



FOURTH PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
SECOND SESSION, 2013/2014
THIRD MEETING OF THE HOUSE
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS



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

VP/4/2/36

TUESDAY

10TH JUNE, 2014

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:00 A.M.

	<p>I. ATTENDANCE</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. HON.ALIE JAMES N.2. HON.BAH CHERNOR R.M.3. HON.BANGURA BENNEH4. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.5. HON.BANGURA MABINTY H.6. HON.BANYA IV P.C.MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO7. HON.BOIMA IV P.C.PRINCE LAPPYA8. HON.BRIG.BOYAH KOMBA E.S. (RTD)9. HON.BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M.10. HON.BRAIMA SAMUEL H.11. HON.BROWN PATRICIA12. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.13. HON.BUNDU SONGOWA14. HON.CONTEH BRIMAH15. HON.CONTEH KARIFALA S.16. HON.CONTEH KEMOKOH17. HON.DABUNDEH AIAH DR.18. HON.DUMBUYA ALHAJI S.19. HON.EBBA TAMBA ENTOCHEMA20. HON.FATORMA SAHR21. FAWUNDU DAUDA D.22. HON.FAWUNDU SENESI23. HON.FOFANA AMADU24. HON.FOFANAH LEONARD S.
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	<p>30. HON.JAJUA ABU 31. HON.JENGO EDWARD S. 32. HON.JOHNSON DAVID 33. HON.JORKIE MOSES B. 34. HON.KABIA ISATA 35. HON.KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSA PAKI 36. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA 37. HON.KAINPUMU II P.C.ALEX M.J.J. 38. HON.KAISAMBA FRANCIS A. 39. HON.KALLON DAUDA J.B. 40. HON.KALOKO ABI 41. HON.KALOKO ALIE 42. HON.KALOKO BAI J. 43. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M. 44. HON.KAMARA ALBERT DEEN 45. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN 46. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN JERO 47. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR 48. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED 49. HON.KAMARA NICHOLAS 50. HON.KAMARA SAIDU BABAH 51. HON.KANNEH ALUSINE 52. HON.KANU ABDUL SALAAM 53. HON.KANU AMADU MOHAMED 54. HON.KARGBO ALIMAY G. 55. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M. 56. HON.KARGBO ROLAND FODAY DR. 57. HON.KEBBIE P.C.BRIMA VICTOR SIDI 58. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I. 59. HON.KONGOMOH II P.C. JOSEPH ALIE KAVURA 60. HON.KOROMA ABU BAKARR 61. HON.KOROMA DANIEL B. 62. HON.KOROMA SUALIHO MONYABA 63. HON.KOWA EMMA J. 64. HON.KPOSOWA FRANK 65. HON.KUYEMBEH HELEN 66. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE 67. HON.LUNGAY ANDREW V. 68. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA EMANUEL 69. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B.</p>
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	<p>70. HON.MANSARAY MOHAMED L. 71. HON.MANSARAY SAIDU 72. HON.MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA 73. HON.MARAH ALUSINE</p>
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	<p>74. HON.MARAH LAHAI 75. HON.MARAH REGINA 76. HON.MUNDA HABIB B. 77. HON.PEWA P.C.PRINCE MAMBU 78. HON.RADDER HENNEH HASSAN 79. HON.SALAMY BOCKARIE N. 80. HON.SALLU-LIGBU II P.C. BAI BUREH 81. HON.SANGBAH SAAH 82. HON.SANNOH SHEKU 83. HON.SESAY ABDULAI DR. 84. HON.SESAY DAN Y. 85. HON.SESAY HASSAN A. 86. HON.SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU 87. HON.SESAY VERONICA K. 88. HON.SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR. 89. HON.SILIKIE BASHIRU 90. HON.SILLAH MABINTY K. 91. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M. 92. HON.SMITH ROSALINE J. 93. HON.SONSIAMA III P.C.SHEKU A.T.FASULUKU 94. HON.CAPT.SOURIE FREDERICK S.(RTD) 95. HON.SUMAH FODAY I. DR. 96. HON.SWARAY MOSES A. 97. HON.TARA-KOROMA TAWORO DR. 98. HON.TARAWALLY UMAR PARAN 99. HON.TENGBEH SAHR 100. HON.THOLLEY MOHAMED K. 101. HON.THOMAS SEGEPOH S. 102. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B. 103. HON.TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED 104. HON.TURAY THOMAS B. 105. HON.YEK II P.C.ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA 106. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED J.</p> <p>The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:</p> <p>1. HON.BAH IBRAHIM PATEH 2. HON.KAMARA IBRAHIM 3. HON.KATTA ALFRED BRIMA 4. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.</p>
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	<p>5. HON.KOROMA AARUN ARUNA 6. HON.MBAYOH ROSKY M. 7. HON.MOMOH MOIWAI 8. HON,MUNU ALIEU BADDARA K.</p>
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	<p>9. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS E. DR. 10. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX 11. HON.SESAY KUSAN</p> <p>The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with excuse:</p> <p>1. HON.KOEDOYOMA KOMBA E. 2. HON.LAHAI BERNADETTE DR. 3. HON.ROGERS DICKSON M. 4. HON.SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO 5. HON.SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M. 6. HON.TURAY THOMAS M. DR. 7. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO</p>
<p>10:10 – 10:12 a.m.</p>	<p>II. Prayers: The Clerk of Parliament, Mr. Ibrahim Sesay said the prayers.</p> <p>Honourable Speaker - invited Madam Haja Fanta Jawara (seated in the galary)to come down to the floor of the Chamber.</p> <p>The Honourable Speaker also recognized the presence of Mr. Momodu Alieu Pat Sowe ranked as “one exceptional Minister”.</p>
<p>10:12 – 10:20 a.m.</p>	<p>III. SWEARING IN OF ELECTED MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT(THIRD SCHEDULE OF THE 1991 CONSTITUTION OF SIERRA LEONE - MR. MOHAMED J. KAMARA (CONSTITUENCY 100):</p> <p>The newly elected Member of Parliament took the oath of office administered by the Clerk of Parliament encircled by the Leaders and some Members of Parliament.</p>
<p>10:20 – 10:22 a.m.</p>	<p>IV. THE CLERK OF PARLIAMENT PRESENTED THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS TO THE NEWLY SWORN MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT:</p> <p>1. Standing Orders(S.O.); 2. The Sierra Leone Constitution of 1991;</p>

	<p>3. Bio Data Form; 4. Telephone Directory.</p> <p>The Honourable Member was then ushered to his seat in the Chamber.</p>
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<p>10:22 – 10:25 a.m.</p>	<p>V. RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PARLIAMENTARY SITTING HELD ON THURSDAY, 5TH AND FRIDAY 6TH JUNE, 2014 RESPECTIVELY:</p> <p>The motion to adopt the record of Votes and Proceedings of Thursday 5th June, 2014 was moved by Hon. Alhaji S. Dumbuya. It was seconded by Hon. Abi. Kaloko and unanimously accepted with slight amendments. That for Friday, 6th June, 2014 was moved by Hon. Mabinty K. Sillah, seconded by Hon. Alhassan Jero Kamara and unanimously accepted by Members with some amendments.</p>
<p>10:25 – 10:58 a.m.</p>	<p>VI. GOVERNMENT MOTION:</p> <p>The Attorney General and Minister of Justice.</p> <p>Be it Resolved:</p> <p>That this Honourable House ratify the following Agreement which was laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday, 27th May, 2014.</p> <p>AMENDMENT TO PETROLEUM AGREEMENT:</p> <p>The Deputy Attorney General and Minister of Justice, Mr. Arrow Bockarie presented the motion to Members of Parliament.</p> <p>Contributing to the debate on the motion were the following Honourable Members:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hon. Mohamed Sidi Tunis; 2. Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah; 3. Hon. Dr. Abdulai Sesay; 4. Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai; 5. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu. <p>The motion was unanimously accepted.</p>

<p>11:58 – 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>VII. ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE MAJORITY PARTY LEADER – HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU:</p> <p>That notwithstanding the oversight episode around the office of the Chief of Staff, the workshop for the Leadership organized by the Chief of Staff</p>
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<p>11:00 – 11:02 a.m.</p>	<p>continues after the sitting of Parliament.</p> <p>VIII. BUSINESS STATEMENT (STANDING ORDER – S.O. 16) – BY THE MAJORITY PARTY LEADER:</p> <p>That the following Business will be transacted at the next sitting of Parliament:</p> <p>GOVERNMENT MOTION:</p> <p>(a) The Minister of Fisheries and Marine Resources.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and the Government of the Russian Federation on Cooperation in the field of Fishery, dated 15th July, 2013. <p>(b) The Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto. <p>(c) The Minister of Social Welfare, Gender and Children’s Affairs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Protocol to the African Charter on Human and Peoples’ Rights on the Rights of Women in Africa, dated 11th July, 2003.
<p>11:02 – 11:04 a.m.</p>	<p>IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE LEGISLATIVE CLERK, MR. LAMIN YANSANEH:</p> <p>The following Committees were requested to meet:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Committee on Social Services, immediately after sitting at the Administrative Building; 2. Committee on Defence to meet in the office of the Deputy Majority Leader, immediately after sitting; 3. Committee on Local Government, immediately after sitting in Committee Room 2

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Committee on Water Resources, immediately after sitting in Committee Room 1; 5. Committee on Privileges and Ethics, immediately after sitting in Committee Room 1;
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<p>11:04 – 11:05 a.m.</p>	<p>6. Committee on Information and Communications to a workshop on Media Development Strategy for Sierra Leone on Wednesday 11th June, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. in the Administrative Building;</p> <p>7. Committee on Education to meet with stakeholders across the country in Parliament on Wednesday 11th June, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. and will continue till Tuesday 1st July, 2014;</p> <p>8. The Members and Staff of Parliament were informed that as part of the Africa Capacity Building Foundation (ACBF) Fund, approved in the 2014 Annual Work Plan, computer training for Members and Staff of Parliament, is scheduled for 23rd June to 4th July, 2014. Certificates will be given to successful participants.</p> <p>X. MESSAGE FROM THE CLERK OF PARLIAMENT – MR. IBRAHIM SESAY:</p> <p>That in connection with an oversight visit to ADDAX, the Chairman of the Committee on Energy was requested to see the Clerk of Parliament, immediately after sitting.</p>
<p>11:05 – 11:06 A.M.</p>	<p>XI. STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 23:</p> <p>1. Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah – told Members that, there is a time limit for the Production of the report by the Committee on Privileges and Ethics.</p> <p>2. Hon. Dr. Michel Sho-Sawyer – was concerned with the outbreak of the Ebola Disease saying the first line of defense are the Doctors and Nurses that are treating the disease. That protective gears be provided for them, including protective gloves. He added that the Minister of Health should be summoned to Parliament to explain and update Parliament on the Ministry’s preparedness.</p>
<p>11:06 -11:07 a.m.</p>	<p>XII. STATEMENT BY THE MAJORITY PARTY LEADER – HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU:</p> <p>That pursuant to section 107(2) of the 1991 Constitution Act No. 6 of Sierra Leone, the Minister of Health be summoned to give an update on the Ebola outbreak on Thursday 12th June, 2014 in the Chamber of Parliament.</p>

<p>11:07 – 11:10 a.m.</p>	<p>STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 23:</p> <p>3. Hon. Alhassan Kamara – thanked the House and the Leadership for the support he received on the death of his father and added that it has shown that the tenure of office so far by Mr. Speaker, is exceptional.</p>
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<p>11:10 A.M.</p>	<p>4. Hon. Andrew V. Lungay – that he received a disturbing phone call from London, saying that there was a television news broadcast describing Sierra Leone as a no- go area. In the light of this, the Honourable Member requested the Minister of Communications to react to this matter as investors would be discouraged from coming to Sierra Leone.</p> <p>5. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda – noting that Hon. Abu Jajua had lost a family member to Ebola, asked whether he was under surveillance.</p> <p>6. Hon. Abu Jajua – on a somber note that he lost a second sister the previous day in Daru, and that he was also putting strategy in place in his Constituency to tackle the outbreak of the Ebola disease.</p> <p>XIII. ADJOURNMENT:</p> <p>Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday, 12th June, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">THE HOUSE ROSE AT 11:10 A.M.</p>
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