasi na pingamizi yoyote...

[Applause]

Jambo lengine Mheshimiwa Spika...

[Interruption]

Nataka unilinde Mheshimiwa Spika...

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Makanga?

Hon. Makanga: Mheshimiwa Spika labda Mheshimiwa wa Kipevu aelezee Bunge ni nguvu gani hizi anazosema kwa sababu anasisitiza sana tena huku akitingisha...kwa hivyo kidogo Mheshimiwa atuelezee ni nguvu gani kwa sababu ile ofisi ni ya kutumia akili na hekima si nguvu Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Milka Moraa?

Hon. Ngare: Mr. Speaker, I was also querying on the same because having what she is referring as *nguvu* maybe needs manual work, referring to manual work. We are not expecting Mr. Jibril to come do manual work we are actually expecting him to use his brains, his experiences and whatever he has acquired to give services, So, let Honourable Leila of Kipevu Ward actually explain what she meant by that, 'nguvu'. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Allen Katana from Shanzu Ward?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa waheshimiwa waliosimama hawako sawa kwa sababu wanatupotezea muda hata huko kufikiria pia kuanhitaji nguvu Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Leila, please?

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Katana kwa kuweza kunitetea kwa sababu waheshimiwa hapa kazi yao kufikiria tu hizo nguvu zengine hawafikirii nguvu za kazi. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi kumaanisha kijana ana nguvu ni kijana bado ni mdogo na ana umri mdogo. Kwa hivyo huwezi kulinganisha kijana wa miaka 38 na mtu mzima mwenye miaka 58, nguvu zao hazitakuwa sawa na kuna utofauti wa kikazi, unaona haya?

[Applause]

Mheshimiwa Spika nikiangalia kwa upande wa masomo, kijana huyu Jibril Maalim ni kijana ambaye aliyekuwa ameelimika na yuko na sasa hivi anachukulia PHD ya sheria, kutoka chuo kikuu cha Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture, Technology na pia yuko na *Masters Degree in strategic management* kutoka chuo kikuu cha Mount Kenya na *Bachelors Degree in Commerce* kutoka chuo kikuu cha Moi. Kwa hivyo ni kijana ambaye ameelimika na kulingana na hii kazi tunayomtafutia sasa hivi na inalingana na haya masomo yake. Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa upande wa rekodi yake ya kufanya kazi, ana uzoefu wa miaka 20 kufanya kazi za nje na pamoja za serikali. Kwa hivyo kijana huyu anaonekana ni mchapa kazi na tukimpa hii kazi ataichapa kisawasawa. Mheshimiwa Spika pia...

[Interruption]

Mheshimiwa Spika naomba unilinde!

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Order Members!

Hon. Nyache: Nilinde Mheshimiwa Spika tafadhali.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Order Honourable Member! Wind up please Honourable Leila, malizia!

Hon. Nyache: Sawa Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika, kikazi naona yuko sawa hata pia umiliki wake wa mali naona ni *size* yake kulingana na umri wake. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi naomba tu Jumba hili waweze kumpitisha huyu kijana wetu Jibril Maalim aweze kuwa Chief Ofisaa wa *policy and planning* katika Kaunti yetu ya Mombasa na aweze kuchapa kazi mara moja kama vile nimesema anaweza kuchapa kazi na nimchapa kazi kweli mimi nawaambia. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika nimesimama kuunga mkono.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Allen Katana from Shanzu Ward, please make your contribution?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika kwa hakika nisipokushukuru nitakuwa mimi si mwingi wa fadhila kwa kunipa nafasi hii. Mheshimiwa Spika sitaki kuwa kama yule bwana aliyeambiwa kwamba utakachoitisha basi huyu mwenzako nitampa viwili sasa yule bwana aliona akiitisha gari mwenziwe atapata gari mbili. Basi akasema naomba unitoboe jicho ili mwenzake akatobolewa mawili mwenzake akawa kipofu, sasa nisingetoa mfano huo ni kwamba sitaki kuongea mengi maana afisaa huyu aliyeletwa mbele yetu ni rafiki yangu sana na ingekuwa ni rai yangu waheshimiwa wenza tukaweze kumuunga mkono ili akaweze kupata kibarua hiki.

Kama nilivyosikia ana nguvu za kuchapa kazi, kitu mbali ya kwamba ni rafiki yangu namuona hali zake ni kama zangu lakini mwenzangu kumbe yuko vizuri kima hiki cha milioni 15. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi nimesimama kuunga mkono ili tupate mchapa kazi atakayesaidiana na maafisaa wengine kusongeza serikali yetu na jimbo letu mbele. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Hamida Noor, please make your contribution.

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Motion as I have gone through the Report that was brought in front of us for Mr. Jibril Maalim and first I want to congratulate the Committee Members who had vetted him. Mr. Speaker, this is the kind of person that we need in our County government so that he can do for us policies that the County needs. Mr. Speaker, we have seen that the nominee has a track record of 20 years work experience that is which we need and his performance in his education is well advanced and with those few remarks I do support the Motion. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Abdulrahman Husein from Old Town/Mji wa Kale Ward, please make your contribution.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me an opportunity to contribute to this Motion. However, Mr. Speaker before I make any contribution, I declare conflict of interest; I am very familiar with this candidate, he is a friend that I have known for the past 15 years, he is an individual who is very close to me so after declaring the conflict of interest perhaps you will guide me whether I can still go ahead and make my contribution.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, of course you can contribute because you are contributing on the Motion.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Thank you Mr. Speaker for your guidance. Mr. Speaker, first and foremost I would like to comment on the good job done by the Committee on Appointments, and the able Chair Honourable Speaker of this House for a job well done. This is a very comprehensive Report which is detailed and Mr. Speaker Sir I am a friend of this Committee and I was present in this particular vetting session. Mr. Speaker, I was pleased with the variety and the level of the questioning that was happening on that particular day, much to my surprise the nominee excelled marvellously. One thing that out of this document is on the clearance and compliance requirements; of all the Committee Reports I have seen this House. I have not seen any that told us the response they got from different institutions. For example, this one tells us that the EACC wrote to them, there is also a response of EACC attached here, there is a response of KRA attached here as well, there is also a response by the police clearance certificate that is attached. I could not find this documents that are in the other document that I have seen. Honourable Speaker, going to his academic and professional qualifications this is an individual who is currently undertaking PHD in the field of law. He holds a Masters degree in strategic management. He has a Bachelor's degree in commerce Mr. Speaker and you can tell this is an individual that has been on different style of studies and his employment record is impeccable and his net worth is something close to Ksh.15Million. Honourable Speaker, again something unique about him is the *pro-bono* and charity work that he has done, the nominee engaged in the construction of a mosque.

The nominee is indeed an individual who is very concerned with welfares of our society, and with those few remarks Honourable Speaker I stand to support this Motion. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Abdulrahman Hussein. Yes, Honourable Solomon Ngugi, please make your contribution?

Hon. Ngugi: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mimi Solomon Ngugi mwenye kuwakilisha walelavu pia mimi naunga mkono. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Bernard Ogutu?

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. Mr. Speaker, first of all I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you and your able Committee members for this elaborate and well detailed report Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, personally I have not interacted with Mr. Jibril Maalim in anyway, but having gone through the Report Mr. Speaker, I found it that Mr. Jibril is well qualified for this job, so I have no option but to support this motion. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Morgan Matsaki from Mtopanga Ward and Leader of Minority Party?

The Leader of Minority (Hon. Matsaki): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika; kwanza kwa kunipa nafasi hii, pia nawashukuru nyinyi Waheshimiwa wenza kwa kukubali huyu Jibril Maalim. Pia mimi sina kubwa la kuongea zaidi ila tu ninaunga mkono kama vile Waheshimiwa wenza wameweza kuunga mkono. Kwa sababu mengi yameongewa na kwa kweli ukisema upande wa elimu yeye yuko sawa na nina matumaini kwamba atawafanyia kazi wana Mombasa Kaunti. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Morgan. Yes, Honourable Florence Kachumbo, nominated?

Hon. Kachumbo: Thank you Mr. Speaker for this opportunity to air my views. I would like to congratulate this Committee for the job well done. With your guidance Mr. Speaker looking at this Report you can see how qualified this person is, Mr. Jibril Maalim how qualified he is. When you look at his employment record, I believe someone who has an experience of 20 years is someone who is qualified to do this work and also, he has a professional associations membership, he is a Certified Public Accountant which I believe he will be able to do his job well. So, I urge this House to support this Motion and agree with this Report. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Arwa Ojala please make your contribution.

Hon. Ojala: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir for giving me this opportunity to contribute to this Motion. Before I proceed, I would like to congratulate you and your team Mr. Speaker for a job well done. If I go direct to my contribution Maalim Jibril, I have gone through this Report Mr. Speaker Sir and I am convinced that Jibril Maalim is qualified to this position. Even if you see the way he responded to the questions during the vetting you can see when he was asked the measures, he will take to ensure revenue focused are accurate and reliable.

The nominee stated clearly, *'that the ICT is the key and he will sure development of a better digitalization system'*. Again, on issues he will handle the situation where the County government of Mombasa plans are in conflict with national or international policy or plans Mr. Speaker and as you can see the nominee said, *'the law is the guiding principle and by giving a dialogue a chance between the conflicting entities by reviewing the policy to become acceptable to all'*. Mr. Speaker, I stand to support the Motion. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Arwa Ojala Pamela, nominated MCA for you contribution. Yes, Honourable Athman Mwamwiri you may reply to the Motion.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika nitakuwa mchache wa fadhla kama sitawashukuru Waheshimiwa wenza kwa kuweza kuchangia lakini zaidi mchango wao umekuwa chanya kwamba wameweza kuunga mkono hoja hii. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika ni matumaini yangu kuwa punde utakapouliza swali katika hoja hii kuweza kuungama na ndugu yetu Jibril Maalim kuweza kupata fursa hii ya kutumikia serikali tukufu ya Mombasa katika majukumu ya sera na mipango Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika na nashukuru Waheshimiwa wenza.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much again Honourable Members for your contribution towards the Motion and Honourable Members I stand to put the question that the Motion by Honourable Athman Mwamwiri on adoption of Report on Mr. Jibril Maalim, nominee for the position of Chief Officer Policy and Planning be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question put and agreed to]
[Applause]

And the Motion by Honourable Athman Mwamwiri on the vetting of nominee for the position of Chief Officer Policy and Planning Mr. Jibril Maalim is adopted by this Honourable House. Yes, Clerk next Order please?

ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE VETTING OF MS. GLORIA MWASI THE NOMINEE FOR THE
POSITION OF CHIEF OFFICER FINANCE AND ECONOMIC PLANNING

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Kibwana Swaleh Baya Chairperson Committee on Finance Budget and Appropriation please move the Motion.

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker I beg to move the following Motion:

THAT, this House adopts the Report on the vetting of Ms. Gloria Mwasi, the Nominee for the position of Chief Officer, Finance and Economics Planning as I laid on the Table on Tuesday, 25th July, 2023.

I will ask Honourable *Kushe*, who is a Member of Finance to second. Thank you.

Hon. Fatma Swaleh: I second.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Members. Honourable Members, I now propose the question that the Motion by Honourable Kibwana Swaleh, on adoption of Report on the vetting of Ms. Gloria Mwasi, the Nominee for the position of Chief Officer, Finance and Economics Planning be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes, Honourable Kibwana Swaleh Chairperson Committee on Finance Budget and Appropriation, please make your contribution to the Motion.

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Once again thank you Honourable Speaker. Honourable Speaker, I would be very few in words regarding the Nominee Ms. Gloria Mwasi. Honourable Speaker, as the Chair of Finance Committee and the Committee we did a job well done! When you look at the qualifications of Madam Gloria Mwasi it speaks for itself; the nominee is a Member of the ICPA(K) which is a body dealing with accounts. Honourable Speaker, when we also look at the employment records, she has experience of 15 years; both public as well as private so having worked both in the public as well as private sectors gives her much exposure to work on various areas on matter regarding public as well as the private sector. Honourable Speaker, when we went through the vetting process, the nominee was very honest in submission and she was very happy when it came to the issue of the budget cycle because most of the people dealing with these documents must be aware of the budget cycle as it is an area that is very important. If somebody has no knowledge of the budget cycle, it means he has no knowledge of finance and this sometimes gives us a lot of problem. Honourable Speaker, the nominee also answered our questions fluently and she was able to give reasonable opinions on many issues; amongst which was on the pending bills. So, Honourable Speaker I found the chemistry between the nominee who is the Chief Officer Finance and also the County Executive Member for Finance will be positive for the County and we hope that they would bring sanity when it comes to issue of finance in this County. Honourable Speaker, I urge the Committee Members as well as the Assembly, the Honourable House to support this Motion as well as approve the nomination of Madam Gloria Mwasi. Thank you, Honourable Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Kibwana Swaleh. Yes, Honourable Abdulrahman Hussein please, make your contribution.

Hon. Abdulrahman Abdulkadir: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity to have my input on this Motion being a Member of this Committee. As a very active Member I can add that I have no otherwise but to agree with the Report tabled here today by our Committee and stand in support with my able Chair Honourable Kibwana Swaleh and Honourable Hamida Noor as well as my colleague Honourable Fatma Swaleh Kushe. Honourable Speaker, I support the contents of this Report and I urge my fellow colleagues to agree with this Committee, we did a marvellous job and when you put the question, we will shout to the top of our lungs. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much yes Honourable Morgan Matsaki, leader of Minority party? Please make your contribution.

The Leader of Minority (Hon. Matsaki): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika kwa nafasi hii. Pia nashukuru Kamati mimi nikiwa mmoja wao, nawashukuru pia Waheshimiwa wenza, nina matumaini makubwa sana wataikubali. Langu sitakuwa mwingi wa maneno kwa sababu Mwenyekiti wa Kamati hii ameyazungumzia, mimi tu nitaangalia uadilifu na nina matumaini kwamba Mheshimiwa Gavana angependa kufanya kazi na maofisa hawa wasiokuwa na kashfa yoyote. Ukiangalia hapa hajawahi kupatwa na kashfa yoyote na ni matumaini makubwa sana, Nyumba hii itakubali Mama Gloria kuweza kuungana na Kaunti hii ya Mombasa, aweze kufanya kazi vyema. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Fatma Swaleh? Please make your contribution.

Hon. Fatma Swaleh: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza kabisa naipongeza Kamati yangu, Kamati ya Fedha na kama unavyojua Mheshimiwa Spika Kamati ya Fedha ndio nguzo ya Kaunti hii ya Mombasa. Mheshimiwa Spika, sina budi pia mimi kuunga mkono taarifa iliyoletwa na Mheshimiwa Kibwana; tuliweza kukaa kwa makini, kwa kina, tukamchambua tukamwangalia kwa kina tukaona Bi. Gloria yuko sawa na vile vile ni mtu ambaye ni mcha Mungu na vile vile ni mtu ambaye anaenda kanisani...

[Applause]

Na vile vile Mheshimiwa Spika nikiangalia upande wa kifedha, namuona yuko sawa ni kwamba hana njaa yuko sawa, kwa sababu ukiweka mahali nakupa mfano na naomba uniruhusu...

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Nakuruhusu.

Hon. Fatma Swaleh: Mheshimiwa Spika ukiweka mfugo ambaye ana njaa hakushiba, anaweza kumalizia wenzake nyasi! Mheshimiwa Spika turudi katika mada hii yetu ya Bi. Gloria; kama alivyozungumza awali Bi. Gloria ni mcha Mungu na vile vile namuombea Mwenyezi Mungu na nawaomba Waheshimiwa wenza tuweze kumkubali kumpitisha ili aweze kufanya kazi kiuadilifu na vile vile tumuombe Mungu asije akaingia akaanza kubadilika. Sina mengi ni hayo tu. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Jacktone Madialo? Please make your contribution from Mikindani Ward.

Hon. Madialo: Thank you Mr. Speaker for the opportunity. From the times of Jesus Christ when Judas Iscariot was a treasurer had messed up; subsequent chief executives have always tended when it comes to treasury to give people that they trust, people that they have built relations with. So, when I realized that this nominee worked with the Governor for almost ten years, I believe that she has earned the trust of the Governor and the finance docket being a very sensitive one none other than somebody that you can trust are such people that you can put in such dockets. Also going by the Report that was produced by the able Committee chaired by Honourable Kibwana this nominee is fit for that position and for that reason, I support.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Jacktone. Yes, Honourable Franklyne Makanga please make your contribution.

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Hon. Makanga: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Na mimi nasimama kuunga mkono hoja hii iliioletwa na Mwenyekiti wa Fedha na mipangilio ya kiserikali Mheshimwia Kibwana ambaye kwa hivi siku za majuzi tumepata urafiki ambao tunaendelea kujenga na nitaeleza baadae kwa nini mimi na Mheshimiwa Kibwana tumeanza kuwa marafiki. Mheshimiwa Spika, nasimama niunge mkono uteuzi wa Gloria Wandoe Mwasi kwa sababu zifuatazo; kwanza kama msichana ama mwanamke ambae amezaliwa katika jimbo la Mombasa ambae ameweza kusoma na kuhitimu na kufikia viwango vya masomo ambavyo yuko navyo, ikizingatiwa kwamba kumekuwa na historia kwamba wasichana wanaozaliwa katika maeneo ya Pwani, hao ni wazaliwe wakue wakubwa waozwe! Lakini huyu tunamuona ameweza kujikuza kimasomo na ameweza kufika kiwango ambacho amekuwa Mheshimiwa Spika; nyengine ambayo pia yachangia mimi kumuuga mkono ni uzoefu ama vile ameweza kuwa *exposed* kwa maswala ya kifedha. Mheshimiwa Spika, Bi Gloria ameweza kuwa *Fund Account Manager* kutoka 2007 hadi sasa kulingana na Ripoti.

Kwa hivyo tunaamini huyu hataanza kuhema, hataanza kupandisha joto kwa sababu ameweza kukalia kiti ambacho mabilioni ya pesa yanapitia Mheshimiwa Spika. Lengine ambalo ningependa iwe sababu ya mimi kuunga mkono na naomba Bunge hili twende kwa ukurasa 8 number 4 alipoulizwa swali la, *on what she will do for the department in her first 100 days and five years in the office should she be successful in appointment*. Mheshimiwa Spika, aliyoyasema ya kwanza ni kwamba, *she will ensure to fast track the process of budget implementation; number two ensure employees salary are paid on time*. Nataka nianze na hayo mawili Mheshimiwa Spika; kwamba huko nyuma na nikisema huko nyuma tunaelewa kama Bunge tumekuwa na matatizo haswa kwa utekelezaji wa bajeti ile ambayo hupitishwa na Bunge hili na huyu ametoa hakikisho kwamba ataweza kutilia maanani yale ambayo tunapitisha kama Bunge.

Pili, Mheshimiwa Spika kwamba ataweza kulipa mishahara ya wafanyikazi kwa muda unaostahili, kwa sababu hii mimi namuunga mkono aweze kuingia ili anapolipa hiyo mishahara aweze kuhakikisha number (d) ambayo amesema atashughulikia madeni ambayo yamekaa ama *pending bills* yamelipwa kwa wakati ili tuweze kurudisha heshima kama vile Mstahiki Gavana ameweza kudhihirisha kwa kipindi cha miezi hii kumi amekuwa kwa ofisi. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika mimi kwa niaba ya watu wa Chaani na kwa niaba ya wafanyikazi wa Mombasa kwa sababu nina historia ya kuja katika Bunge hili kuja kulalamika kwa sababu ya *Chief Officer* aliekuwa mzembe na kuleta maringo badala ya kufanya kazi. Tunaamini huyu atafanya kazi na tunaombea Mwenyezi Mungu ambariki anapofanyia kazi wananchi wa Mombasa. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Moraa Milka.

Hon. Ngare: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Report and to congratulate the Committee led by Honourable Kibwana Swaleh who has earned trust amongst the Honourable Members of this House. I support this Report and support the nominee for the appointment as County Chief Officer for the County Department of Finance and Economic Planning who is Gloria Mwandoe Mwasi, one; because she passed the integrity test, and also Chapter six of the Constitution of Kenya. Money is very tempting and it needs one who has a straight record and also to some extent because we have been told she is a very God-fearing person that would also want to agree with Honourable Madialo that that also adds credit to why I should support her and number two she talked of the three very important issues that she will handle within her first hundred days. I do not want to repeat what Honourable Makanga has said but just to mention that salaries would be paid on time, something that the Governor anyway has already started managing.

Also, an increase of County revenue from County own source revenue which we did very well and we are seeing the results; pending bills which has also been a very thorny issue in our County of Mombasa. So, we shall hold her responsible after the hundred days because she has made a promise and we will be closely looking at her performance to see that this that she has promised is being done she will be an action person in it. Finally, as we vet the chief officers we also look at the two third gender being a woman like myself, I want to support her nomination because we must meet the two third gender rule in this nomination exercise, I see the Majority Leader smiling I think he is also appreciating that yes the two third gender rule must be taken into consideration as the chairperson of women caucus I must mention that every time we are vetting one a nominee so I urge my colleagues that we accept this nomination from the Governor and the report by the committee so that we can have a chief officer in the department of finance to act on what we expect her to act. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Majority Leader are you on a point of information.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ndio Mheshimiwa Spika naomba kutaarifu ya kwamba kama serikali na bunge hili tunajitahidi kufikia thuluthi mbili ya kijinsia lakini pia Mheshimiwa Spika katika ripoti nyingi ambazo tumekuwa tukipitia tumeona nafasi hizi tunapatia dada zetu na mama zetu inapokuja katika swala la maswala ya hisani inaonesha wazi hakuna kitu wanawajaibika nayo. Pia nimuombe Mwenyekiti awahimize hawa dada zetu kwa sababu kama huyu Mheshimiwa Spika, Kamati tulimhidhinisha ndio kwa utajiri wa million 25 tukiangalia katika maswala ya hisani Mheshimiwa Spika, hakuna hata jambo moja analofanya. Pia Mama zetu dada zetu regesheni mkono kwa jamii munapopata hizi nafasi. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Juma Manuari from Bofu Ward please make your contributions.

Hon. Juma Manuari: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mimi nitakuwa mchache wa maneno; kwanza nimuunge mkono ndugu yangu mkuu, mzee, kiongozi, *Senior* wa Bunge hili ndugu yangu Bwana Kibwana mwenyekiti wa kutengeza maswala yetu yale yanayo tuweka mjini kwa kutuletea Ripoti hii ya dada yetu Bi Gloria Mwandoe kama Katibu mkuu katika maswala ya kifedha na mipangilio ya kiuchumi katika Kaunti yetu hii ya Mombasa na nimpe kongole kubwa kwa sababu huko tunakokwenda hii katika nchi yetu ama katika eneo letu tunakumbwa na shida nyingi sana za kiuchumi. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika ningemuomba ndugu yetu Bwana Mwenyekiti akae kwa makini na dada yetu huyu yale matatizo ama yale maneno yaliozungumzwa na ndugu yangu Kiongozi wa Wengi baada ya mda fulani iwe dada zetu tunawaunga mkono. Mheshimiwa Spika sisi tunachukua nafasi hii kuwapa madada zetu nafasi kuu ili twawajua kwanza wao wana imani na watu wao, pili wanaposimama husimama kidete bila kutingishika, tatu hakuna mama ambae ni muongo siku zote ni wa kweli. Kwa hivyo tunaamini kuwa pesa hizi tutaziweka katika mikono salama ili na sisi pia tukiwa na mahitaji katika maeneo yetu yawe yatakuwa salama na kiongozi wetu wa Kaunti yetu ndugu yetu Abdulswamad Shariff Nasser awe na yeye atakuwa anatembea bila wasiwasi, bila kuulizwa maswali pesa hii imefujwa vipi hii imekwenda vipi kwa ushirikiano wa dada yetu Bi Gloria na ndugu yetu Bwana Kibwana.

Nina hakika Kaunti yetu kimaswala ya kifedha tutakuwa vizuri, kwa hayo mengi machache Mheshimiwa Spika mimi naunga mkono ndugu yangu huyu.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Leila.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kuweza kunipatia nafasi hii tena mara ya pili kuweza kuchangia. Kwanza nachukua fursa hii kumpongeza Mwenyekiti wa hii Kamati ya Fedha pamoja na watu wake. Wamefanya kazi nzuri sana kupiga msasa huyu Bi. Gloria Wandoe Mwasi. Mheshimiwa Spika pia nachukua fursa hii kumpongeza Gavana kwa kuweza kuona ya kwamba anaweza kufanya kazi na Gloria Wandoe ambae lazima awe anamjua vizuri na anaonekana ni mwaminifu. Kiviyangu nataka niseme ya kwamba uongozi wa kina mama ni uongozi waminifu sana. Kama vile Mheshimiwa amesema hapa kina mama sio waongo na kweli kweli sio waongo kina mama ni waminifu na tunaamini huyu Bi. Gloria atatenda kazi vizuri sana na kulingana na mishahara yetu vile amesema mimi imenifurahisha sana hapa na pia nataka niseme ya kwamba mimi ni Mtaita na huyu dada namuona ana jina la Wandoe Mwasi ambae mdogo wangu wa tatu anaitwa Wandoe. Kwa hivyo nimefurahi sana naona kama ambae ni dadangu na kweli ni dadangu kwa sababu hii Wandoe labda imeshirikiana kwenye ukoo. Kwa hivyo mimi nashukuru sana na nampongeza na nawambia Wataita ni waaminifu, wanawake wa Kitaita ni waaminifu sana. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika nasimama kuunga hoja hii. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Kibwana Swaleh please reply to the Motion. Yes, Honourable Katana please make your contribution?

Hon. Katana: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I also stand to support the name of this nominee but again Mr. Speaker I do not want to speak much but also would like to ask the Chair maybe to advice me or the nominee because what am seeing here is the nominee was asked a question and the answer to that question was, 'we received 7.1 Billion from the national government, that is very true but again she said that for the equalization fund we received is Ksh. 1 Billion. I stand to be guided Honourable Speaker because I understand the little level of my understanding is the equalization fund is only given to the marginalized Counties and by so saying I am not so sure whether Mombasa County is receiving so I stand to be guided Chair though I truly support the nominee.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Okay thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Kibwana please reply to the Motion?

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Once again because of time; one, I want to appreciate your office, the office of the Clerk not forgetting my Vice Chair who have been working very closely with the team and Members of the Finance Committee. I want to appreciate the Members for supporting the Motion and I seek again the House to approve the Nominee and Honourable Speaker you know very well this is not the end of our work, we still have a duty and obligation towards implementing the budget but on an oversight role. I think what I have raised with my colleagues we will debate later because our position here is only the approval and the other issues that may arise then the vetting will be tackled after. So Honourable Speaker thank you once again and I want to thank the Honourable House for the support that they have given me.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much.

Honourable Members, thank you for contributing to the Motion. Honourable Members, I now put a question that the Motion by Honourable Kibwana Swaleh Baya on Adoption of the Report on the vetting of Ms. Gloria Mwasi, nominee for the position of Chief Officer of Finance and Economic Planning be considered by the House in the same terms as moved.

[Question put and agreed to]

The Motion by Honourable Kibwana Swaleh on vetting of the nominee position of Finance and Economic Planning Ms. Gloria Mwasi is adopted by this Honourable House. Yes, Clerk next Order please.

ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE VETTING OF MR. ANWAR SAID, THE NOMINEE FOR THE POSITION OF CHIEF OFFICER, DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

Hon. Katana: Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to move the following Motion;
THAT, this House adopts the Report on the vetting of Mr. Anwar Said, the Nominee for the position of Chief Officer, Digital Transformation as laid on the Table on Tuesday 25th July, 2023.

I thank you Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes Seconder?

Hon. Katana: I so wish to ask Honourable Leader of Majority to second.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Mwamwiri?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika, nasimama kuunga mkono.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Member. I now propose a question that the Motion by Honourable Allen Katana on Adoption of Report of Vetting of Mr. Anwar Said Nominee for the position of Chief Officer of Digital Transformation be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes, Honourable Allen Katana, Chairperson Committee on Education and Digital Transformation please make your contribution to the Motion.

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika nakushuru sana kwa kunipa nafasi hii na niwaombe kwa sababu jina hili ama mtu huyu yuko mbele yetu kwa ajili ya kumjadili tayari amefanya kazi na Serikali hii yetu na kazi zake zimeonekana. Kwa sababu ya muda na njaa nashukuru ndio maana hata Mwenyezi Mungu ameongoza katika *Order Paper* yetu amewekwa wa mwisho kwa sababu huyu mtu hana tashwishi yoyote sasa! Mheshimiwa Spika, sitaki kukufundisha kazi yako nikuelekeze lakini ingekuwa ombi langu ya kwamba ikiwezekana tuulize tayari kama sote tunamkubali ili tuendele. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Fadhili Makarani, Deputy Speaker please make your contribution?

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Makarani): Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipa fursa hii kuchangia katika Hoja hii muhimu sana katika Bunge letu la Mombasa. Mheshimiwa Spika japo wakati wa nyuma, wakati wa historia Shimo la Tewa High School ilikuwa na uhasama na watu wa Khamisi Secondary School, Shimo la Tewa ikiwa High School, Khamisi ikiwa Secondary School na tumeona hapa kwamba *nominee* alikuwa yuko Khamisi High School hiyo haileti kuwa tutakuwa ni wenye kuwa na tashwishi yoyote na *nominee* huyu ambaye ameletwa mbele yetu! Ule uhasama ilikuwa ni uhasama wa shule lakini Mheshimiwa Spika tukiangalia Ripoti hii inatuonyesha ya kwamba huyu ambaye tunamjadili ndiye *the current Chief Officer wa ICT*. Huyu ambaye tunamjadili Mheshimiwa Spika angalia zile tuzo alizo nazo; yuko na *First Class Honours Degree in Business Information and Technology, he was the best student in ICT Technical University of Mombasa* na ni mtu ambaye yuko na tajriba ya kutosha kuendesha kitengo hiki ambacho anapatiwa. Mheshimiwa Spika, tukizidi kuangalia Ripoti ambayo iko mbele yetu pia nachukua fursa kupongeza Kamati ambayo pia mimi ni mmoja wa Kamati ambayo imetengeneza Ripoti hii inaonyesha wazi yale ambayo tumeyaweka mbele ya Kamati hii ni kuwa yale ambayo tumeleta mbele ya Kamati hii ni dhihirisho wazi kuwa huyu *nominee* Anwar anaweza hii kazi. Mheshimiwa Spika hata ukiangalia hiyo *net worth* yake ni mtu ambaye hatutakuwa na tashwishi, ni mtu ambaye anajiweza kifedha na tunajua kuwa atazidi kupeleka Kaunti yetu mbele. Mheshimiwa Spika Mombasa ilikuwa Kaunti ya kwanza kuweza na kuanza na zile *robotic lessons*...!

[Applause]

Hizi zimekuja kupitia kwa ndugu yetu Anwar! Mheshimiwa Spika yeye ndio alikuwa muasisi wa kwanza na tuna imani atakapokuwa anaendelea basi hata kule chini mashinani zitaweza kufika, watoto kutoka kule Wadi ya Port Reitz na wao pia wataweza kuja kujifunza masomo yale. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi nawaomba ndugu zangu, Wabunge wenzangu tuweze kumuendeleza huyu ndugu yetu aweze kuendelea na kazi hii maana yeye anaielewa vizuri hii kazi. Mimi nawaomba wenzangu tushikane pamoja tumpitishe ndugu yangu Anwar. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Jacktone Madialo from Mikindani Ward?

Hon. Madialo: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mimi pengine simjui huyu Bwana, sijawahi kumuona lakini naunga mkono Hoja hii kwa sababu moja ya kwamba kama wengine wamekuwa na sapoti lakini huyu naona kama ni yatima na amenigusa kwa sababu hiyo namuunga mkono.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Patrick Mbelle from Bamburi Ward?

Hon. Mbelle: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

Kuna msembo ambao unasema chema chajiua kibaya chajitembeza na hilo nalisema kwa sababu ya ndugu yangu Jacktone Madialo alivyosema kwamba hana mtu wa kumsapoti nafikiri kazi yake inamuua yeye mwenyewe. Wakati tulipokuwa na janga la korona Mheshimiwa Spika kulikuwa na *system* ambayo ilitengeneza ya kuweza kusambaza chakula na misaada tofauti tofauti kwa watu ambao hawajiwezi katika Kaunti ya Mombasa. Aliyeweza kufanya *system* hiyo wakati huo nikikumbuka fika ni huyu ambaye tunamuongelelea leo *Chief Officer wa ICT* ndugu yetu Anwar na vile vile kama alivyosema Mheshimiwa Naibu Spika ya kwamba *Robotics class* ya kwanza Kenya nzima imeanza hapa Mombasa. Kwa hivyo huyu ni mtu ambaye ana tajriba nzuri ya kutekeleza hii kazi na tukimpa sapoti sisi kama Wabunge wa Bunge hili la Mombasa basi nafikiri kila alichofanya anaweza kuzidisha zaidi na zaidi. Kwa hivyo naomba tumpitishe na mimi binafsi nimeidhinisha uchaguzi wake. Ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Frankline?

Hon. Makanga: Thank you Mr. Speaker I stand to support the Motion. I want to say the Committee on Education has done a wonderful job...

[Applause]

Mr. Speaker, the sustainability of any system is to be able to trace its history, know its presence to plan for the future having him right now at the helm of the very same department which has been able to transform the digital space in Mombasa and considering the Report that is before us. Mr. Speaker, further I will not say he is an orphan because he has God, he who does not have man he has God, the Father and therefore I wish to wish him well knowing this Honourable House we will give him the needed support...

[Applause]

And even as he continues to serve in the same department that if this House will adopt this Report, we are asking him that he will continue with the good work so that even as we even lobby for more ECDEs, for more institutions to be built in the 30 Wards that we have in Mombasa he will not be complacent, he will not be tired and he will not be used to the job that is currently occupying but rather continue giving his best to see as transformation in this Blue City of the Republic of Kenya. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I stand to support.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Juma Manuari please make your contribution?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Mheshimiwa Spika nasimama kumuunga mkono ndugu yangu Rodgers kwa suala hili aliloleta mbele yetu. Mheshimiwa Rodgers Allen Katana mshazoea Mheshimiwa Allen Katana anaitwa Rodgers Allen Katana...

[Laughter]

Mheshimiwa Spika nimesimama kumuunga mkono.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Leila please make your contribution.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi nasimama kuunga mkono Hoja hii na kuwapa pongezi Kamati wakiongozwa na Mwenyekiti ambaye nimesikia leo ni Rodgers, kumbe anaitwa Rodgers. Mheshimiwa Spika, ni juzi tu nilikuwa na *inter-debate* ya watoto wa shule na mambo na teknolojia hata nilikualika Mheshimiwa Spika; nataka niseme huyu Bwana anafaa na mimi pia nitaweza kumhitaji kwa hiyo *debate* ya wale watoto wangu wa shule pale Wadi ya Kipevu. Kwa hivyo nimesimama kumuunga mkono huyu Bwana awe *Chief Officer department of Education Digital Transformation*. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Hamisi Mbaya?

Hon. Hamisi Mbaya: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipatia fursa hii ili nami pia niweze kuchangia kuweza kuwakilisha watu ambao ni wa Kata Ndogo ya Timbwani ambayo ni kubwa kwa mipaka na idadi ya jamii. Mheshimiwa Spika, kutokana na Hoja ambayo imeletwa na ndugu yangu Rodgers ambaye kwa saa hii Mheshimiwa Rodgers pamoja na kuwa hanifiki kiumri ambao ni watu wazima ni mimi na Mheshimiwa Kibwana katika Bunge hili lakini yeye pale anapoelekea anastahili kuwa nae awe anaitwa mtu mzima ndiposa tutaweza kuwa na sababu zaidi ya kuweza kuunga mkono kwa sababu watu wazima ndio ambao wana ushauri mzuri kutokana na maisha ya leo. Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa sababu hiyo akiwa yeye amekuwa wa kwanza kuileta Hoja hii na kuiunga mkono sina budi kuiunga mkono Hoja hii kwa asilimia 94 kwa 100.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Member. Yes, Honourable Nusura Mwinyi please make your contribution?

Hon. Nusura Mwinyi: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipa nafasi hii. Mimi pia nimesimama kuunga mkono. Nikiangalia Ripoti ya huyu Bwana Anwar Said Ahmed naona Ripoti yake ni nzuri, nikiangalia kwanza hana kashfa, hana deni na mtu, hadaiwi mahali popote kwa hivyo kulingana na Ripoti hii na Kamati yake iliyompiga msasa hatuna budi kuiunga mkono...

[Applause]

Halafu pia nataka nimrekebishe Bwana Hamisi Salim Mbaya amesema yeye na Mheshimiwa Kibwana ndio watu wazima lakini pia tuko na mtu mzima wetu ambaye pia ni Mheshimiwa Mwaka ambaye anastahili heshima ndani ya Bunge hili. Kwa hivyo nimesimama kuunga mkono Hoja hii mia fil mia.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Honourable Hamisi?

Hon. Hamisi Mbaya: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipatia fursa hii. Nimesimama kuweka wazi kwamba kule kusema mimi ni mtu mzima na mwenzangu Mheshimiwa Kibwana sijamaanisha kwamba simheshimu Mheshimiwa Mwaka Bakari Mwalundonda, nampenda sana na ni jirani yangu ambaye tunaishi naye Timbwani.

Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Fatuma please make your contribution?

Hon. Fatma Swaleh: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kuweza kunipa fursa hii. Mheshimiwa Spika mengi yameongelelewa mazuri, mimi nataka tu kuwaambia Waheshimiwa wenzangu ya kwamba tumeweza kufanya kazi na Bwana Anwar kwa miaka mitano iliopita; Bwana Anwar alikuwa ni mtu ambaye ni mnyenyekevu, ni mtu ambaye hana dharau na mtu, ni mtu ambaye ni mnyonge na msikilivu Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwa hivyo naomba Bunge hili Bwana Anwar aweze kuendelea na kazi yake ili tuweze kuendelea mbele Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Arwa please make your contribution.

Hon. Arwa: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity again to make my contribution to this Motion. Mr. Speaker, I stand to support this Motion; as you are aware that history speaks itself, having gone through this Report I am convinced that Mr. Anwar Said Ahmed is qualified for this position and I do not see any reasons why we should deny him this position. Mr. Speaker, I stand to support. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Hamida Noor please make your contribution?

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Motion for Mr. Anwar Said Ahmed. Mr. Speaker, we have worked with him in the previous government in the ICT department and he has brought many changes within the ICT department, for now that his Report has come in front of us. As my colleagues have said there are so many good reports about him that have been brought in front of us and we do concur with the rest of the Members of the County Assembly that they have passed the Motion and I do support the Motion. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Hussein Abdirahman please make your contribution.

Hon. Abdirahman Abdulkadir: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Report.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Hamisi Nyota please make your contribution.

Hon. Hamisi Nyota: Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity. First of all, I would like to say sorry to Honourable Hamisi Mbaya of Timbwani whom we got some communication that somebody who is so much close related to him just passed away the other day, Honourable Member so sorry. Honourable Speaker having going through the report it is much convincing that the nominee is fit for this position, so without much adou Mr. Speaker it is high time that Mombasa as a County we should get started as time is running out and we are late for passing out this Chief Officers so having gone through the report am very much convinced that the nominee is suitable for the job and I do support his approval. Thank you so much.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Allen Katana please reply to the Motion?

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika kwanza nikushukuru wewe, kisha tena niwashukuru hawa wapendwa ambao tunafanya kazi sote. Kwa hakika ninashukuru kwa kuwa mumekubali kazi ya Kamati ya Elimu iliofanya na kusema ule ukweli jazaa yenu kwa Mwenyezi Mungu mwenyewe atawalipa kwa sababu mtu huyu atakaposaidia watu wetu wa Mombasa kwa ujumla ile kazi yetu ambayo ni kubwa sana tutakuwa pia sisi tumesaidika na kwa sababu Mheshimiwa Spika Waheshimiwa wamekaa sana muda mrefu mimi sitaki kuzidi kuzungumza hapo lakini ninacho waombea Waheshimiwa ni kwamba pia Mwenyezi Mungu akutane na haja za mioyo yenu kwa kazi nzuri mliloifanya. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Members and Honourable Allen Katana, the Chairperson for that Committee. Honourable Members, I now put the question that the Motion by Honourable Allen Katana on Adoption of Report on the vetting of Mr. Anwar, nominee for the position of Chief Officer Digital Transformation be considered by this House as moved.

[Question put and agreed to]
[Applause]

And the Motion by Honourable Allen Katana on the vetting of the nominee for the position of Chief Officer of Digital Transformation Mr. Anwar Said is adopted by this Honourable House.

[Applause]

ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Members, this House stands adjourned until Tuesday 8th August, 2023 at 10:00am.

The House rose at 4:58p.m.