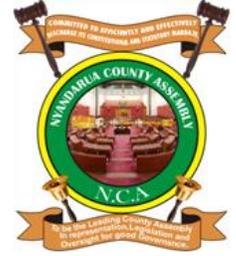




REPUBLIC OF KENYA
NYANDARUA COUNTY ASSEMBLY
ORDERS OF THE DAY



FIRST ASSEMBLY
(No. 219)

THIRD SESSION THIRD PART

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

ON

TUESDAY 6TH OCTOBER, 2015 AT 2.30 P.M.
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ORDER PAPER

HON. JAMES NDEGWA WAHOME PRESIDING

CLERKS AT THE TABLE

1. Mr. Joel Gicheha
2. Mr. Kahinga John

(The Hon. Speaker opened the proceedings in prayers)

1. Administration of Oath

All the members having taken the oath of office, there was no administration of oath.

2. Communication from the Chair

The Honourable Speaker made the following Communication;

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

Hon. Members, you remember last Wednesday, the 30th day of September 2015, an issue on which I promised to give direction arose in this House. This was about Annual Development Plan (ADP) as tabled by the Leader of Majority and I made an assurance to give directions on the issue today. Although I have not been in a position to give a written communication, I have looked at both letters. The one addressed to the County Secretary by H.E. the Deputy Governor, dated 9th September 2015, and which sought to confirm whether there was an Executive

Committee meeting on 31st August 2015. And, if the meeting was actually there, why he (the Deputy Governor) was not invited. I have also looked at the reply thereto by the County Secretary, F.K. Muchina, to the Deputy Governor. What I have noted, and I wish I had noted it earlier on, is that the County Secretary has confirmed that there was no Cabinet meeting on 1st September 2015 whereas the Deputy Governor had asked whether there was a Cabinet meeting on 31st of August 2015. The letter that introduced the Annual Development Plan to the Assembly by the CEC Member for finance was to the effect that there was an Executive meeting on 31st day of August 2015. Therefore, there is no dispute whatsoever by anybody that there wasn't a meeting on 31st day of August 2015 as earlier alluded to in the letter by the County Secretary that there was no meeting on 1st day of September 2015.

I do not know whether it is out of mischief or it was made in good faith but the question was on the date of 31st August 2015 and the reply was about 1st of September. For us, we cannot go behind these letters and their content. We can only go as per the letters and the position as of now is that there is no dispute that there was a meeting on 31st August 2015. I will therefore confirm that the ADB is properly in the House and we shall make further directions of the same. I was in consultations with the offices concerned and that is why I did not manage to make a written communication. Besides I learned very late that both letters were talking about different dates. Therefore, the ADP will be deemed properly in the House unless otherwise contested and we shall give directions to the same effect

By Hon. James Ndegwa Wahome, the Speaker of the County Assembly

At 2.36 p.m., Hon. Sylvester Kagiri rose on a point of order and informed the Hon. Speaker that the House was not well constituted due to lack of quorum.

The Speaker directed the Clerk to confirm whether there was quorum and it was confirmed that there was no quorum.

Pursuant to Article 35 of the Standing Orders, the Hon. Speaker directed that the quorum bell be rung for eight (8) minutes.

At 2.44 p.m., the Hon. Speaker directed the Clerk to confirm whether quorum was achieved. Quorum was yet to be achieved.

ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to Article 35 (2) (a) of the Standing Orders, having no quorum at the expiry of eight minutes, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 3.10 p.m. until Wednesday the 7th day of October 2015 at 9.00 a.m.

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CLERK TO THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY