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The House met at 2:30 p.m.

(Mr. Deputy Speaker [Hon. Stephen Wamalwa] in the Chair)

PRAYER

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

Honorable Members, I want to take this opportunity to officially welcome you back from our recess. This being a new year, I also say Happy New Year to you as we begin this year.

I know we have a lot of commitments this year but I believe that this is a good beginning and God is going to guide us. We are going to experience harmony. We are going to work for the betterment of the people of Bungoma. You are welcome Members. Thank you so much and may God bless you.

PAPERS

The following Papers were laid on the Table of the County Assembly by Hon. Joseph Nyongesa (*Leader of Majority*).

1. Approval of the report of the County Assembly Legislative Calendar for the Sixth Session
2. Nomination of members to serve on the House Business Committee for the Sixth Session
3. Report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of the Bungoma County Assembly Car Loan and Mortgage Fund for the year ended 30th June 2019.
4. The Bungoma County Public Service Board Draft Annual Report 2021.
5. Special Audit on the Pending Bills of the County Government for the financial year 2018/19 to 2019/2020.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Honorable members. These Papers having been properly laid, they become property of this House.

1. The report of the Auditor General on the financial statements of the Bungoma County Assembly Car Loan and Mortgage Fund for the year ended 30th June 2019 stands committed to PAC.
2. The Bungoma County Public Service Board Draft Annual Report 2021 stands committed to the Standing Committee of Public Administration and ICT.

3. Special Audit on the Pending Bills of the County Governments for the Financial Year 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 will stand committed to PAC.

NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notices of Motion were issued by Hon. Joseph Nyongesa (*Leader of Majority*)

1. That pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order 25(i), this House approves the County Assembly Legislative Calendar for the Sixth Session 2022.
2. That this House approves the nomination of the members to serve in the House Business Committee pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 152(i) e.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Hon. Nyongesa. Honorable Members, a notice having been issued in a procedural manner, I thus direct that it forms part of business to be considered by this House.

MOTIONS AND BILLS

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPROVAL OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR FOR THE SIXTH SESSION 2022

Hon. Joseph Nyongesa (Leader of Majority): Honorable Speaker, allow me move the following motion that pursuant to the Standing Orders 24(ii) and Standing Orders 25(i) of the County Assembly Standing Orders, this House approves the County Assembly Legislative Calendar for the sixth session for the Year 2022 starting from January to June 2022.

I think they have the schedule annexed and they can also read it. This is how it will be. This is the schedule from January to June so that Members can now officially look for votes. As you know, this is the year that we have been told to wait for. The sixth session shall run as follows.

- i) Sitting days will be from Tuesday 11th of January to 14th April. In every Tuesdays, we shall be sitting in the afternoon. On Wednesday, we shall sit in the morning and the afternoon. Lastly, on Thursdays, we shall sit in the afternoon.
 - ii) We shall have a short recess that will begin on Friday 15th April to the 25th of April. That shall also allow us for some campaigns as you know.
 - iii) We shall resume on Tuesday 26th April to Wednesday 8th June 2022. As usual, we shall be sitting on Tuesday afternoons and then on Wednesday mornings and afternoons and on Thursday afternoons.
- d) Proceed to *Sine Die* for the County Assembly. That will be from Thursday 9th June. The third session shall open basing on whoever shall win as the governor to set the day to sit.

I call upon Hon. Sudi to second.

Hon. Isaiah Sudi: Mr. Speaker, I second.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you very much, Hon. Sudi. Honourable Members, a motion having been moved and duly seconded, I now propose a question.

(Question Proposed)

Hon. James Mukhongo: Thank you, Honourable Speaker. I have followed the motion that has been presented by the Leader of Majority in the House. It is very clear that as we resume, it means we will run up to April before we go for short recess. By so doing, I want to loud the Leader of Majority and the entire membership of the leadership of the House to have considered that if there are any pending businesses from today up to April, we must make sure that we complete everything.

Secondly, I also want to agree with the proposal that as we come back from the short April recess, the House will run its operations up to 8th June. We shall now be embarking on the full campaigns. So that members can have ample time to campaign. My wishes are that we should pray for one another.

I support the motion.

(Applause)

Hon. Paul Wamalwa: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to echo what Hon. Mukhongo has just said and also to congratulate the House Business Committee for their big thinking. You remember last time, we left the House and the administrators of this Assembly took advantage of us.

We have funds which can help us in the side of welfare. That is a very good move and it is going to take care of us including those who are going to finish their pay slip from the month of April. Something will be in my pocket and I will be in a position to run in my ward. As you understand, there are those *Ngamwayas* in my ward. I need some cash.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Hon. Paul, we need to understand the *Ngamwayas*. Some of us do not understand them.

Hon. Paul Wamalwa: This is legit Mr. Speaker. Thank you so much.

Hon. Chrispinus Wamusai: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I am on my feet in support of the motion as moved by the honorable Leader of Majority. I still ride on the sentiments of Hon. Mukhongo of Chwele Kabuchai. It is a new year and time has come that we must make sure that we dispense off the pending businesses such that before we engage the electorates in seeking fresh mandate, we must be able to leave this House in a better position.

A lot happened in the past two years. Things almost went haywire but this New Year should be a new beginning such that whatever happened is water under the bridge and should be behind us.

We should focus on one thing. We should take a keen interest in the welfare of members as we go back to engage electorates in seeking mandate and have a new synergy cutting across all the membership of the House regardless of political party formations, coalitions, re-engaging each other on whichever foundations. That shouldn't water down the friendship and the relationship we have built for the past four years.

My appeal is that we move with speed, dispense off the pending businesses and build a new synergy that will transcend into a proper finish of the five year term and look forward to better times and better future.

I support.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you.

Hon. Tony Barasa: Thank you, Honorable Speaker. First, I want to thank God for 2021 and that is the God of 2022. As I laud the HBC, for thinking well to extend the calendar of this House so that this House can also proceed with the different activities. How I wish that we also direct the leader of majority in this House to ask the executive that all the projects we passed in this House that were not advertised, all those that were budgeted and allocated and the wards were expecting much more from this House for implementation purposes.

It is very sad that we are seeing only those projects that are in the Department of Roads advertised. We have issues and priorities in different wards e.g. water, ECDE classes and others. I wish that this House directs the Majority Leader or the executive to come up with plans and tell us how they are going to implement projects that were passed by is that if they will not advertise those projects then we might go-slow on approving the supplementary budget.

I support the motion.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Hon. Tony Khaoya.

Hon. Jack Kawa: Asante Ndugu Spika. Kwanza namshukuru mwenyezi Mungu kwa umbali ambao ametuleta. Kunao wengi ambao wana mali, wanono, wana afya lakini hawakuuona mwaka huu mpya.

Heri sisi ambao tumepata hii nafasi ya kuona mwaka mpya. Lazima tuseme asante kwa Mungu. Labda Mungu yuko na makusudi mimi na wewe tuweze kuuona mwaka mpya. Labda kuna mahali tulikosana, tuweze kusameheana. Hivyo ndivyo kitabu kinatuambia.

Ninasimama hapa nikiunga mkono mswada kutoka kwa mkubwa wa Jumba hili Mheshimiwa Nyongesa ya kwamba, kulingana na Kalenda hio, iko sawa. Ninataka niwakumbushe wenzangu wa mhula wa 17-22 ya kwamba waliokua katika Jumba hili, Mheshimiwa Paul, Mheshimiwa

Mwambu, Mheshimiwa Tindi, Rosemary, Barasa, Majimbo na Chebet. Tukielekea kumaliza muhula wetu tuliumia. Ata kupata pesa yetu ya *gratuity* ilikua shida.

Kuanzia mwezi wa pili, hivi viti vitakua bila mtu kwa sababu watakua wanarudi kwa wananchi ambao waliwatuma wapekele majibu kwa miaka tano kuonyesha wamefanya nini.

Tusipokua na mikakati na mipangilio, ata *gratuity* yako itakua shida kupata.

Kuna pesa ambazo ziko katika kamati. Lazima tuweke vichwa vyetu pamoja tuhakikishe kuwa tumetumia hizi pesa. Vile mwenzangu amesema kuhusu maneno ya *welfare*, hilo ndilo mimi nilisema niongee kuhusu. Nilikua nimevaa kiatu na nilijua vile kilinifinya; wacha tuwe na utu.

Waheshimiwa abao wako kwa ile nafasi, tafadhali, shughulika mkijua kuwa pia sisi ni binadamu.

Mwisho Ndugu Spika kama mtoto niliyebewa na mama kwa miezi tisa, nikichapwachapwa kila mara naskia uchungu. Waheshimiwa Wabunge, nafasi imewadia ambapo kila mmoja wetu atarudi kule alikotoka. Na pia nafasi hii, madirisha na milango imefunguka kwa wale wanoweza tafuta magari mengine ili wakaweze kusafiria ili waende safari mbalimbali. Tafadhali wacha tuache hii machozi kwa Waheshimiwa ambao wanashaamua waende kwenye vyama mbali mbali.

Hilo ni gari anatafuta. Labda mwaka huu alitumia *tractor* na anaona mwaka huu labda *tractor* ilimpeleka vema anafika mahali ambapo anaenda tuseme haleluhya. Labda mwingine ametumia pikipiki akaenda akafika atakako, tumwambie Mungu ahasante. Nataka kuwasihi ya kwamba tuwe na heshima na tuombeane maana hujui ya kesho.

Nawarai tupendane. Kwa wale ambao watarudi tumwambie Mungu ahsante. Kwa wale ambao watabaki nyumbani tuendeleo kuwa marafiki kwa maana kwa lugha yetu ya Kibusu, heri kukutana na mtu yule ambaye mlikula naye kuliko kukutana na mtu mliyekuwa mumekosana. Nawaomba tupendane ili tukikutana kule nnje, tuwe marafiki kama pale awali. Ni hayo niliyokuwa nayo, Mungu wa amani apate kuwabariki.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Jack Kawa kwa usemi wako katika lugha ya Kiswahili. Kwa hivyo tumpe nafasi Mheshimiwa Hillary Kiptalam.

Hon. Hillary Kiptalam: Let me appreciate our Leadership for being gracious enough for having granted us wisdom of forming this 6th Session. I want to quote it in Swahili if you can allow me: 'Huu ni mwaka wa lala Salalma' How I wish...

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Ukianza kwa lugha ya kiingereza, unafululiza kwa lugha hiyo.

Hon. Hillary Kiptalam: I'm quoting.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Quoting is okay.

Hon. Hillary Kiptalam: I was saying that since it an electioneering year, I want to urge our leadership and all Honourable Members that we embrace love. Today, we are here but we don't

know if we will be travelling in the same vehicle on 9th. I want to urge Honourable Members that Jesus left us with one great Commandment that you love your neighbor as you love yourself.

Let us be our brother's keeper and let us move as a team. I know for the remaining period, the Honourable Members who are working on their second terms, some of us are finishing our first term and seeking for re-election. I want to believe that if God is for us all, we might come back in 2022 August as a full House, but let us embrace love.

Hon. Sospeter Nyongesa: That you, Mr. Speaker to have gotten my eye. I'm also on my feet to applaud the leader of Majority for that Motion. I was wondering as I see a lot of work for us that was supposed to have been given time before. Was wondering if we were not going to extent time for deliberation of the same, how will that work be accomplished?

Just like my colleagues have said, this is the final term for us and I urge all Honourable Members that we put all our efforts together and push this Executive hard enough to ensure that all that was pending before them is accomplished.

Outside there, commoners/voters have the desire to see services as their main interest. We can talk, but what they want to see is the services. If we have to propose the projects and we allocate the money and we are past half the financial year, then we realize that the projects of the first half have not been implemented. It is really embarrassing to us before the electorates.

It is highest time that the Chair persons of the respective Committees do follow up. If we have to leave this in the hands of Majority Leader alone, he will not do much but if the Chairs of the respective Committees do follow up to see to it that the projects so far proposed in terms of CEF are all awarded at this time, it will be better for us.

Otherwise, I may also be of the opinion that if the projects under CEF so far have not been contracted, then I don't see sense in deliberating the Supplementary Budget that is before us.

It does not make sense if they have not been implemented at 1%. What is the importance of supplementary budget?

I also concur with my colleagues to urge Members to work together as we sum up our term. Otherwise, I wish each and every one of us a Happy New Year 2022!

Mr. Speaker: Thank you, Hon. Sospeter Nyongesa.

Hon. Anthony Lusenaka: Thank you for this opportunity. I also want to support the Motion for at least it has given us direction from now to June on what we are expected to do. Secondly, the past two years have been terrible for us. It is always said that it is better to have a good ending and I want to challenge the leadership of this House including yourself that what are we going to remember you for when we leave this Assembly on 8th?

I know some of us will come back and some may not make it. How are you going to treat your fellow colleagues' for this remaining period? I want to urge the leadership because I know you may say that you did the right thing, but some may say that you did a wrong. It is up to you to

look back at what has happened in the last two years so that wherever you went wrong, you rectify in time.

I also want to challenge some of our colleagues who always blame the executive. Charity begins at home. We have so many things that are done underground. My things that are done un-procedurally. Let us clean the House beginning from home but not to point fingers at others.

I know you all know what is happening in this Assembly, in this building and in this Compound. Let us do things the right way. Let us be our brother's keeper. I know there is a report may be coming before next week. Some will be happy and some will be sad. I don't want to disclose but before the report is tabled, I want to urge you as the Hon. Speaker and the Leadership that please, treat people fairly and equally for we are all Honourable Members and we deserve to be here and we are not here by mistake. We have a right to be here.

So before anything is done, kindly, if it is possible, you can even call a Kamkunji we sit and talk so that we see wherever maybe we have a mistake, we rectify. We never know what will happen on 9th. That person you are mistreating may come back and you yourself will be out there. How do you expect to be treated?

I just want to urge the Leadership that please treat people fairly for you don't know what will happen in future. Otherwise, thank you. I want to support the report for it has given a clear outline and we know what we are supposed to do as an Assembly.

Before I forget, if you look up there, the ceiling board is almost falling. It is a risk. If we have a visitor and that thing falls, it will be an embarrassment to this County Assembly. Whoever, that is concerned, kindly do the needful.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you Hon. Namunyu for your contribution.

Hebu sasa nimkaribishe Mheshimiwa Chesibok aweze kuchangia mjadala huu.

Hon. James Chesibok: Ahsante Bwana Spika, kwa kunipa fursa hii niseme machache. Kwanza, ni kushukuru Mwenyezi Mungu kwa uhai maana mwaka uliopita kulikuwa na milima na mabonde, mawe mashindano na mashimo barabarani. Hata hivyo, Mungu amekuwa na mimi ndio sababu nasema Mungu ainuliwe.

Pili, mambo mengi yamenenwa na waliotangulila na jambo moja la maana ni kwamba, heri mwisho mwema kuliko mwanzo wake. Ndugu yangu ametangulia na kusema ya kwamba je, ni nini itafanya Chesibok akumbuke Mheshimiwa Sudi Busolo nitakapo kuwa Mlima Elgon? Ni nini kitakachofanya Chesibok akumbuke rafiki yake Msebe? Hilo ni swali nyeti ambalo yafaa tuangalie.

Mimi nilikuja hapa kama Mteuliwa. Je nami pia nlifurahia umoja wetu ambapo tulikuwa pamoja na ninyi? Je kuna jambo lililo kera moyo wangu? Je tukiwa katika mwaka wa misho, je tumewahi kusema tusameheane na tutembe pamoja tumwambie Mungu awe pamoja nasi? Je, kwa huu muda tuliona, je kuna jambo ambalo laweza kukera mioyo yetu?

Ombi langu ni kwamba, ndugu mmoja amesema ni wakati wa msamaha, kama kuna mahali tumekosania, ndugu na dada zangu, tusameane.

Tuone ya kwamba twaweka kila kitu kiwe sawa ili muda huu tulio nao mdogo, tuweze kutenda mambo mazuri ili kwamba kesho tuweze kupendana tukikutana kule nje. Si vyema muda huu labda tuwe na mambo ambayo itaendelea kukera myoyo yetu. Nakumbuka miaka mingine ya nyuma, nilikaa kama mteule kwa miezi sita nikiwa na kamati moja. Wazo langu lilikuwa kwamba labda tungekuwa na kamati zile zote hata baada ya kutoka hapa. Kumbé tukitoka hapa hamna yeyote atakayekuwa na kamati.

Wote tutaenda nyumbani ndo maana nataka kusamehe hata na wale ambao walinitoa kwa kamati zingine nikasalia na moja. Leo nataka kusema kwamba nimewasamehe ili tuweze kutembea kama ndugu na dada na tukikutana kule nje tupendane na tuone ni yapi yaliyo mapenzi ya Mungu.

Kwa ufupi, nataka niseme kwamba tupendane na tutembe pamoja. Haijalishi utakuwa kwa chama gani. Labda mimi ntakuwa kwa UDA nawe uwe kwa Ford Kenya na mwingine awe kwa DAP. Sisi tupendane kwa kuwa ni wanadamu wale wale ambao mungu alituteua tupendane.

Kwa kuwa leo ni siku ya kwanza kwa mwaka huu kwa hili Bunge, tupendane na tutembe pamoja. Tukiwa na jambo, sisi wote tuangalie jambo hili kwa njia ya upendo na undugu. Kukiwa na cha kula, tule pamoja, hata kama ni kidogo tule sisi wote. Ikiwa kubwa, vile vile tule wote. Mambo ya kando kando tuachane nayo. Sina mengi, Mungu wa amani awabariki.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Ahsante Mheshimiwa. Sijui 'otherwise' kwa kiswahili yaitwaje. Hapo nimeshindwa.

Hon. Meshack Simiyu: Nashukuru kwa nafasi hii. Nataka kuunga mkono yale ambayo kiongozi wa wengi amenena. Yangu ni machache. Kwanza, naomba Kamati ya Masomo. Kwa kweli, wadi yangu ya Mkuyuni tulienda tukatengeneza bajeti tukaleta kisha tukaipitisha. Hata hivyo, ukiangalia pesa wanazotoa kwa mfano milioni tatu na niko na vijiji sita, kwa kweli ninaumia.

Nataka niombe mwenyekiti wa kamati hiyo ya Elimu ili wafanye haraka ili tupate pesa hizo. Kama hatungepisha pesa hizo, wangesema kwamba hawana pesa. Ukiangalia wale tuliowapa 'scholarship' pia hawachapata pesa. Mali na hayo, kibinasi sijui kama nitaingia mbinguni.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Mheshimiwa utaingia kwa Mungu.

Hon. Meshack Simiyu: Hapana! Kwa maana naona wenzetu hapa wanasema kwamba tusameheane kwa kazi ambayo nilifanya. Mimi kama nitaingia kwa Mungu basi anifiche kichwa na miguu iingie. Kwa kweli ni sisi wenyewe ambao tuligawana. Wengine wakaenda chini wakaanza kula kule na wengine tukabaki huku. Mwingine akisema kwamba ile ambayo imepatikana tukule, ilhali ninyi wenyewe mlikuwa hapa mkasema kwamba pesa hizo tutoe kwa Bunge hili tuzipeleke kule chini.

Sasa hivi tunaanza kulaumiana. Wacha niseme ukweli na udumu. Wacha ninene ni Bwana Spika ndo amenipa kibali sio wewe bwana.

Mr. Speaker: Naam, una haki ya kuongea bali huyo ni msheshimiwa ilihali umemwita bwana. Kumbuka hilo.

Hon. Meshack Simiyu: Hata tukisema tuwe pamoja ilihali wengine ndio walioenda upande mwingine wakisema lazima hii Ford Kenya itolewe na ukweli tukatolewa. Kwa huu muda umesalia tutaendelea tu hadi uishe. Mungu nisaidie Ford Kenya ipate viti vingi ili nirudi hapa. Kwa sababu isipopata nitapitia mchucho. Niko tayari kwa hilo. Nataka kuwaeleza wenzangu kwamba mimi sina msamaha.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Ahsante Mheshiwa Meshack kwa usemi wako.

Hon. Ali Machani: Ahsante mwelekzi. Kwanza, nataka kushukuru kiongozi wa wengi kwa kutupa mwelekeo wa mwaka huu. Mbali na mwenzetu aliyetuacha ndugu Makhandia, sisi bado tuko na tunahudumia watu wetu na familia zetu. Sasa hivi, sio wakati wa kulaumiana kwa kuwa kulingana na utaratibu wa siasa, mwezi wa kwanza huu ni kama umeisha na mwezi wa pili ifikapo tarehe ishirini na nane tunamalizana.

Hapo katikati tuko na miezi miwili pekee. Mwezi wa nne na mwezi wa tano. Mwezi wanne, ni bunge litakuwa limevunjwa. La muhimu ni kuombeana tuwe na afya njema, ili tufike wakati huo maana tulipofika mwaka jana, hatukuweza kujua mwenzetu atatuacha. Leo hii familia yake pamoja na watoto wake, japo watapewa chochote kile, hakitawasaidia. Nataka pia kuungana na wanenaji wa kwanza kwamba ukikubali kuenda kwa siasa, ni kaka umekubali kuenda kuogelea.

Na unapochukua mwelekeo fulani usijute yale utakutana nayo. Mimi nilichukua mwelekeo kulingana na msimamo wa chama changu na sina lolote la kujutia. Unyan'ganywe kamati, usipewe, kwani wewe ulipochaguliwa, uliambiwa utakuja kupewa kamati?

Pili, wakati nimekuwa nyumbani nimesoma mambo mengi sana. Ni vizuri pia tujifundishe kukaa nyumbani. Ni vizuri pia tuelewe iko siku hutakuwa kwa bunge hili. Waeza tafuta mali mingi na pengine Mungu akupe maradhi na mali iende.

Waeza tafuta mali mingi na wakati ukienda nyumbani matatizo yakitokea hiyo mali uiuze na iwe ndio itakuokoa. Cha maana ni kuombeana tuwe na afya nzuri, wale ambao wamechukua mwelekeo wa kurudi kwamba wanataka warudi kwa hili jumba tuwaombe warudi.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Mheshimiwa Machani Mutoka wale ambao wamechukua, wewe pia umechukua.

Hon. Ali Machani: Mheshimiwa Spika ndio naendelea. Wale ambao wamechukua mwelekeo kuenda bunge la kitaifa tunawaombea, wale ambao watasema hawataomba nafasi pia twawaombea wakiwa nyumbani wawe na maisha mema.

Ukiingia kwa lile lango la maeneo haya, siku ya kwanza ikiwa waeza tafakari ulipoongia na siku hili bunge utakaa pale ukisema sasa watu warudi kule walikotoka. Uliingia na furaha, siku bunge linavunjwa kama hujajipanga, utatoka kwa machozi.

Sasa mimi nataka kuwasihia wenzangu sioni ugumu hata kama ulinyan'ganywa kamati kuchukua mwenzako kwa sababu alikunyan'ganya kamati ama yeye anakula vizuri ama yeye pengine

hajakuweka mahali fulani. Penye tumefika sasa hivi muda umeyoyoma. Naskia kiongozi wangu akisema yeye yuko tayari hata kutoa mtu hata kesho. Hiyo ni kazi yake, usimlaumu. Ni sheria imempa mamlaka afanye majukumu yale lakini cha mno pia amesema hajui kesho itakuwa vipi.

Leo anaeza sema mimi niko kwa ODM kesho ujikute wewe pia uko kwa ODM ama mtu yuko kwa Ford Kenya leo kiongozi, kesho umpate nilisikia Mheshimiwa Kawa akisema alikuwa anaenda sijui chama gani na wengine wengi bado ndio sasa msismko umeanza na hayo mambo wale wamekuwa kwa siasa muda mrefu Waheshimiwa wenye wako hapa si mara ya kwanza.

Watu hufanya hivyo kwa sababu ya maslahi. Haujaja hapa ili uhisi kwamba siku utataka kupoteza nafasi na utegee. Hawa waheshimiwa wote unowaona hapa ikiwa watajua ya kwamba wakibaki kwa chama fulani hatapita kura, hutamwona. *So it's obvious*, tusichukiane ama mimi hushindwa mtu huweka hasira ni kama mtu alin'goa mpaka wa shamba lake. Hizi vitu ukiweka sana kwa roho yako itakuletea ugonjwa.

Hata hawa wafanyikazi, tusiwachukie. Hawa wafanyikazi wa hili bunge ni kama vile sisi tulivyokuwa kwa zile serikali za mitaa. Wakati ilipokuwa ikifika bunge likivunjwa hawa wafanyikazi ndio walikuwa wanatusaidia sisi kupita kura. Wangerudi kule nyumbani waanze kuambia watu kwamba huyu si mbaya amakuwa akifanya kazi, na kama ulifanya kazi mbaya hao hao wafanyikazi wangeenda wavute *file* yako wapee mpinzani wako asome hiyo, miradi pengine haikufanywa wakati ule unajua madiwani tulikuwa na usemi si kama sasa hivi.

Mimi kitu naomba tuvumiliane na tuheshimiane. Mwenzako kama hata hamko naye kwa chama akitaka kuenda kama mlikuwa naye kwa chama kimoja akitaka kuenda kwa kingine usimchukie muombe Mungu kwa sababu hujui wakati mtarudi hapa yeye atakuwa na usemi gani.

Pia viongozi ambao tuko nao wa kitaifa pia tusiwatusi kwa sababu hujui kesho ni nani atakuwa ofisini, na huenda yule unayemtusi akiwa ofisini pengine Mheshimiwa Spika ndio utakuwa na usemi kwa yule mtu tutatumia wewe kama ngazi tufike kule. Cha muhimu sana kwa huu muda nami nimekuwa si muda mrefu vile nimekuwa katika uzoefu wa siasa penye imefika ni wakati wa kutulia tivumiliane pia kama waheshimiwa tupunguze makali kurushia viongozi wengine maneno.

Leo wewe unasema Seneta kesho anaanguka, kesho Gavana Wangamati si Gavana na wewe kwa nini hutaki kuanguka?

Kwa nini wewe unataka ubaki hapo tu? Yeye pia anatakikana akuombe maombi kama hayo na sisi dini inatueleza yale maombi mabaya unayoombea Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa wengi pia Mungu hukurudishia hayo maombi. Sasa mimi nahisi kwamba tusione kwamba wale waliofanya kazi kulingana na majukumu yao ni wabaya kwetu, hiyo ilikuwa ni majukumu yao.

Mungu ana sababu muone vile walivyoongoza kesho watakuwa tayari pia kulinganisha na yule ambayo utakuja naye mwenye wewe utataka ujue kwamba kati ya huyu tulifaidika hivi, tulifanya hivi na wakati wangu. Ata sisi kwenye maeneo tunatoka, wakati utatoka mwingine aingie ndio watu wataeza kujua huyu aliharibu na huyu alifanya.

Mimi nataka kuwapea tu nasaha. Sasa mambo ya kukimbilia makamati toa hiyo tamaa. Hiyo maneno ya kutumia kamati kutaka kunyorosha wenzenu, toa hiyo roho kwa sababu wewe hujui ya kesho na kile kipimo unatumia kwa mwenzako ndio hicho hicho kipimo mwenyezi Mungu atahakikisha umekipata kama uko kwa hili jumba kabla hujatoka. Bwana azidi kuwabariki.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Asante sana Mheshimiwa Ali Machani Mutoka kwa mchango wako.

I want to call upon the mover to respond.

Hon. Joseph Nyongesa: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I also want to appreciate my colleagues for the support for the motion and actually it has also been a learning session and you know when we are preparing for exit, everybody would wish to exit in a soft way but who knows if it will be soft.

I want to appreciate my senior Hon. Machani for some few sentiments that he has put across and again in this world you will also be remembered for many things for whether you did good or bad because even in the bible, we had Judas Iscariot who is always being remembered. It's also part of life. In leadership we had people like Hitler, Mussolini, they did what they did and they are also being remembered so it's just away on how maybe one could understand somebody but what is important is... I appreciate one thing when Hon. Machani said when you take a certain direction also live with it because when you have a family and maybe one child decides to disown you, then you can also disown him/her as a parent but still he will be your son or daughter depending...

Otherwise, as we look on how our session will be, it is so tight that from January to June maybe we are also urging the Chairpersons of various committees to ensure that actually the few activities that we can manage to do within that period as an Assembly we shall appreciate though it is so unique that whether you like it or not, you will never finish but you will just do your part and exit, another person will have to finish.

I am very happy that everybody is aware that we are not here permanently because even this House was built in 1952 when my mother was being born so we have had a lot of leaders here so everybody is not permanent but live with what you have.

Hon. Tony said the issue of projects which was also supported with Hon. Sospeter and maybe from my own thinking, it is not a must that you will win basing on the projects you have done but you shall win basing on the good will you have with your people so let it not worry you that if I fail in this project, then I may win elections, No! It will depend with the good will you have with your people so try to associate, your PR should be good with your electorates then you will win.

As we look forward to approve this schedule, let us also learn that love is two-way traffic. If you need love also show love because we would not open it now because time will come and we shall speak it out also but I am so happy that it's a learning session and everybody is being felt whether in the right or negative way and that is how leadership is.

In terms of formation of coalitions as people are saying, you know we have two Governments and the key Government for us is the County Government so as we rush to various parties, know the direction of the next Government so be keen, be wise.

As I finish, people have said we pray for one another but biblically, its good also to pray for the enemies so if Juma is your enemy pray for him so that he may change so that you should not only pray for your friends because your friends are already in good books with you so the only prayer God may hear is when you pray for your enemies.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Hon. Juma, Leader of Majority. I just heard praying for your enemy. Honourable members, the motion having been moved and duly seconded and debate having ensued and reply made thereto, I now put a question that pursuant to Standing Order 24(2) and Standing Order 25 (1) of the County Assembly Standing Orders, this House approves the County Assembly Legislative Calendar for the Sixth Session that is Regular Sessions of the County Assembly for the year 2022.

(Question put and agreed to)

The Ayes have it!

(Applause)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

Nomination of members in the House Business Committee; That pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order number 152(1) (e) this House approves nomination of the following members to The County Assembly Business Committee.

Hon. Joseph Nyongesa (Leader of Majority): Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Allow me to move the procedural motion for nomination of members to the County Assembly Business committee. That pursuant to the provision of Standing Order number 152(1) (e) this House approves the nomination of the following members to the County Assembly Business Committee;

1. Hon. Emmanuel Situma -Chairperson
2. Hon. Stephen Wamalwa -Deputy Speaker, FK Party
3. Hon. Joseph Nyongesa Juma -Majority Leader, FK Party
4. Hon. James Mukhongo -FK Party
5. Hon. Meshack Simiyu -FK Party
6. Hon. Elly Tindi -FK Party
7. Hon. Jack Wambulwa -FK Party
8. Hon. Keziah Lukosi -FK Party
9. Hon. Francis Chemion -Minority Leader- Jubilee Party
10. Hon. Bethwell Mwambu -Deputy Leader of Minority -Jubilee Party
11. Hon. Jane Chebet -Member -Jubilee Party
12. Hon. Sudi Busolo -Jubilee Party
13. Hon. Ali Machani -ODM Party

14. Hon. Violet Makhanu -ODM Party
15. Hon. Sospeter Nyongesa -ANC Party (Amani National Congress)

Therefore allow me call upon my colleague Deputy Leader of Minority to second

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, so much Honourable leader of majority.

Hon. Bethwell Mwambu: Thank you, Honourable Speaker. I just want to applaud my colleague the leader of majority for the work done for presentation of the names for those who are supposed to be members of the HBC and I hereby second.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Honourable members. Now members the motion having been moved and duly seconded, I now propose that pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 152(1) (e), this House approves the nomination of the following members to the House Business Committee I propose, the names are attached...

(Question Proposed)

Thank you so much, Honourable members. I look at your faces and the body language. Therefore, I want to put a question that Honourable members, a motion having been moved and duly seconded, I now put a question that this House pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 152(1) (e), this House approves the nomination of the following members to the House Business Committee as the names have been read by the leader of majority as attached.

(Question put and agreed to)

The Ayes have it! The motion is adopted. Thank you

2. ALTERATION OF THE CALENDAR

Hon. Joseph Nyongesa (Leader of Majority): Thank you, again Mr. Speaker to allow me move the motion to alter the calendar for the purpose of interrogating the Budget issues ahead of us and as you heard members are eager and willing to do so because some mentioned one thing that actually we should be keen on the projects especially for CEF so this is your time to look into it so that you can see if the outgoing Government is going to do it or not.

That pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Orders 25(4) and taking cognizant of the House Calendar 2022 of the 6th Session, this House resolves to alter its Calendar for the 6th regular sessions and therefore orders as follows with respect to the sittings of the House; That the sittings of the House be adjourned from today Tuesday 11th January 2022 and resume sittings on Wednesday 19th January 2022 at 9:30 a.m. to allow the sectoral committees consider the interrogation of the First Supplementary Budget Estimates for financial year 2021/2022.

Allow me to call upon my colleague Deputy Leader of Minority to second.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Honourable Leader of Majority. I now welcome once again Hon. Fwamba, Deputy Leader of Minority!

Hon. Bethwell Mwambu: Thank you, Honourable Speaker. I wish to appreciate the motion brought forward by the leader of majority and from my end the narrative given is well understood. I wish to do the necessary that is seconding the motion.

Mr. Deputy Speaker: Thank you, Hon. Fwamba. Honourable members, a motion having been moved and duly seconded, I now propose the question that pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 25(4) and taking cognizant of the House Calendar 2022 of 6th Session, this House resolves to alter its calendar for the 6th Regular Session and therefore orders as follows with respect to the sitting of the House.

That the sittings of the House be adjourned from today Tuesday 11th January 2022 and resume sittings on Wednesday 19th January 2022 at 9:30 a.m. to allow the sectoral committees to consider the interrogation of the First Supplementary Budget Estimates for the Financial year 2021/2022.

I propose.

(Question Proposed)

Well, Honourable members again the looks say it all. Therefore Honourable members, I put a question that the sittings of the House be adjourned from today 11th January 2022 and resume sitting on Wednesday 19th January 2022 at 9:30 a.m. to allow the sectoral committees to consider the interrogation of the First supplementary Budget Estimates for the Financial Year 2021/2022.

(Question put and agreed to)

The Ayes have it! It's adopted.

(Applause)

Honourable members, there being no other business on the Order Paper for today, this House adjourns the sittings to resume on Wednesday 19th January, 2022 at 9:30 a.m. We adjourn!

(House Adjourns)

