REPUBLIC OF KENYA

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF LAIKIPIA

THE HANSARD

Tuesday, 10th November, 2020

The House met at the Assembly Chambers at 2.30 p.m.

[The Deputy Speaker (*Hon. Daniel Nyausi) in the Chair]*

PRAYERS

PAPERS

COFFEE FARMS AND COFFEE COOPERATIVE SOCIETY

Hon. Robert Maina: Thank you**,** Mr. Speaker, Sir. On behalf of the Chairman for Agriculture Hon. Simon Kanyutu, I beg to lay the paper on the report by Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Committee on oversight visit to coffee farms and Coffee Cooperative Society in Kiambaa Location, Githiga Ward dated 15th October, 2020.

(Hon. Robert Maina laid the Paper on the table)

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

COFFEE FARMS AND COFFEE COOPERATIVE SOCIETY

Hon. Robert Maina: Mr. Speaker, on behalf of the Chairman for Agriculture, I beg to give notice of the following motion;

> THAT this Assembly adopts the report by Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Committee on oversight visit to coffee farms and Coffee Cooperative Society in Kiambaa Location, Githiga Ward dated 15th October, 2020.

Hon. Peter Thomi: Mr. Speaker, I would like you to confirm to this House why Hon. Robert is giving notice of the motion and I can see the person named after the motion in the House?

Hon. Simon Kanyutu: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. May I answer the Majority Leader that Hon. Maina is a Member of the Agriculture Committee and my committee works as a team. I have trained the Members in such a way that they will also be able to deliver when they become Chairpersons. That is why I have given him the mandate of tabling and giving the notice on my behalf because even when we went for the visit we were together.

Deputy Speaker: That is right Hon. Chairman for Agriculture but if it is your name that is appearing here and you are not the one moving, then probably you could be absent. It is also my concern because anyone can challenge you because the Member is seated there and the other one is representing while seated. I don't think it is wrong for any Member of any

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committee to move such as a Member but why don't we then indicate in writing that he is the one to represent the Chair as a Member of that particular committee? Hon. Kanyutu, do you have something to add on that?

Hon. Simon Kanyutu: Yes, Mr. Speaker. I concur with you but I did not think that it is worthy to write. As he laid he clearly stated 'on behalf of the Chair' as I sat here. So even if I was not within he could have still have tabled it but since I had delegated that issue that is why he has tabled it on behalf of the Chair.

Hon. Peter Thomi: Mr. Speaker, it is in order and I totally agree with Hon. Kanyutu but it is good to put it as a matter of concern because Hon. Kanyutu could be in a problem that we are not aware of. We can see him here and looking upright and yet somebody gives the notice on behalf. So it was just a matter of concern but I'm glad that Hon. Kanyutu is alright.

Deputy Speaker: We are still on notices of motions.

RECONSTITUTION OF COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS

Hon. Peter Thomi: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I beg to give notice of the following of motion;

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No. 184 (1) and 184(2), this House approves the appointment of the following Members to the committee on appointments;

1. Hon. Patrick Waigwa - Speaker
2. Hon. Peter Thomi - Leader of the Majority
3. Hon. Jacob Endom - Leader of the Minority Party.
4. Hon. Judy Lukio - Member
5. Hon. Joseph Suge. - Member
6. Hon. Patricia Muthoni. - Member

ADJOURNMENT

Deputy Speaker: The sittings of this House now stands adjourned until tomorrow Wednesday, 11 November, 2020 at 9.00 a.m.

House rose at 2.40 p.m.

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