



**FOURTH PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FOURTH SESSION, 2015/2016
THIRD MEETING OF THE HOUSE
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**



THE RT. HONOURABLE SPEAKER, S.B.B. DUMBUYA IN THE CHAIR

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WEDNESDAY

20TH JULY, 2016

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:28 A.M.

I. ATTENDANCE:

THE FOLLOWING HON. MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:

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| 1. HON. ALIE JAMES N. | (CONST. 81 – MOYAMBA DIST.) |
| 2. HON. BAH CHERNOR R.M. | (CONST. 110 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 3. HON. BANGURA BENNEH | (CONST. 55 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 4. HON. BANGURA IBRAHIM M. | (CONST. 31 – BOMBALI DIST.) |
| 5. HON. BANGURA MABINTY H. | (CONST. 42 – KAMBIA DIST.) |
| 6. HON. BOIMA IV P.C. PRINCE LAPPYA | (BO DIST.) |
| 7. HON. BRIG. BOYAH KOMBA E.S.(RTD) | (CONST. 26 – KONO DIST) |
| 8. HON. BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M. | (CONST. 02 – KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 9. HON. BUNDU IBRAHIM R. | (CONST. 52 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 10. HON. CONTEH BRIMAH | (CONST. 79 – BONTHE DIST.) |
| 11. HON. CONTEH KARIFALA S. | (CONST. 98 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 12. HON. CONTEH KEMOKOH | (CONST. 94 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 13. HON. CONTEH OSMAN KARANKAY | (CONST. 50 - PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 14. HON. DANCAY-BANGURA PATRICIA U. | (CONST. 37 – KAMBIA DIST.) |
| 15. HON. DUMBUYA ALHAJI S. | (CONST. 49 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 16. HON. FOFANA LEONARD S. | (CONST. 15 - KENEMA DIST.) |
| 17. HON. FUNNA MABINTY | (CONST. 65 – TONKOLILI DIST.) |
| 18. HON. GBAPPY-BRIMA GLADYS GBEMOH | (CONST. 82 – MOYAMBA DIST.) |
| 19. HON. HASSAN SHERRIF B. | (CONST. 53 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 20. HON. JABBI BU-BUAKEI DR. | (CONST. 08 KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 21. HON. JAJUA ABU | (CONST. 07 – KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 22. HON. JENGO EDWARD S. | (CONST. 83 – MOYAMBA DIST.) |
| 23. HON. JOHNSON DAVID | (CONST. 111 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 24. HON. KAIKAI ANSUMANA J. | (CONST. 87 – PUJEHUN DIST.) |
| 25. HON. KAINPUMU II P.C. ALEX M.J.J. | (BONTHE DIST.) |
| 26. HON. KAISAMBA FRANCIS A. | (CONST. 10 – KENEMA DIST.) |
| 27. HON. KALLON DAUDA J.B. | (CONST. 93 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 28. HON. KALOKO ABI | (CONST. 51 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 29. HON. KALOKO ALIE | (CONST. 102 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 30. HON. KALOKO BAI J. | (CONST. 64 – TONKOLILI DIST.) |
| 31. HON. KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M. | (CONST. 95 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 32. HON. KAIKAI NAVO | (CONST. 01 - KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 33. HON. KAMARA ALBERT DEEN | (CONST. 34 – BOMBALI DIST.) |
| 34. HON. KAMARA ALHASSAN | (CONST. 96 – WESTERN URBAN) |

35. HON. KAMARA IBRAHIM	(CONST. 105 – WESTERN URBAN)
36. HON. KAMARA MOHAMED	(CONST. 60 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
37. HON. KAMARA MOHAMED J.	(CONST. 100 – WESTERN URBAN)
38. HON. KAMARA NICHOLAS	(CONST. 54 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
39. HON. KAMARA SAIDU BABAH	(CONST. 58 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
40. HON. KANU ABDUL SALAAM	(CONST. 101 – WESTERN URBAN)
41. HON. KANU AMADU MOHAMED	(CONST. 86 – MOYAMBA DIST.)
42. HON. KARGBO IBRAHIM BEN	(CONST. 30 – BOMBALI DIST.)
43. HON. KARGBO ROLAND F. DR.	(CONST. 36 – BOMBALI DIST.)
44. HON. KATTA ALFRED BRIMA	(CONST. 77 – BO DIST.)
45. HON. KEBBIE P.C. BRIMA VICTOR SIDI	(PUJEHUN DIST.)
46. HON. KOEDOYOMA KOMBA E.	(CONST. 27 – KONO DIST.)
47. HON. KONGOMOH II P.C JOSEPH KAVURA	(MOYAMBA DIST.)
48. HON. KOROMA AARON A.	(CONST. 62 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
49. HON. KOROMA ABU BAKAR	(CONST. 57 – PORT LOKO DIST)
50. HON. KOROMA DANIEL B.	(CONST. 46 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
51. HON. KOROMA SULAIHO M.	(CONST. 67-BO DIST.)
52. HON. KOWA EMMA J.	(CONST. 76 – BO DIST.)
53. HON. KOWA FRANCIS E.	(CONST. 107 – WESTERN URBAN)
54. HON. KPOSOWA FRANK	(CONST. 71 – BO DIST.)
55. HON. KUYEMBEH HELEN	(CONST. 75- BO DIST.)
56. HON. LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE	(CONST. 104 – WESTERN URBAN)
57. HON. MANSARAY JUSUFU B.	(CONST. 73 – BO DIST.)
58. HON. MANSARAY MOHAMED L.	(CONST. 47 – KOINADUGU DIST)
59. HON. MANSARAY SAIDU	(CONST. 11 – KENEMA DIST.)
60. HON. MARAH ALUSINE	(CONST. 44 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
61. HON. MARAH LAHAI	(CONST. 45 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
62. HON. MARAH REGINA	(CONST. 05 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
63. HON. MBAYO ROSKY M.	(CONST. 24 – KONO DIST.)
64. HON. MOMOH MOIWAI	(CONST. 06 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
65. HON. MUNU ALIEU BADARA K.	(CONST. 38 – KAMBIA DIST.)
66. HON. PEWA P.C. PRINCE MAMBU	(KENEMA DIST.)
67. HON. RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN	(CONST. 41 – KAMBIA DIST.)
68. HON. SANGBAH SAAH	(CONST. 22 – KONO DIST.)
69. HON. SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX	(CONST. 97 – WESTER N URBAN)
70. HON. SANNOH SHEKU	(CONST. 112 – WESTERN URBAN)
71. HON. SESAY DAN Y.	(CONST. 32 – BOMBALI DIST.)
72. HON. SESAY HASSAN A.	(CONST. 59 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
73. HON. SESAY KUSAN	(CONST. 43 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
74. HON. SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU	(CONST. 29 – BOMBALI DIST.)
75. HON. SILIKIE BASHIRU	(CONST. 72 – BO DIST.)
76. HON. SISAY SULAIMAN M.	(CONST. 33 – BOMBALI DIST.)
77. HON. CAPT. SOURIE FREDERICK S. (RTD)	(CONST. 23 – KONO DIST.)
78. HON. SUMAH FODAY I. DR.	(CONST. 40 – KAMBIA DIST.)
79. HON. SWARAY MOSES A.	(CONST. 74 – BO DIST.)
80. HON. TENGBEH SAHR	(CONST. 03 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
81. HON. TUCKER TOM I.	(CONST. 25 – KONO DIST.)
82. HON. TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED	(CONST. 91 – PUJEHUN DIST.)

83. HON. YOKIE FODAY RADO (CONST. 68 – BO DIST.)
 84. HON. TURAY THOMAS B. (CONST. 35 – BOMBALI DIST.)

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:

1. HON. DABUNDEH AIAH DR. (CONST. 20 – KONO DIST)
2. HON. JORKIE MOSES B (CONST. 80 – BONTHE DIST
3. HON. EBBA-TAMBA ENTOCHEMA (CONST. 21 – KONO DIST.)
4. HON. KAMARA KOMBOR (CONST. 56 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
5. HON. KANNEH ALUSINE (CONST. 19 – KENEMA DIST.)
6. HON. KAMARA ALHASSA JERO (CONST. 48 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
7. HON. KARGBO PATRICK L.M. (CONST. 39 – KAMBIA DIST.)
8. HON. KONUWA FRANCIS A. (CONST. 14 – KENEMA DIST.)
9. HON. MUNDA HABIB B. (CONST. 17 – KENEMA DIST.)
10. HON. SALAMY BOCKARIE N. (CONST. 09 – KENEMA DIST.)
11. HON. SESAY VERONOICA K. (CONST. 85 MOYAMBA DIST.)
12. HON. SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR. (CONST. 108 – WESTERN URBAN)
13. HON. SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M. (CONST. 84 – MOYAMBA DIST.)
14. HON. TARA-KOROMA TAWORO (CONST. 66 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
15. HON. TARAWALLY UMAR PARAN (CONST. 69 – BO DIST.)
16. HON. THOLLEY MOHAMED K. (CONST. 70 – BO DIST.)
17. HON. THOMAS SEGEPOH S. (CONST. 78 – BONTHE DIST.)

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:

1. HON. BAH IBRAHIM PATEH (CONST. 92 – WESTERN RURAL)
2. HON. FATORMA SAHR (CONST. 04 – KAILAHUN)
3. HON. FOFANA AMADU (CONST.109 – WESTERN URBAN)
4. HON. BUNDU SONGOWA (CONST. 61 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
5. HON. BRAIMA SAMUEL H. (CONST. 16 – KENEMA DIST.)
6. HON. FAWUNDU DAUDA D. (CONST. 88 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
7. HONFAWUNDU SENESI (CONST. 90 PUJEHUN DIST)
8. HON. KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSA PAKI (BOMBALI DIST.)
9. HON. KARGBO ALIMAMY G. (CONST. 99 – WESTERN URBAN)
10. HON. BANYA IV P.C. MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO (KAILAHUN DIST.)
11. HON. LUNGAY ANDREW V. (CONST. 12 – KENEMA DIST.)
12. HON. KEMOKAI LANSANA I. (CONST. 18 – KENEMA DIST.)
13. HON. LAHAI BERNADETTE DR. (CONST. 13 – KENEMA DIST.)
14. HON. MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA E. (CONST. 106 – WESTERN URBAN)
15. HON. MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA (KOINADUGU DIST.)
16. HON. ROGERS DICKSON M. (CONST. 89 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
17. HON. SALLU-LUGBU III P.C. BAI BUREH (PORT LOKO DIST.)
18. HON. SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO (TONKOLILI DIST.)
19. HON. SESAY ABDULAI DR. (CONST. 63 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
20. HON. SILLAH MABINTY K. (CONST. 28 – BOMBALI DIST.)
21. HON. SMITH ROSALINE J. (CONST. 103 – WESTERN URBAN)
22. HON. YEK II P.C. ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA (KAMBIA DIST.)

I. **PRAYERS:** The Clerk of Parliament, **Mr. Ibrahim S. Sesay**, said the prayer.

II. **SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER 5(2) AT 10:30 A.M.**

Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda , (Const. 95 – Western Rural Dist.), moved the suspension of Standing Order 5(2). It was seconded by **Hon. Benneh Bangura** (Const. 55 – Port Loko Dist.), and unanimously approved by the House.

III. **RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR TUESDAY 12TH AND TUESDAY 19TH JULY, 2016**

The motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 12th July, 2016, was moved by **Hon. Lahai Marah** (Const. 45 – Koinadugu Dist.), seconded by **Hon. Kusan Sesay** (Const. 31 – Koinadugu Dist.), and unanimously adopted by the House with some amendments.

The motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday, 19th July, 2016, was moved by **Hon. Ibrahim M. Bangura** (Const. 31 – Bombali Dist.), seconded by **Hon. Frank Kposowa** (Const. 71 – Bo Dist.), and unanimously adopted by the House with an amendment.

IV. **PAPERS LAID:**

a) **HON. CHERNOR R.M. BAH**

DEPUTY SPEAKER OF PARLIAMENT AND LEADER OF THE ECOWAS DELEGATION

REPORT OF THE PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION TO THE ECOWAS PARLIAMENT ON THE 2016 FIRST ORDINARY SESSION OF THE ECOWAS PARLIAMENT, HELD IN ABUJA, NIGERIA FROM MONDAY 16TH TO TUESDAY 31ST MAY, 2016.

Laid by **the Hon. Chernor R. M. Bah** Deputy Speaker and Leader of the ECOWAS Delegation.

b) **THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE**

SECOND AMENDMENT AGREEMENT TO THE PETROLEUM AGREEMENT OF 23RD APRIL, 2010 BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE AND THE EUROPEAN HYDROCARBONS LIMITED, DATED 24TH NOVEMBER 2015.

Laid by the Deputy Minister, **Mr. Arrow A. Bockarie**.

V. AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER BY THE MAJORITY LEADER AND LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS-

The Order Paper was amended by the **Majority Leader, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu (Const. 52 – Port Loko Dist.)**, to insert a new agenda item, to read as **item No. V; GOVERNMENT MOTION BY THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE**

VI. MOTION OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE

PROPOSER: HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU (CONST. 52 – PORT LOKO DIST.) (MAJORITY LEADER AND LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS)

SECONDER: HON. LEONARD S. FOFANAH (CONST. 15 – KENEMA DIST.) (DEPUTY MAJORITY LEADER)

BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT THE TWELFTH REPORT OF THE FOURTH 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, **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu**, presented the Twelfth Report of the Fourth Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service and the recommendations contained therein on the following presidential nominees.

- i. **Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Greene** – Proposed Member, Corporate Affairs Commission.
- ii. **Mr. Mohamed Pateh Bah** – Proposed Executive Director, National Youth Service.
- iii. **Mr. Ibrahim Sorie Kamara** – Proposed Deputy Executive Director, National Youth Service.

QUESTION PROPOSED

The following Hon. Members spoke to the motion:

1. **Hon. Leonard S. Fofanah** (Const. 15 – Kenema Dist.)
2. **Hon. Mustapha M. Brima** (Const. 02 – Kailahun Dist.)
3. **Hon. Mabinty H. Bangura** (Const. 42 – Kambia Dist.)
4. **Hon. P.C. Joseph Ali-Kavura Kongomoh** (Moyamba Dist.)

5. **Hon. Bai J. kaloko** (Const. 64 – tonkolili Dist.)
6. **Hon. Moiwai Momoh** (Const. 06 – Kailahun Dist.)
7. **Hon. Edward S. Jengo** (Const. 83 – Moyamba Dist.)
8. **Hon. Ibrahim Ben Kargbo** (Const. 30 – Bombali Dist.)
9. **Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai** (Acting Minority Leader) (Const. 87 – Pujehun Dist.)
10. **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu** (Majority Leader) (Const. 52 – Port Loko Dist.)

SUSPENSION OF S.O 5(2) AT 12 NOON: FOR THE PROCEEDINGS TO CONTINUE DURING LUNCH TIME.

Moved by **Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda (Const. 95 – Western Rural Dist.)**, seconded by Hon. Sulaiman M. Sisay (Const. 33 – Bombali Dist.) and unanimously approved by the House.

CONTINUED DEBATE

Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu (Majority Leader) (Const. 52 – Port Loko Dist.)

QUESTION PUT AND AGREED TO

The motion was unanimously ratified

VII. CONGRATULATORY STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER

The Rt. Hon. Speaker congratulated the newly appointed nominees and wished them well in their endeavours.

VIII. GOVERNMENT MOTION

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND MINISTER OF JUSTICE

BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT THIS HONOURABLE HOUSE RATIFY THE FOLLOWING AGREEMENT WHICH WAS LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE ON WEDNESDAY 20TH JULY, 2016:

SECOND AMENDMENT AGREEMENT TO THE PETROLEUM AGREEMENT OF 23RD APRIL 2010 BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE AND THE EUROPEAN HYDROCARBONS LIMITED, DATED 24TH NOVEMBER 2015.

The Deputy Minister, **Mr. Arrow A. Bockarie**, presented the motion to the House and moved its ratification.

QUESTION PROPOSED

The following Hon. Members spoke to the motion.

1. **Hon. Sidi M. Tunis** (Const. 91 – Pujehun Dist.)
2. **Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai** (Const. 87 – Pujehun Dist.)
3. **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu** (Const. 52 – Port Loko Dist.)

The Deputy Minister of Justice responded to the issues raised and moved again its ratification.

QUESTION PUT AND AGREED TO

The motion was unanimously ratified.

IX. STANDING ORDER 23-

Hon. Daniel B. Koroma – Expressed his sincere thanks and appreciation to His Excellency the President, **Dr. Ernest Bai Koroma**, and his Government on behalf of himself and his constituents, for the enormous developments in his constituency which includes the construction of two important bridges and roads.

Hon. Alhaji S. Dumbuya – Overruled

Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma – Informed the House that a member of the public by the name of **Amie Sam**, physically attacked him and she was almost stabbed in a meeting at NPPA. She had previously attacked him on phone call six months ago. He said he feared for the insecurity of Members of Parliament, reminding the House of the late Hon. Jo Cox, who died by a direct attack by a member of the public. He called on the Leaders of the House to engage the security sector to provide security for MPs.

Majority Leader, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu – On behalf of himself wished Hon. Members of Parliament a wonderful vacation.

Welcome Address to New MPs by Mr. Speaker

The Rt. Hon. Speaker once more, on behalf of Parliament, formally welcomed

the newly-sworn Members, **Hon. Osman Karankay Conteh of Const. 50 – Port Loko Dist.**, and **Hon. Navo Kaikai of Const. 01 – Kailahun Dist.**, to the Honourable Society of parliamentarians. The two Members took and subscribed to the oath of office on Tuesday, 19th July, 2016. He advised them to work effectively and honourably, and that they should always remember who they are so that it would reflect on their work. He further explained that parliament is a fraternity; in other words all MPs should consider themselves as one in parliament.

X. ANNOUNCEMENTS- BY THE TABLE CLERK, MR. LAMIN YANSANEH

1. Members of Parliament were invited by the National Electoral Commission (NEC), to observe a demonstration on the boundary delimitation process at the office of Statistics Sierra Leone, immediately after adjournment.
2. The Parliamentary Committee on Lands, Country Planning and the Environment, informed all Members of Parliament who have received offer letters for the lease of state land from the Ministry of Lands to kindly deposit or make available photocopies of their offer letters to the Clerk of Committee on Lands, in Room No. 111, Admin Building, not later than Friday, 22nd July, 2016. For more clarification, please contact the Deputy Chairperson or the Committee Clerk.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

The Rt. Hon. Speaker adjourned the House **Sine die**

The House rose at 2:40 p.m