



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

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

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WEDNESDAY

23RD JULY, 2014

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:10 A.M.

I. ATTENDANCE

1. HON.ALIE JAMES N.D.
2. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
3. HON.BRIG.BOYAH KOMBA E.S.(RTD)
4. HON.BRAIMA SAMUEL H.
5. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
6. HON.BUNDU SONGOWA
7. HON.CONTEH BRIMAH
8. HON.DABUNDEH AIAH DR.
9. HON.DUMBUYA ALHAJI S.
10. HON.EBBA TAMBA ENTOCHEMA
11. HON.FAWUNDU DAUDA D.
12. HON.FAWUNDU SENESI
13. HON.FOFANAH LEONARD S.
14. HON.FOYAH PATRICK
15. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
16. HON.JABBI BU-BUAKEI DR.
17. HON.JAJUA ABU
18. HON.JOHNSON DAVID
19. HON.KABIA ISATA
20. HON.KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSА PAKI
21. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
22. HON.KAINPUMU II P.C. ALEX M.J.J.
23. HON.KAISAMBA FRANCIS A.
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 KOMBOR
32. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED
33. HON.KAMARA NICHOLAS
34. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
35. HON.KARGBO ROLAND FODAY DR.
36. HON.KATTA ALFRED BRIMA
37. HON.KEBBIE P.C. BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
38. HON.KOEDYOYOMA KOMBA E.
39. HON.KONGOMOH II P.C. JOSEPH ALIE KAVURA
40. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.
41. HON.KOROMA AARON ARUNA
42. HON.KOROMA ABU BAKARR
43. HON.KOROMA DANIEL B.
44. HON.KOROMASUALIHO M.
45. HON.KUYEMBEH HELEN
46. HON.LAHAI BERNADETTE DR.
47. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE
48. HON.LUNGAY ANDREW V.
49. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA E.
50. HON.MANSARAY SAIDU
51. HON.MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA
52. HON.MARAH ALUSINE
53. HON.MARAH LAHAI
54. HON.MOMOH MOIWAI
55. HON.MUNDA HABIB B.
56. HON.PEWA P.C. PRINCE MAMBU
57. HON.RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN
58. HON.SALAMY BOCKARIE N.
59. HON.SALLU-LIGBU II P.C. BAI BUREH
60. HON.SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO
61. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX
62. HON.SANNOH SHEKU
63. HON.SESAY ABDULAI DR.
64. HON.SESAY DAN Y.
65. HON.SESAY HASSAN A.
66. HON.SESAY KUSAN
67. HON.SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU
68. HON.SILLAH MABINTY K.

69. HON.SONSIAMA III P.C. SHEKU A.T. FASULUKU
70. HON.CAPT.SOURIE FREDERICK S.(RTD)
71. HON.SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M.
72. HON.SUMAH FODAY I. DR.
73. HON.SWARAY MOSES A.
74. HON.TENGBEH SAHR
75. HON.THOLLEY MOHAMED K.
76. HON.THOMAS SEGEPOH S.
77. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B.
78. HON.TURAY THOMAS M. DR.
79. HON.YEK II P.C. ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA
80. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO

The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:

1. HON.BOIMA IV P.C. PRINCE LAPPYA
2. HON.BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M.
3. HON.CONTEH KEMOKOH
4. HON.FOFANAH AMADU
5. HON.JENGO EDWARD S.
6. HON.KALLON DAUDA J.B.
7. HON.KALOKO ABI
8. HON.KANU ABDUL SALAAM
9. HON.MANSARAY MOHAMED L.
10. HON.MBAYOH ROSKY M.
11. HON.MUNU ALIEU BADDARA K.
12. HON.ROGERS DICKSON M.
13. HON.SMITH ROSALINE J.
14. HON.TARA-KOROMA TAWORO DR.
15. HON.KAMARA MOHAMED J.

The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with excuse:

1. HON.BAH IBRAHIM PATEH.
2. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
3. HON.BANGURA MABINTY H.
4. HON.BANYA IV P.C. MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
5. HON.BROWN PATRICIA
6. HON.CONTEH KARIFALA S.
7. HON.FATORMA SAHR
8. HON.FUNNA MABINTY
9. HON.GBAPPY-BRIMA GLADYS GBEMOH

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. HON.JORKIE MOSES B. 11. HON.KAMARA SAIDU BARBAH 12. HON.KANNEH ALUSINE 13. HON.KANU AMADU MOHAMED 14. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G. 15. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I. 16. HON.KOWA EMMA J. 17. HON.KPOSOWA FRANK 18. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B. 19. HON.MARAH REGINA 20. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS E. DR. 21. HON.SANGBA SAAH 22. HON.SESAY VERONICA K. 23. HON.SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR. 24. HON.SILIKIE BASHIRU 25. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M. 26. HON.TARAWALLY UMAR PARAN 27. HON.TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED 28. HON.TURAY THOMAS B.
<p>10:10 – 10:12 a.m.</p>	<p>II. Prayers: The Legislative Committee, Mr. Lamin Yansaneh said the prayer.</p> <p>III. SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 5(2) AT 10:10 A.M.:</p> <p>Hon. Songowa Bundu moved that Standing Order (S.O.) 5(2) be suspended seconded by Hon. Alhassan Kamara and was unanimously carried by the House.</p>
<p>10:12 – 10:15 a.m.</p>	<p>IV. RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PARLIAMENTARY SITTING HELD ON TUESDAY 22ND JULY, 2014:</p> <p>The motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday 22nd July, 2014 was moved by Hon. Henneh Hassan Raddar. It was seconded by Hon. Tamba Entochema Ebba and unanimously adopted by Members with slight amendment.</p>
<p>10:15 – 11:05 a.m.</p>	<p>V. MOTION OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE:</p> <p>Proposer: Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu</p> <p>Secunder: Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda</p>

<p>11:05 – 11:35 a.m.</p>	<p>Be it Resolved:</p> <p>That the Sixteenth Report of the Second Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service, be adopted by the House and that the recommendations contained therein be approved.</p> <p>The Chairman of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service and Majority Leader, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu read the Sixteenth Report of the Second Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service on the following Presidential nominees:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr. Ibrahim Stevens – Proposed Deputy Governor, Bank of Sierra Leone; 2. Major Ismael S. Koroma - Proposed Deputy Minister of Energy I, Distribution and Supply; <p>The motion was seconded by Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda, Chief Whip.</p> <p>Contributing to the debate on the motion were the following Honourable Members:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda; 2. Hon. Komba E. Koedoyoma; 3. Hon. Foday Rado Yokie; 4. Hon. Songowa Bundu; 5. Hon. Dr. Foday I. Sumah; 6. Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma; 7. Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai; 8. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai; 9. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu. <p>The motion was unanimously ratified by Members.</p> <p>CONGRATULATORY STATEMENT BY MR. SPEAKER:</p> <p>Mr. Speaker congratulated the Presidential nominees and on behalf of the entire Parliament wished them well in their various fields of endeavour.</p> <p>VI. BILL:</p> <p>The Public Private Partnership Act, 2014</p>
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<p>11:35 – 11:37 a.m.</p>	<p>INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING:</p> <p>The Attorney-General and Minister of Justice</p> <p>The Bill was read the first time and unanimously approved by Members.</p> <p>SECOND READING:</p> <p>The Minister of Finance and Economic Development</p> <p>The Deputy Minister of Justice, Mr. Arrow Bockarie presented the Bill to Members of Parliament.</p> <p>Contributing to the debate on the bill were the following Honourable Members:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hon. Ajibola E. Manly-Spain; 2. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai; 3. Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu <p>The Minister responded to some of the issues raised by Members and moved that the Bill be read the second time.</p> <p>The Bill was read the second time and was unanimously approved by Members.</p> <p>COMMITTEE STAGE:</p> <p>At this juncture, the Chairman of the Legislative Committee, Hon. Ajibola E. Manly-Spain moved that the Bill be committed to the Legislative Committee in accordance with Standing Order (S.O.) 51(1) and called for a legislative meeting at 1:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.</p> <p>The motion was seconded by Hon. Dr. Bu-Buakei Jabbi and was unanimously accepted by Members.</p> <p>VII. BUSINESS STATEMENT BY THE LEADER OF THE HOUSE (S.O) 16:</p> <p>The Leader of the House, Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu encouraged Honourable Members to read the following documents for next sitting:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UN Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime; 2. The Arms Trade Treaty; 3. Public Private Partnership Act, 2014
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<p>11:37 – 12:15 p.m.</p>	<p>4. Loan Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone and Abu Dhabi Fund for Development to Finance Solar Park Freetown Project, dated 29th June, 2014</p> <p>VIII. STANDING ORDER (S.O.) 23:</p> <p>1. Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda - drew the attention of Members of Parliament to the Health War on the killer Ebola disease which has started affecting Doctors and Nurses in the Health sector who have lost their lives due to the contraction of the disease. Citing Dr. Khan, a health specialist who has become a victim. He then called on all Members of Parliament, as they go on recess, to join forces with the Health sector to fight that war. Also called on the Parliamentary Committee on Health to work in collaboration with the Ministry of Health and Sanitation to provide the necessary protective gears and sanitizers to all Members of Parliament. Lastly, he related the Ebola war to that of the Military war, where men and women of the RSLAF, OSD and the CDF lost their lives.</p> <p>2. Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai - reported the first outbreak of the Ebola disease in Pujehun District. He added that the entire country is now vulnerable and called on the Ministry of Health to speedily act in protecting other areas that have not yet been affected. He added that the Ministry of Health should give adequate support to Members of Parliament.</p> <p>3. Hon. Isata Kabia - that the disease is becoming epidemic and that the strategy must change in combating the killer disease. While commending the Ministry of Health, she called on the Leaders of Political Parties to be proactive. She added that there is a disconnection between Parliament and the Ministry of Health. Lastly she said that those Doctors and Nurses who are trying to prevent the spread of the virus have themselves been affected, and Government must adopt measures to discourage public gatherings.</p> <p>4. Hon. P.C. Joseph Alie Kavura Kongomoh II - that we should be aware of people, particularly strangers that we are not sure of, as he reported a case of a lady from the provinces who was interacting with people and later died of the disease.</p> <p>5. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai - that she was disturbed by the news relating to Dr. Khan as a victim of the disease, including Dr. Vandy. She added that she was not expecting the captain of the ship to be attacked by the said disease. She warned against gathering in mosques and churches and shaking of hands. That churches have been provided with chlorine and that remedial action be speedily taken to prevent further spread of the disease.</p>
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<p>12:15 p.m.</p>	<p>VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY HON. HASSAN B. SHERIFF:</p> <p>That there will be a meeting immediately after adjournment to discuss the Constituency Development Fund (CDF).</p> <p>IX. ADJOURNMENT:</p> <p>Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday 24th July, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>THE HOUSE ROSE AT 12:15 P.M.</p>
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