



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



**HONOURABLE DEPUTY SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR - HON. CHERNOR R.M. BAH**

**VP/4/2/50**

**TUESDAY**

**19TH AUGUST, 2014**

**THE HOUSE MET AT 10:20 A.M.**

**I. ATTENDANCE:**

1. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
2. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
3. HON.BANYA IV P.C.MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
4. HON.BOIMA IV P.C. PRINCE LAPPYA
5. HON.BRIG.BOYAH KOMBA E.S.(RTD)
6. HON.BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M.
7. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
8. HON.CONTEH BRIMAH
9. HON.DABUNDEH AIAH DR.
10. HON.FAWUNDU SENESI
11. HON.FOFANAH AMADU
12. HON.FOFANAH LEONARD S.
13. HON.FOYAH PATRICK
14. HON.FUNNA MABINTY
15. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
16. HON.JABBI BU-BUAKEI DR.
17. HON.JENGO EDWARD S.
18. HON.JORKIE MOSES B.
19. HON.KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSA PAKI
20. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
21. HON.KAINPUMU II P.C. ALEX M.J.J.
22. HON.KALLON DAUDA J.B.

23. HON.KALOKO ABI
24. HON.KALOKO ALIE
25. HON.KALOKO BAI J.
26. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M.
27. HON.KAMARA ALBERT DEEN
28. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN
29. HON.KAMARA ALHASSAN JERO
30. HON.KAMARA IBRAHIM
31. HON.KAMARA NICHOLAS
32. HON.KAMARA SAIDU BABAH
33. HON.KANU ABDUL SALAAM
34. HON.KANU AMADU MOHAMED
35. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
36. HON.KARGBO ROLAND FODAY DR.
37. HON.KATTA ALFRED BRIMA
38. HON.KEBBIE P.C.BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
39. HON.KOEDYOYOMA KOMBA E.
40. HON.KONGOMOH II P.C. JOSEPH ALIE KAVURA
41. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.
42. HON.KOROMA AARON ARUNA
43. HON.KOROMA ABU BAKARR
44. HON.KOROMA DANIEL B.
45. HON.KOROMA SUALIHO M.
46. HON.KPOSOWA FRANK
47. HON.KUYEMBEH HELEN
48. HON.LAHAI BERNADETTE DR.
49. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE
50. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA E.
51. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B.
52. HON.MANSARAY MOHAMED L.
53. HON.MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA
54. HON.MARAH ALUSINE
55. HON.MARAH REGINA
56. HON.MOMOH MOIWAI
57. HON.MUNDA HABIB B.
58. HON.PEWA P.C.PRINCE MAMBU
59. HON.RADDER HENNEH HASSAN
60. HON.SALLU-LIGBU II P.C. BAI BUREH
61. HON.SANGBAH SAAH
62. HON.SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO
63. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX
64. HON.SANNOH SHEKU
65. HON.SESAY ABDULAI DR.

66. HON.SESAY DAN Y.
67. HON.SESAY HASSAN A.
68. HON.SESAY KUSAN
69. HON.SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU
70. HON.SESAY VERONICA K.
71. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M.
72. HON.SUMAH FODAY I. DR.
73. HON.SWARAY MOSES A.
74. HON.TARA-KOROMA TAWORO DR.
75. HON.TENGBEH SAHR
76. HON.THOMAS SEGEPOH S.
77. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B.
78. HON.TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED
79. HON.TURAY THOMAS M. DR.
80. HON.TURAY THOMAS B.
81. HON.YEK II P.C.ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA
82. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO
83. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED J.

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

1. HON.ALIE JAMES N.
2. HON.BAH IBRAHIM PATEH
3. HON.BANGURA MABINTY H.
4. HON.BRAIMA SAMUEL H.
5. HON.CONTEH KARIFALA S.
6. HON.CONTEH KEMOKOH
7. HON.DUMBUYA ALHAJI S.
8. HON.FAWUNDU DAUDA D.
9. HON.GBAPPY-BRIMA GLADYS GBEMOH
10. HON.JAJUA ABU
11. HON.JOHNSON DAVID
12. HON.KABIA ISATA
13. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR
14. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED
15. HON.LUNGAY ANDREW V.
16. HON.MARAH LAHAI
17. HON.MBAYOH ROSKY M.
18. HON.MUNU ALIEU BADDARA K.
19. HON.ROGERS DICKSON M.
20. HON.SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR.
21. HON.SILIKIE BASHIRU
22. HON.SMITH ROSALINE J.
23. HON.CAPT.SOURIE FREDERICK S.(RTD)
24. HON.TARAWALLY UMAR PARAN

	<p><b>The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with excuse:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. HON.BROWN PATRICIA</li> <li>2. HON.BUNDU SONGOWA</li> <li>3. HON.CONTEH BRIMAH</li> <li>4. HON.EBBA TAMBA ENTOCHEMA</li> <li>5. HON.FATORMA SAHR</li> <li>6. HON.KAISAMBA FRANCIS A.</li> <li>7. HON.KANNEH ALUSINE</li> <li>8. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G.</li> <li>9. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I.</li> <li>10. HON.KOWA EMMA J.</li> <li>11. HON.MANSARAY SAIDU</li> <li>12. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS E. DR.</li> <li>13. HON.SALAMY BOCKARIE N.</li> <li>14. HON.SILLAH MABINTY K.</li> <li>15. HON.SONSIAMA III P.C. SHEKU A.T. FASULUKU</li> <li>16. HON.SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M.</li> <li>17. HON.THOLLEY MOHAMED K.</li> </ol> <p><b>II. Prayers:</b> The Clerk of Legislative Committee, <b>Mr. Lamin Yansaneh</b> said the prayer.</p> <p><b>III. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 5(2) AT 10:22 A.M.:</b></p> <p><b>Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda</b> moved for the suspension of Standing Order (S.O.) 5(2), seconded by <b>Hon. Amadu M. Kanu</b> and unanimously carried by the House.</p> <p><b>IV. AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER BY THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE AND OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS – HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU:</b></p> <p>By the insertion of Grants Agreements numbers :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of Global Partnership for Education Fund to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014 – as No. TF 016568</li> </ol>
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<p>10:23 – 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>b) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of the Department for International Development (DFID-UK) under the Multi-Donor Trust Fund (MTDF) to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014 - as No. TF 017720.</p> <p><b>IV. RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PARLIAMENTARY SITTINGS HELD ON THURSDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY AND THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2014 RESPECTIVELY:</b></p> <p>The motion to adopt the record of Votes and Proceedings of Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2014 was moved by <b>Hon. Mohamed L. Mansaray</b>. It was seconded by <b>Hon. Frank Kposowa</b> and unanimously adopted. That for Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 was moved by <b>Hon. Amadu M. Kanu</b>, seconded by <b>Hon. Frank Kposowa</b> and unanimously adopted by Members.</p>
<p>10:30 – 10:31 a.m.</p>	<p><b>V. LAYING OF PAPERS:</b></p> <p>(i) <b>The Minister of Finance and Economic Development</b></p> <p>(a) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of Global Partnership for Education Fund to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014</p> <p>(b) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of the Department for International Development (DFID-UK) under the Multi-Donor Trust Fund (MTDF) to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014</p> <p>Laid by the Minister of State Finance, Mr. F.B.L.Mansaray.</p> <p>(ii) <b>Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu, Majority Leader of the House and Leader of Government Business</b></p> <p>Bank of Sierra Leone Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2013</p> <p>Laid by the Leader of the House, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu.</p>

<p><b>10:31 – 12:15 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>VI. GOVERNMENT MOTION:</b></p> <p><b>The Minister of Finance and Economic Development</b></p> <p><b>Be it Resolved:</b></p> <p>That this Honourable House ratify the following Agreements which were laid on the Table of the House on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2014.</p> <p>(a) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of Global Partnership for Education Fund to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014 - No. TF016568.</p> <p>(b) Grant Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and International Development Association (IDA) acting as Administrator of the Department for International Development (DFID-UK) under the Multi-Donor Trust Fund (MTDF) to Finance the Revitalizing Education Development Project, dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2014 - No. TF 017720</p> <p>The Minister of State Finance, Mr. F.B.L.Mansaray 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"> <li>1. Hon. Sulaiman M. Sisay;</li> <li>2. Hon. Foday Rado Yokie - on a point of Order,(S.O.) 32(10) – it was ruled as out of Order;</li> </ol> <p><b>Continued Debate</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Hon. Sulaiman M. Sisay;</li> <li>3. Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma;</li> <li>4. Hon. Dr. Roland F. Kargbo;</li> <li>5. Hon. Helen Kuyembeh;</li> <li>6. Hon. Dr. Foday I. Sumah;</li> <li>7. Hon. Frank Kposowa;</li> <li>8. Hon. Alpha Babatunde Lewally - on a point of Order,(S.O.) 34;</li> </ol>
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<p><b>12 NOON.</b></p>	<p><b>Continued Debate</b></p> <p>Hon. Frank Kposowa;  9. Hon. Dr. Thomas M. Turay;  10. Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma;  11. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda;  12. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai;</p> <p><b>VII. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 5(2) AT 12 NOON:</b></p> <p><b>Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda</b> moved for the suspension of Standing Order (S.O.) 5(2), seconded by <b>Hon. Alhassan Kamara</b> and unanimously accepted by Members.</p> <p><b>Continued Debate</b></p> <p>Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai;;  13. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu.</p> <p>The Minister of State Finance in responding to the various concerns of Members, moved for the ratification of the motion</p> <p>The motion was unanimously ratified by Members.</p>
<p><b>12:15 – 12:17 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>VIII. STATEMENT BY THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE – HON. IBRAHIM R. BUNDU:</b></p> <p>(See attached document).</p>
<p><b>12:17 – 12:20 p.m.</b></p>	<p><b>VIII. ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE – MR. LAMIN YANSANEH:</b></p> <p>The following Committees were requested to meet:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Committee on Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, immediately after sitting at the Conference room, New Administrative Building;</li> <li>2. Members who have not got their official address should contact the webmaster’s office after sitting.</li> </ol>

<p>12:20 – 12:25 p.m.</p>	<p>All Members of Parliament were encouraged to visit the Parliament of Sierra Leone Website, for relevant/important information to be used to prepare for debates. The Website is loaded with relevant materials such as : Acts, Ordinances, Public Notices of Parliament since 1920- 2013, Standing Orders etc.;</p> <p>3. The Bombali District Members of Parliament were invited to meet, immediately after sitting.</p> <p><b>VIII. STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 23:</b></p> <p>1. Jusufu B. Mansaray – thanked the Leader of the House, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu for having taken the responsibility of defending Members of Parliament against subversive propaganda;</p> <p>2. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda – claimed that the Directorate of Parliament’s Public Relations is very weak in the performance of its duty;</p> <p>3. Hon. Alhassan Kamara asked for Western Area Members of Parliament to meet immediately after sitting;</p> <p>4. Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma – brought to the attention of Parliament, Executive and Local Councils, that dogs are parading around Freetown and called on the Freetown City Council and other City Councils to control them;</p> <p>5. Hon. Patrick Foyah – citing EcoBank, where a man stands with a thermometer at the entrance, said that all doors in Parliament should be closed and a single door opened for checking people entering Parliament.</p>
<p>12:25 p.m.</p>	<p><b>IX. ADJOURNMENT:</b></p> <p><b>Mr. Speaker</b> adjourned the House <i>sine die</i>.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>THE HOUSE ROSE AT 12:25 P.M.</b></p>