



**FOURTH PARLIAMENT  
OF  
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE  
THIRD SESSION, 2014/2015  
FIRST MEETING OF THE HOUSE  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

HONOURABLE SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR - HON. S.B.B. DUMBUYA

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THURSDAY

18TH DECEMBER, 2014

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THE HOUSE MET AT 10:00 A.M.

**I. ATTENDANCE:**

1. HON.BAH CHERNOR R.M.
2. HON.BAH IBRAHIM PATEH
3. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
4. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
5. HON.BRIG.BOYAH KOMBA E.S.(RTD)
6. HON.BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M.
7. HON.BRAIMA SAMUEL H.
8. HON.BROWN PATRICIA
9. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
10. HON.CONTEH BRIMAH
11. HON.CONTEH KARIFALA S.
12. HON.DABUNDEH AIAH DR.
13. HON.EBBA TAMBA ENTOCHEMA
14. HON.FAWUNDU SENESI
15. HON.FOFANA AMADU
16. HON.FOFANAH LEONARD S.
17. HON.GBAPPY-BRIMA GLADYS GBEMOH
18. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
19. HON.JABBI BU-BUAKEI DR.
20. HON.JAJUA ABU
21. HON.JORKIE MOSES B.
22. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
23. HON.KALLON DAUDA J.B.
24. HON.KALOKO ALIE
  
25. HON.KAMARA ALBERT DEEN
26. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN
27. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED



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**The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:**

1. HON.ALIE JAMES N.
2. HON.BANGURA MABINTY H.
3. HON.CONTEH KEMOKOH
4. HON.DUMBUYA ALHAJI S.
5. HON.FAWUNDU DAUDA
6. HON.FOYAH PATRICK
7. HON.JENGO EDWARD S.
8. HON.JOHNSON DAVID
9. HON.KABIA ISATA
10. HON.KAISAMBA FRANCIS A.
11. HON.KALOKO ABI
12. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN JERO
13. HON.KAMARA IBRAHIM
14. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR
15. HON.KANU ABDUL SALAAM
16. HON.KATTA ALFRED BRIMA
17. HON.MBAYOH ROSKY M.
18. HON.MOMOH MOIWAI
19. HON.MUNDA HABIB B.
20. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS E. DR.
21. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX
22. HON.SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR.
23. HON.CAPT.SOURIE FREDERICK S.(RTD)
24. HON.TARA-KOROMA TAWORO DR.

**The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with excuse:**

1. HON.BANYA IV P.C. MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
2. HON.BOIMA IV P.C. PRINCE LAPPYA
3. HON.BUNDU SONGOWA
4. HON.FATORMA SAHR
5. HON.FUNNA MABINTY
6. HON.KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSA PAKI
7. HON.KAINPUMU II P.C. ALEX M.J.J.
8. HON.KALOKO BAI J.
9. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M.
10. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G.
11. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
12. HON.KEBBIE P.C. BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
13. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I.
14. HON.KONGOMOH II P.C. JOSEPH ALIE KAVURA
15. HON.KOROMA AARON ARUNA



<p>10:15 – 10:16 a.m.</p> <p>10:15 a.m.</p> <p>10:16 – 10:18 a.m.</p>	<p>16. HON.KOWA EMMA J.</p> <p>17. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE</p> <p>18. HON.MANSARAY MOHAMED L.</p> <p>19. HON.MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA</p> <p>20. HON.PEWA P.C. PRINCE MAMBU</p> <p>21. HON.SALAMY BOCKARIE N.</p> <p>22. HON.SALLU-LUGBU II P.C. BAI BUREH</p> <p>23. HON.SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO</p> <p>24. HON.SESAY VERONICA K.</p> <p>25. HON.SILIKIE BASHIRU</p> <p>26. HON.SILLAH MABINTY K.</p> <p>27. HON.SONSIAMA III P.C. SHEKU A.T. FASULUKU</p> <p>28. HON.SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M.</p> <p>29. HON.TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED</p> <p>30. HON.TURAY THOMAS M. DR.</p> <p>31. HON.YEK II P.C. ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA</p> <p>32. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO</p> <p>I. <b>Prayers:</b> The Table Clerk <b>Mr. Lamin Yansaneh</b>, said the prayer.</p> <p>II. <b>SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER 5(2) AT 10:10 A.M.:</b></p> <p><b>Hon. Amadu Mohamed Kanu</b> moved the suspension of Standing Order 5(2), seconded by <b>Hon. Alieu Baddara Munu</b>, which was unanimously approved by the House.</p> <p>III. <b>AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER BY THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE:</b></p> <p>The Order Paper was amended by the Leader of the House by the replacement of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2014 with that of Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2014.</p> <p>Secondly, an additional item V to read as follows:</p> <p>(1) <b>Laying of Paper:</b></p> <p><b>The Minister of Finance and Economic Development</b></p> <p>Financing Agreement(Emergency Economic and Fiscal Support Development Policy Financing) between the Republic of Sierra Leone and the International Development Association, dated 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2014</p>
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10:25 – 11:20 a.m.

(ii) **The Chairman, Public Accounts Committee**  
**Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah**

Audit Service Sierra Leone, Auditor-General's Report on the Accounts of Sierra Leone for the Year 2013

Laid by the Deputy Chairman, Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma, on behalf of the Chairman, with a short explanatory statement, pursuant to S.O. 18(7) and Section 119(4) of the 1991 Constitution of Sierra Leone, Act No. 6. He further urged Members to read the Report.

**VI. PAPER LAID:**

**The Minister of Finance and Economic Development**

Financing Agreement(Emergency Economic and Fiscal Support Development Policy Financing) between the Republic of Sierra Leone and the International Development Association, dated 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2014

Laid by the Minister of State Finance, Mr. F.B.L. Mansaray.

**VII. MOTION OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE:**

**Proposer: Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu**

**Seconder: Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma**

**Be it Resolved:**

That the Fourth Report of the Third Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service, be adopted by the House and that the recommendations contained therein be approved.

The Chairman of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service, **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu** presented the Fourth Report of the Third Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service on the following Presidential nominees:

1. **Mr. Osman Pious Conteh** – Proposed Board Member, Board of Trustees, NASSIT;



2. **Mr. Nazi Ahmed Alie Kamanda Bongay** - Proposed Board Member, Board of Trustees, NASSIT;
3. **Alhaji Salieu M. Sanusi** - Proposed Board Member, Board of Trustees, NASSIT;
4. **Mr. Mohamed Salieu Bangura** - Proposed Board Member, Board of Trustees, NASSIT;
5. **Mr. Ahmed Akar Ahmed** - Proposed Board Member, Petroleum Regulatory Agency Board;
6. **Ms. Monica Kabia** - Proposed Board Member, National Commission for Children;
7. **Mr. Mohamed Kunda** - Proposed Board Member, National Commission for Children;
8. **Mr. Joseph Sedu Mans(Jr.)** - Proposed Director-General, NASSIT;
9. **Mr. Mohamed Alhaji Koroma** - Proposed Board Member, Board of Trustees, NASSIT.

The motion was seconded by **Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma**.

Contributing to the debate on the motion were the following Honourable Members:

1. Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma;
2. Hon. Hassan A. Sesay;
3. Hon. Francis A. Konuwa;
4. Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai;
5. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu - craved the indulgence of the House to accommodate Ms. Monica Kabia, the teenage nominee who was absent during the presentation of the nominees.

**Question put and Agreed to.**

The motion was unanimously ratified by the House.

**CONGRATULATORY STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER:**

**Mr. Speaker** congratulated the Presidential nominees on behalf of Honourable Members of Parliament and wished them well in their various



11:20 – 11:40 a.m.	<p>work situations, hoping that they will fulfill all expectations. He further quoted a wise saying by Thomas Jefferson – “When a man assumes a public office, he should consider himself as public property”.</p> <p><b>VIII. GOVERNMENT MOTION:</b></p> <p><b>The Minister of Finance and Economic Development</b></p> <p>Financing Agreement(Emergency Economic and Fiscal Support Development Policy Financing) between the Republic of Sierra Leone and the International Development Association, dated 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2014</p> <p>The Minister of State Finance, Mr. F.B.L. Mansaray, presented the motion to Members.</p> <p>The following Honourable Members contributed to the debate on the motion:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Hon. Hassan B. Sheriff;</li><li>2. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai;</li><li>3. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu.</li></ol> <p>The motion was unanimously ratified by the House.</p>
11:40 – 11:55 a.m.	<p><b>ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE AND LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS – HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU:</b></p> <p>The Honourable Leader reminded Members that investigation on the issue regarding the allegation by the Mayor of Kenema and some of his staff, that Parliament demanded Twenty Million Leones (Le. 20,000,000.00) during the Budget Sub-Committee meeting, would commence in Committee Room 1, immediately after the sitting and would be open to the public.</p> <p><b>ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER:</b></p> <p>Mr. Speaker announced that prior to that meeting, the following Honourable Members were to meet with him in his office :-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu - Majority Leader</li><li>2. Hon. Leonard S. Fofanah - Deputy Majority Leader</li><li>3. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai - Minority Leader</li><li>4. Hon. Ansumana Jaia Kaikai - Deputy Minority Leader</li><li>5. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda - Chief Whip</li></ol>





6. Hon. Brimah Conteh
7. Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma
8. Hon. Hassan B. Sheriff

**STANDING ORDER 23:**

1. Hon. Mohamed K. Tholley - Reminded Members that sometime ago, he brought to the attention of the House an issue regarding Five (5) Police Officers who were unfairly dismissed. He called on Mr. Speaker to look into the matter, as justice delayed is justice denied.

**MR. SPEAKER:** - Mr. Speaker told the House that he had engaged the Inspector-General on the matter who said that he was willing to face Parliament to explain.

**LEADER OF THE HOUSE:** - As a rejoinder, said that he did try to get in touch with the Chairman, Parliamentary Committee on Internal Affairs, but to no avail as he was permanently in his Chiefdom helping with the fight against Ebola.

2. **Hon. Nicholas Kamara** - Thanked the Parliamentary Management team for giving a new look to the Chamber Chairs, and the installation of a Summon Bell. He however requested that the microphones in the Chamber be upgraded.

**STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER:**

Being the last sitting for the Christmas vacation, Mr. Speaker thanked all Members and staff for the support accorded him during his tenure of office so far.

With regard to the issue of the Mayor of Kenema, he said that when it comes to matters affecting Parliament, it is an issue affecting all Members and so there is a need for investigation.

Secondly, he advised that whatever is said by the public against Parliament must be substantiated because Members of Parliament are the accredited representatives of the people, adding that Parliament is key in the administration of the State and it is very jealous of its rights.

**IX. ADJOURNMENT**

11:55 a.m.

**Mr. Speaker** adjourned the House **Sine Die**.



	<p><b>THE HOUSE ROSE AT 11:55 A.M.</b></p>
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