



FIFTH PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FIRST SESSION, 2018/2019
SECOND MEETING OF PARLIAMENT
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS



THE RT. HONOURABLE SPEAKER, DR. ABASS CHERNOR BUNDU IN THE CHAIR

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THURSDAY

18TH OCTOBER, 2018.

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:40 A.M.

I. ATTENDANCE

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:

1. HON. ABDULAI OSMAN CHARLES (CONST. 079 BO DIST.)
2. HON. ALHADI LIHADI (CONST. 123 WESTERN URBAN)
3. HON. ALU-CONTEH ALUSINE KAINDE (CONST. 125 WESTERN URBAN)
4. HON. AMARA HAJA MIATTA (CONST. 112 WESTERN RURAL)
5. HON. ANSUMANA ALOYSIOUS BOCKARIE (CONST. 005 KAILAHUN DIST.)
6. HON. ARUNA MASSAY NGAHINTEH (CONST. 085 BO DIST.)
7. HON. BAH CHERNOR R.M. (CONST. 126 WESTERN URBAN)
8. HON. BANGURA CECILIA MABINTY (CONST. 065 KARENE DIST.)
9. HON. BANGURA HARIYATU ARIANA (CONST. 116 WESTERN URBAN)
10. HON. BANGURA IBRAHIM AZIZ (CONST. 076 PORT LOKO DIST.)
11. HON. BANGURA MOHAMED (CONST. 066 KARENE DIST.)
12. HON. BANYA SARTY (CONST. 004 KAILAHUN DIST.)
13. HON. BHENDU SAA FRANCIS (CONST. 027 KONO DIST.)
14. HON. BOCKARIE MOMOH (CONST. 012 KENEMA DIST.)
15. HON. BUBU NGBAK IV P.C BAI FARAMA TASS (KAMBIA DIST.)
16. HON. CHARLES SAHR (CONST. 028 KONO DIST.)
17. HON. CONTEH EMMANUEL SAIDU (CONST. 129 WESTERN URBAN)
18. HON. CONTEH IBRAHIM (CONST. 053 TONKOLILI DIST.)
19. HON. CONTEH IBRAHIM TAWA (CONST. 132 WESTERN URBAN)
20. HON. CONTEH JOHN CHARLES (CONST. 031 BOMBALI DIST.)
21. HON. CONTEH SAMBA PAUL (CONST. 035 BOMBALI DIST.)
22. HON. DAVIES KHADIJATU (CONST. 110 WESTERN RURAL)
23. HON. EDWIN MOSES ANDREW (CONST. 090 BONTHE DIST.)
24. HON. FOFANAH ABUBAKARR (CONST. 016 KENEMA DIST.)
25. HON. FOFANAH MUSA (CONST. 023 KONO DIST.)
26. HON. GBEREH III P.C. BAI SHEBORA SHEBA (PORT LOKO DIST.)
27. HON. GEORGE EDWARD (CONST. 097 MOYAMBA DIST.)
28. HON. GEVAO HINDOLO MOIWO (CONST. 003 KAILAHUN DIST.)
29. HON. GONDOR II P.C. FORAY CYRIL (KAILAHUN DIST.)
30. HON. HAFIJU MAADA KANJA (RTD. CAPT.) (CONST. 018 KENEMA DIST.)
31. HON. JALLOH MUSA BAMBA FORAY (CONST. 056 TONKOLILI DIST.)
32. HON. JALLOH OSMAN WURIE (CONST. 109 WESTERN RURAL)
33. HON. JORKIE MOSES BAIMBA (CONST. 091 BONTHE DIST.)
34. HON. KABBA LAMIN FODAY (CONST. 044 KOINADUGU DIST.)



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35. HON. KABIA MOHAMED	(CONST. 106 WESTERN RURAL)
36. HON. KASAMBA FRANCIS AMARA	(CONST. 020 KENEMA DIST.)
37. HON. KALOKOH MARK MAHMOUD (DR.)	(CONST. 032 BOMBALI DIST.)
38. HON. KAMANDA KOMBA MANSAMAYO	(CONST. 024 KONO DIST.)
39. HON. KAMARA ABDUL KARIM	(CONST. 059 KAMBIA DIST.)
40. HON. KAMARA ABDUL KARIM	(CONST. 069 PORT LOKO DIST.)
41. HON. KAMARA ABDUL TITUS	(CONST. 061 KAMBIA DIST.)
42. HON. KAMARA ALHASSAN JERO	(CONST. 040 FALABA DIST.)
43. HON. KAMARA ALIMAMY O.	(CONST. 078 BO DIST.)
44. HON. KAMARA ALUSINE BASH	(CONST. 067 KARENE DIST.)
45. HON. KAMARA ALUSINE OSAIO	(CONST. 058 KAMBIA DIST.)
46. HON. KAMARA BAI SAMA	(CONST. 060 KAMBIA DIST.)
47. HON. KAMARA FODAY MARIO	(CONST. 057 KAMBIA DIST.)
48. HON. KAMARA IBRAHIM	(CONST. 063 KARENE DIST.)
49. HON. KAMARA IBRAHIM BUN(DR.)	(CONST. 068 PORT LOKO DIST.)
50. HON. KAMARA JOSEPH ABDUL BASH	(CONST. 084 BO DIST.)
51. HON. KAMARA MOMOH	(CONST. 120 WESTERN URBAN)
52. HON. KAMARA REBECCA YEI	(CONST. 029 KONO DIST.)
53. HON. KAMARA SAIDU BABAH	(CONST. 071 PORT LOKO DIST.)
54. HON. KANNEH ALUSINE	(CONST. 013 KENEMA DIST.)
55. HON. KANNEH MOHAMED	(CONST. 006 KAILAHUN DIST.)
56. HON. KANU ALIMAMY BRUN	(CONST. 072 PORT LOKO DIST.)
57. HON. KANU RUGIATU ROSY	(CONST. 113 WESTERN URBAN)
58. HON. KARGBO ABDUL	(CONST. 077 PORT LOKO DIST.)
59. HON. KARGBO FODAY ROLAND (DR.)	(CONST. 064 KARENE DIST.)
60. HON. KARGBO IBRAHIM BEN	(CONST. 034 BOMBALI DIST.)
61. HON. KARGBO JOHN SATTIE	(CONST. 111 WESTERN RURAL)
62. HON. KARGBO PAPA ABDULAI	(CONST. 047 TONKOLILI DIST.)
63. HON. KASSEGBAMA AIAH DAVID SHEK	(CONST. 026 KONO DIST.)
64. HON. KEMOKAI ABU	(CONST. 103 PUJEHUN DIST.)
65. HON. KOROMA ABDUL KARIM	(CONST. 070 PORT LOKO DIST.)
66. HON. KOROMA DANIEL BRIMA	(CONST. 046 KOINADUGU DIST.)
67. HON. KOROMA MANUEL ALLIEU	(CONST. 036 BOMBALI DIST.)
68. HON. KOROMA MEAMA KAJUE VI P.C. FATMATA HAJA BINTU	(MOYAMBA DIST.)
69. HON. KOROMA UNPHA SORIE GBASSAY(DR.)	(CONST. 114 WESTERN URBAN)
70. HON. KOROMA YAMBA PETER	(CONST. 033 BOMBALI DIST.)
71. HON. KUMABEH ALICE JEBBEH	(CONST. 092 BONTHE DIST.)
72. HON. LAHAI MUSA	(CONST. 009 KAILAHUN DIST.)
73. HON. LAMINA EMERSON SAA	(CONST. 030 KONO DIST.)
74. HON. LANSANA FESTUS MOHAMED	(CONST. 015 KENEMA DIST.)
75. HON. P.C. LANSANA- MINAH MATILDA YAYU	(PUJEHUN DIST.)
76. HON. LAVALIE -TSHOMBE DOMINIC JAYBEH	(CONST. 098 MOYAMBA DIST.)
77. HON. MACAVORAY III P.C. KANGBAI JOE	(BO DIST.)
78. HON. MACKERY YUSUF	(CONST. 087 BO DIST.)



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80. HON. MANSARAY ABU	(CONST. 074 PORT LOKO DIST.)
81. HON. MANSARAY AHMED	(CONST. 121 WESTERN URBAN)
82. HON. MANSARAY BRIMA	(CONST. 017 KENEMA DIST.)
83. HON. MANSARAY MOMODU ESKIMO	(CONST. 043 KOINADUGU DIST.)
84. HON. MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA	(KOINADUGU DIST.)
85. HON. MARAH III P.C. FASALIE KULAKO DEMBA	(FALABA DIST.)
86. HON. MARAH LAHAI	(CONST. 042 FALABA DIST.)
87. HON. MBRIWA II P.C. SAHR YOUNGAI KONTANDAY	(KONO DIST.)
88. HON. MOIGUA PETER MUSA	(CONST. 011 KENEMA DIST.)
89. HON. MUNDA BOSTON	(CONST. 021 KENEMA DIST.)
90. HON. NYUMA MATHEW SAHR	(CONST. 019 KENEMA DIST.)
91. HON. PANDA SAMUEL GENEWAI	(CONST. 010 KAILAHUN DIST.)
92. HON. PEWA P.C. PRINCE MAMBU	(KENEMA DIST.)
93. HON. RAHMAN-COKER MOHAMED SHERIFF	(CONST. 131 WESTERN URBAN)
94. HON. ROGERS ALEX MATTIA	(CONST. 102 PUJEHUN DIST.)
95. HON. ROGERS DICKSON MOMOH	(CONST. 100 PUJEHUN DIST.)
96. HON. ROLLINGS-KAMARA SIRAJIN MUNIRR	(CONST. 127 WESTERN URBAN)
97. HON. SALIA -KONNEH QUINTIN	(CONST. 007 KAILAHUN DIST.)
98. HON. SAMA SHIACA MUSA	(CONST. 104 PUJEHUN DIST.)
99. HON. SAM PAUL SAA	(CONST. 025 KONO DIST.)
100. HON. SANDY ISHMAIL SAMA	(CONST. 080 BO DIST.)
101. HON. SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO	(TONKOLILI DIST.)
102. HON. SANKOH HASSAN	(CONST. 049 TONKOLILI DIST.)
103. HON. SELLU MUSTAPHA MUSA	(CONST. 095 MOYAMBA DIST.)
104. HON. SESAY ABDOUL HASSAN	(CONST. 050 TONKOLILI DIST.)
105. HON. SESAY ABDUL LATIF	(CONST. 075 PORT LOKO DIST.)
106. HON. SESAY ABDULAI (DR.)	(CONST. 052 TONKOLILI DIST.)
107. HON. SESAY II P.C. KANDEH WUSU	(KARENE DIST.)
108. HON. SESAY KUSAN	(CONST. 045 KOINADUGU DIST.)
109. HON. SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU	(CONST. 038 BOMBALI DIST.)
110. HON. SESAY VERONICA KADIE	(CONST. 094 MOYAMBA DIST.)
111. HON. SHAW MOHAMED BILLOH	(CONST. 039 FALABA DIST.)
112. HON. SHERIFF III P.C. ALIE BADARA	(BONTHE DIST.)
113. HON. SILLAH ABUBAKARR FODAY	(CONST. 128 WESTERN URBAN)
114. HON. SONGA BERNADETTE WUYATTA	(CONST. 008 KAILAHUN DIST.)
115. HON. TARAWALIE ISAAC	(CONST. 118 WESTERN URBAN)
116. HON. TARAWALLY ZAINAB CATHERINE	(CONST. 037 BOMBALI DIST.)
117. HON. THOLLEY JAMES OZAN	(CONST. 054 TONKOLILI DIST.)
118. HON. TONGI EMILIA LOLLOH	(CONST. 001 KAILAHUN DIST.)
119. HON. TUCKER TOM ISSIC	(CONST. 022 KONO DIST.)
120. HON. TURAY ABDUL	(CONST. 105 WESTERN RURAL)
121. HON. TURAY AHMED SAMBA	(CONST. 073 PORT LOKO DIST.)
122. HON. TURAY ALHAJI SORIEBA	(CONST. 051 TONKOLILI DIST.)



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123. HON. TURAY SHEKU MUNIRR (DR.)	(CONST. 099 PUJEHUN DIST.)
124. HON. TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED	(CONST. 101 PUJEHUN DIST.)
125. HON. VANDY CHRISTOPHA KEIKURA	(CONST. 088 BO DIST.)
126. HON. WILLIAMS-LAMIN JOSEPH	(CONST. 081 BO DIST.)
127. HON. YUMKELLA KANDEH KOLLEH (DR.)	(CONST. 062 KAMBIA DIST.)

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:

1. HON. BAH ALPHA AMADU	(CONST. 115 WESTERN URBAN)
2. HON. CONTEH KEMOKOH	(CONST. 108 WESTERN RURAL)
3. HON. FEFEGULA SIMEON	(CONST. 096 MOYAMBA DIST.)
4. HON. FINOH III P.C.KANDEH	(BOMBALI DIST.)
5. HON. FOFANAH ABU BAKARR	(CONST. 107 WESTERN RURAL)
6. HON. JALLOH TIMBO WUROH	(CONST. 119 WESTERN URBAN)
7. HON. JUANA SAHR EGBINDA	(CONST. 002 KAILAHUN DIST.)
8. HON. KASIM-CAREW MOHAMED SHERIFF	(CONST. 122 WESTERN URBAN)
9. HON. KOROMA AARON ARUNA	(CONST. 048 TONKOLILI DIST.)
10. HON. LEBBY AMBROSE MAADA	(CONST. 083 BO DIST.)
11. HON. LEBBIE NENNEH	(CONST. 086 BO DIST.)
12. HON. MARAH ALUSINE	(CONST. 041 FALABA DIST.)
13. HON. SAMURA HAJARATU FAITH	(CONST. 117 WESTERN URBAN)
14. HON. TIMBO OSMAN ABDAL	(CONST. 130 WESTERN URBAN)

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:

1. HON. BANGURA ROSEMARIE	(CONST. 055 TONKOLILI DIST.)
2. HON. KANU AMADU	(CONST. 093 MOYAMBA DIST.)
3. HON. MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA EMANUEL	(CONST. 124 WESTERN URBAN)
4. HON. SILIKIE BASHIRU	(CONST. 082 BO DIST.)
5. HON. THOMAS SOLOMON SEGEPOH	(CONST. 089 BONTHE DIST.)



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II. PRAYERS: The Table Clerk, **Fatmata Bintu Weston**, said the prayer.

III. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER 5(2) AT 10: 40 A.M. FOR COMMENCEMENT OF PROCEEDINGS

Hon. Dickson M. Rogers (Const. 100 – Pujehun Dist.) moved the suspension of Standing Order 5(2). It was seconded By **Hon. Alusine Kanneh (Const. 013 – Kenema Dist.)** and approved by the House.

IV. AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER BY THE LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

The Leader of Government Business, **Hon. Sidie M. Tunis**, moved for the amendment of the Order Paper to include a new agenda item to be read as “**VI. ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNANCE**”. It was seconded by **Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah**, Leader of the Opposition.

QUESTION PUT AND AGREED TO

The motion was carried.

V. RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THURSDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, 2018.

The motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Thursday, 11th October, 2018, was moved by **Hon. Alusine Kanneh (Const. 013 - Kenema Dist.)**, seconded by **Hon. Alice Jebbeh Kumabeh (Const. 092 – Bonthe Dist.)** and adopted by the House with some amendments.

VI. PAPERS LAID:

(a) THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN, PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

- i. PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT ON THE MANAGEMENT OF HEALTHCARE WATES AT REGIONAL REFERAL HOSPITALS BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SANITATION (MOHS) –**



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- ii. **PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT ON THE MANAGEMENT OF SCHOOL FACILITIES BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MEST) – OCTOBER, 2018.**
- iii. **PERFORMANCE AUDIT REPORT ON THE MANAGEMENT OF FERTILIZER SCHEME BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE FORESTRY AND FOOD SECURITY (MAFFS) – OCTOBER, 2018.**

Laid by the Deputy Chairman, **Hon. Lahai Marah.**

(b) THE LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS.

THE OMBUDSMAN ANNUAL REPORT, 2017.

Laid by the Leader of Government Business, **Hon. Sidie M. Tunis.**

(c) THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES AND MARINE RESOURCES.

THE FISHERIES (FEE) REGULATIONS, 2018.

THE FISHERIES AND ACUACULTURE ACT, 2017

(ACT NO. 10 OF 2017).

Laid by the Minister, **Hon. Emma J. Kowa.**

VII. MR. SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker reminded the Leader of the Opposition to inform the House about his response on the pledge he made on the *free quality education*. After being briefed in camera, Mr. Speaker deferred the response after exhausting agenda items on the order Paper.

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

PROPOSER: HON. SIDIE M. TUNIS (CONST. 101 – PUJHUN DIST.) (CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE).

SECONDER: HON. MATHEW S. NYUMA (CONST. 019 – KENEMA DIST.) (DEPUTY COMMITTEE



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CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE).

BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT THE FOURTEENTH REPORT OF THE FIRST SESSION OF THE FOURTH PARLIAMENT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE BE ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE AND THAT THE RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED THEREIN BE APPROVED.

The Committee Chairman, **Hon. Sidie M. Tunis**, presented the Fourteenth Report of the First Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service to the House and the recommendations contained therein on the following Presidential nominees:

- i. Mr. Amara Halim Jambai Kanneh – Proposed Director-General, Sierra Leone Roads Authority (SLRA).**
- ii. Ms. Joyce Wuyah Abu – Proposed Deputy Commissioner, National Commission for Children.**
- iii. Mr. Martin A. Foday – Proposed Board of Trustees, Conservation Trust Fund.**
- iv. Mr. Shaka Ahmed Mansaray – Proposed Deputy Commissioner, Sierra Leone Insurance Commission.**
- v. Ms. Cecilia Mahota Demby – Proposed Member, Board of Directors, Bank of Sierra Leone.**

QUESTION PROPOSED

The following Hon. Members spoke to the motion:

- 1. Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma (Const. 019 – Kenema Dist.)**
- 2. Hon. Bernadette Wuyatta Songa (Const. 008 – Kailahun Dist.)**
- 3. Hon. Shiaka Musa Sama (Const. 104 – Pujehun Dist.)**
- 4. Hon. Sirajin Munirr Rollings-Kamara (Const. 127 – Western Urban Dist.)**
- 5. Hon. Kadijatu Davies (Const. 110 – Western Rural Dist.)**
- 6. Hon. Alice Jebbeh Kumabeh (Const. 092 – Bonthe Dist.)**

MR. SPEAKER ADJOURNED THE HOUSE AT 12 NOON FOR LUNCH



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THE HOUSE RESUMED AT 1:00 P.M.

Continued debate

Hon. Alice Jebbeh Kumabeh

7. **Hon. Rtd. Capt. Maada Kanjia Hafiju (Const. 018 – Kenema Dist.)**
8. **Hon. Hassan A. Sesay (Const. 050 – Tonkolili Dist.)**
9. **Hon. Ibrahim Ben Kargbo (Const 034 – Bombali Dist.)**

IX. RESOUNDING CHORUS BY HON. MEMBERS (BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION)

Hon. Members of the A.P.C. Party drew the kind attention of the House to the birthday of **Hon. Ibrahim Ben Kargbo** by singing a *happy birthday song* for him. On that regard, Mr. Speaker asked the whole House to rise and observe his birthday by singing a *marvelous birthday song* for him. The Speaker concluded by responding to the resounding chorus, “many returns”.

Continued debate

10. **Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah (Const. 126 – Western Urban Dist.) (Leader of the Opposition)**
11. **Hon. Sidie M. Tunis (Const. 101 – Pujehun Dist.) (Leader of Government Business)**

QUESTION PUT AND AGREED TO

The motion was approved.

X. FELICITATIONS BY MR. SPEAKER

The Rt. Hon. Speaker extended his felicitations to the newly-approved nominees and wished them well.

XI. ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP TO THE ALLIANCE ON FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION, SIERRA LEONE PARLIAMENT.

The leader of Government Business announced the names as follows:



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See attached documents:

XII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNANCE.

The leader of Government Business announced the names as follows:

See attached documents:

XIII. ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE TABLE CLERK, FATMATA BINTU WESTON.

See attached documents:

XIV. STATEMENT BY MR.SPEAKER

The Hon. Speaker laid emphasis on the terms of reference of the Committee on Governance by assuming the responsibility of examining every report laid before the House.

Continued proceedings.

XV. STANDING ORDER 23 (PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS)

1. **Hon. Ibrahim Ben Kargbo** – Informed the House about the passing away of **Hon. A.G. Sembu Fornah**. He went further to inform the House that the late man had served government in various capacities such as Minister of Finance, Minister of Tourism and Minister of Agriculture. The Hon. Member described the deceased as a very friendly person and was also a friend of the late Dr. Alhaji Ahmed Tejan Kabba, former president of Sierra Leone and Mr. Cyril Foray.

XVI. Commiserations by Mr. Speaker

Mr. Speaker extended his commiserations and asked the House to rise and observe a minute's silence in respect of the deceased. He concluded by reciting the conventional prayer,
"may their souls rest in peace."

Continued proceedings.

2. **Hon. Emilia Lolloh Tongi** – Informed the House about a political problem she has been struggling with in her constituency, which involved an intractable conflict that existed between her party members and that of the former Member of Parliament from the S.L.P.P., whose seat she replaced. The Hon. Member thanked the Leader of the A.P.C., **Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah**, for his spontaneous response to her aid as well



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as **Hon. Hariyatu Ariana Bangura**, for accompanying her to her constituency and made a remarkable speech on resolving the issue, regardless of party differences. The Hon. Member felt astounded as she described the reaction of the aforementioned Hon. Members as a clear manifestation of patriotism.

3. **Hon. Saa Charles** – Informed the House about an incident that occurred in his constituency which involved the murder of a young man. The family of the victim had wanted to go ahead with the burial but the police intervened by demanding an investigation and carried out a postmortem. The police however abandoned the cops, leaving the burden on the family who could not afford providing transportation to convey the cops back to Kono District. The Hon. Member informed the House about a similar incident that occurred in 2017 and emphasized on the negligence of the police. He concluded by calling on humanitarian organizations and authorities responsible to address the issue.

XVII. Response by Mr. Speaker

Mr. Speaker responded by advising the Hon. Member to forward the matter to the Inspector – General of Police and report the outcome of the matter to the House.

Continued proceedings.

XVIII. S.O. 82 (SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS)

The Leader of Government Business, Hon. Sidie M. Tunis, rose on S.O. 82 to suspend S.O. 5(1) and moved that Parliament meets on Monday, 22nd October, 2018, in order to debate Constitutional Instruments 64,65 and 67 respectively. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah**, Leader of the Opposition.

RESPONSE BY MR. SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker reminded the House that he has long been waiting to receive notice to debate the aforementioned Constitutional Instruments. He went on to inform the House that the expiration period of the 21 days of maturity for the Constitutional Instruments will be on Monday, 22nd October, 2018. **He concluded by putting into a vote as to whether Parliament proceeds with the debate on Monday 22nd October, 2018, being the date of maturity or to cancel the debate.**



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The motion was carried to proceed with the debate.

XIX. ADJOURNMENT-

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Monday, 22nd October, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

The House rose at 2:40 p.m.