



**FOURTH PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FIFTH SESSION, 2016/2017
SECOND MEETING OF PARLIAMENT
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**



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

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TUESDAY

5TH APRIL, 2017

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:26 A.M.

I. ATTENDANCE

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:

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| 1. HON. BAH CHERNOR R.M. | (CONST.110 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 2. HON. BAH IBRAHIM PARTEH | (CONST. 92 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 3. HON. BANGURA BENNEH | (CONST. 55 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 4. HON. BANGURA IBRAHIM M. | (CONST. 31 – BOMBALI DIST.) |
| 5. HON. BANGURA ROSEMARIE | (CONST. 66 – TONKOLILI DIST.) |
| 6. HON. BANYA IV P.C MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO | (KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 7. HON. BOIMA IV P.C PRINCE LAPPIA | (BO DIST.) |
| 8. HON. BRIG. BOYAH KOMBA E.S.(RTD) | (CONS T. 26 – KONO DIST) |
| 9. HON. BRAIMA MUSTAPHA M. | (CONST. 02 – KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 10. HON. BRAIMA SAMUEL H. | (CONST. 16 KENEMA DIST.) |
| 11. HON. BUNDU IBRAHIM R. | (CONST. 52 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 12. HON. CONTEH KARIFALA S. | (CONST. 98 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 13. HON. CONTEH KEMOKOH | (CONST. 94 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 14. HON. CONTEH OSMAN KARANKAY | (CONST. 50 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 15. HON. DANCAY-BANGURA PATRICIA U. | (CONST. 37 – KAMBIA DIST.) |
| 16. HON. DABUNDEH AIAH DR. | (CONST. 20 –KONO DIST.) |
| 17. HON. FATORMA SAHR | (CONST. 04 – KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 18. HON. FOFANAH LEONARD S. | (CONST. 15 KENEMA DIST.) |
| 19. HON. FUNNA MABINTY | (CONST. 65 – TONKOLILI DIST.) |
| 20. HON. GBAPPY – BRIMA GLADYS GBEMOH | (CONST. 82 – MOYAMBA DIST.) |
| 21. HON. HASSAN SHERIFF B. | (CONST. 53 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 22. HON. JABBI BU-BUAKEI DR. | (CONST. 08 KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 23. HON. JENGO EDWARD S. | (CONST. 83 – MOYAMBA DIST.) |
| 24. HON. JOHNSON DAVID | (CONST. 111 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 25. HON. KAIKAI ANSUMANA J. | (CONST. 87 – PUJEHUN DIST.) |
| 26. HON. KAIKAI NAVO | (CONST. 01 – KAILAHUN DIST.) |
| 27. HON. KAINPUMU II P.C. ALEX M.J.J. | (BONTHE DIST.) |
| 28. HON. KAIKAI FRANCIS A. | (CONST. 10 – KENEMA DIST.) |
| 29. HON. KALLON DAUDA J.B. | (CONST. 93 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 30. HON. KALOKO ABI | (CONST. 51 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 31. HON. KALOKO ALIE | (CONST. 102 –WESTERN URBAN) |
| 32. HON. KALOKO BAI J. | (CONST. 64 – TONKOLILI DIST.) |
| 33. HON. KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M. | (CONST. 95 – WESTERN RURAL) |
| 34. HON. KAMARA ALBERT DEEN | (CONST. 34 –BOMBALI DIST.) |
| 35. HON. KAMARA ALHASSAN | (CONST. 96 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 36. HON. KAMARA ALHASSAN JERO | (CONST. 48 – KOINADUGU DIST.) |
| 37. HON. KAMARA IBRAHIM | (CONST. 105 – WESTERN URBAN) |
| 38. HON. KAMARA KOMBOR | (CONST. 56 – PORT LOKO DIST.) |
| 39. HON. KAMARA MOHAMED JAWARA | (CONST. 100 – WESTERN URBAN) |



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40. HON. KAMARA NICHOLAS	(CONST. 54 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
41. HON. KAMARA SAIDU BABAH	(CONST. 58 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
42. HON. KANNEH ALUSINE	(CONST. 19 – KENEMA DIST.)
43. HON. KANU AMADU MOHAMED	(CONST. 86 – MOYAMBA DIST.)
44. HON. KARGBO ALIMAMY G.	(CONST. 99 – WESTERN URBAN)
45. HON. KARGBO IBRAHIM BEN	(CONST. 30 – BOMBALI DIST.)
46. HON. KARGBO PATRICK L.M.	(CONST. 39 – KAMBIA DIST.)
47. HON. KARGBO ROLAND F. DR.	(CONST. 36 – BOMBALI.)
48. HON. KATTA ALFRED BRIMA	(CONST. 77 – BO DIST.)
49. HON. KEBBIE P.C. BRIMA VICTOR SIDI	(PUJEHUN DIST.)
50. HON. KEMOKAI LANSANA I.	(CONST. 18 – KENEMA DIST.)
51. HON. KOEDOYOMA KOMBA E.	(CONST. 27 – KONO DIST.)
52. HON. KONGOMOH II P.C JOSEPH ALIE KAVURA	(MOYAMBA DIST.)
53. HON. KONUWA FRANCIS A.	(CONST. 14 – KENEMA DIST.)
54. HON. KOROMA AARON A.	(CONST. 62 –TONKOLILI DIST.)
55. HON. KOROMA DANIEL B.	(CONST. 46 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
56. HON. KOROMA SUALIHO M.	(CONST. 67- BO DIST.)
57. HON. KOWA EMMA J.	(CONST. 76 – BO DIST.)
58. HON. KOWA FRANCIS E.	(CONST. 107 – WESTERN URBAN)
59. HON. KPOSOWA FRANK	(CONST. 71 – BO DIST.)
60. HON. LUNGAY ANDREW V.	(CONST. 12 – KENEMA DIST.)
61. HON. MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA E.	(CONST. 106 – WESTERN URBAN)
62. HON. MANSARAY JUSUFU B.	(CONST. 73 – BO DIST.)
63. HON. MANSARAY MOHAMED L.	(CONST. 47 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
64. MANSARAY SAIDU	(CONST. 11 – KENEMA DIST.)
65. HON. MARAH ALUSINE	(CONST. 44 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
66. HON. MARAH LAHAI	(CONST. 45 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
67. HON. MARAH REGINA	(CONST. 05 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
68. HON. MBAYO ROSKY M.	(CONST. 24 – KONO DIST.)
69. HON. MOMOH MOIWAI	(CONST. 06 KAILAHUN DIST.)
70. HON. MUNDA HABIB B.	(CONST. 17 – KENEMA DIST.)
71. HON. MUNU ALIEU BADDARA K.	(CONST. 38 – KAMBIA DIST.)
72. HON. RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN	(CONST. 41 – KAMBIA DIST.)
73. HON. ROGERS DICKSON M.	(CONST. 89 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
74. HON. SALLU-LUGBU II P.C BAI BUREH	(PORT LOKO DIST.)
75. HON. SANBGAAH SAAH	(CONST. 22 – KONO DIST.)
76. HON. SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO	(TONKOLILI DIST.)
77. HON. SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX	(CONST. 97 – WESTERN URBAN)
78. HON. SANNOH SHEKU	(CONST. 112 – WESTERN URBAN)
79. HON. SESAY DAN Y.	(CONST. 32 – BOMBALI DIST.)
80. HON. SESAY HASSAN A.	(CONST. 59 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
81. HON. SESAY KUSAN	(CONST. 43 – KOINADUGU DIST.)
82. HON. SESAY OSMAN SALLIEU	(CONST. 29 – BOMBALI DIST.)
83. HON. SESAY VERONICA K.	(CONST. 85 MOYAMBA DIST.)
84. HON. SILIKIE BASHIRU	(CONST. 72 – BO DIST.)
85. HON. SILLAH MABINTY K.	(CONST. 28 – BOMBALI DIST.)



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86. HON. SISAY SULAIMAN M.	(CONST. 33 – BOMBALI DIST.)
87. HON. SONSIAMA III P.C. SHEKU A.T. FASULUKU	(KONO DIST.)
88. HON. SOBBA-STEPHENS MIMA Y.M.	(CONST. 84 – MOYAMBA DIST.)
89. HON. SWARAY MOSES A.	(CONST. 74 – BO DIST.)
90. HON. TARAWALLY UMAR PARAN	(CONST. 69 – BO DIST.)
91. HON. TENGBEH SAHR	(CONST. 03 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
92. HON. THOLLEY MOHAMED K	(CONST. 70 – BO DIST.)
93. HON. THOMAS SEGEPOH S.	(CONST. 78 – BONTHE DIST.)
94. HON. TUNIS SIDIE MOHAMED	(CONST. 91 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
95. HON. YEK II P.C. ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA	(KAMBIA DIST.)
96. HON. YOKIE FODAY RADO	(CONST. 68 – BO DIST.)

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:

1. HON. ALIE JAMES N.D.	(CONST. 81 – MOYAMBA DIST.)
2. HON. BANGURA MABINTY H.	(CONST. 42 – KAMBIA DIST.)
3. HON. BUNDU SONGOWA	(CONST. 61 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
4. HON. DUMBUYA ALHAJI S.	(CONST. 49 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
5. HON. EBBA TAMBA ENTOCHEMA	(CONST. 21 – KONO DIST.)
6. HON. FAWUNDU SENESI	(CONST. 90 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
7. HON. FOFANA AMADU	(CONST. 109 – WESTERN URBAN)
8. HON. JAJUA ABU	(CONST. 07 – KAILAHUN DIST.)
9. HON. JORKIE MOSES B	(CONST. 80 – BONTHE DIST.)
10. HON. KAMARA MOHAMED	(CONST. 60 – TONKOLILI DIST.)
11. HON. KANU ABDUL SALAAM	(CONST. 101 – WESTERN URBAN)
12. HON. KOROMA ABU BAKARR	(CONST. 57 – PORT LOKO DIST.)
13. HON. LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE	(CONST. 104 – WESTERN URBAN)
14. HON. PEWA P.C. PRINCE MAMBU	(KENEMA DIST.)
15. HON. SALAMY BOCKARIE N.	(CONST. 09 – KENEMA DIST.)
16. HON. SESAY ABDULAI DR.	(CONST. 63 TONKOLILI DIST.)
17. HON. SHO-SAWYER MICHEL DR.	(CONST. 108 – WESTERN URBAN)
18. HON. CAPT. SOURIE FREDERICK S. (RTD)	(CONST. 23 – KONO DIST.)
19. HON. SUMAH FODAY I. DR.	(CONST. 40 – KAMBIA DIST.)
20. HON. TUCKER TOM I.	(CONST. 25 – KONO DIST.)

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:

1. HON. CONTEH BRIMAH	(CONST. 79 – BONTHE DIST.)
2. HON. FAWUNDU DAUDA D.	(CONST. 88 – PUJEHUN DIST.)
3. HON. KABOMBOR II P.C. MANSA PAKI	(CONST. BOMBALI DIST.)
4. HON. KUYEMBEH HELEN	(CONST. 75 – BO DIST.)
5. HON. LAHAI BERNADETTE DR.	(CONST. 13 – KENEMA DIST.)
6. HON. MARAH III P.C. ALIE BALANSAMA	(KOINADUGU DIST.)
7. HON. SMITH ROSALINE J.	(CONST. 103 – WESTERN URBAN)
8. HON. TURAY THOMAS B.	(CONST. 35 – BOMBALI DIST.)



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

III. **SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER 5(2) AT 10: 28 A.M.**

Hon. Claude D.M. Kamanda (Const. 095 - Western Rural Dist.) moved the suspension of Standing Order 5(2). It was seconded by **Hon. Kusan Sesay (Const. 043 - Koinadugu Dist.)**, and unanimously approved by the House.

IV. **AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER BY THE MAJORITY LEADER AND LEADER OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**

The Majority Leader, **Hon. Leonard S. Fofanah (Const. 015 – Kenema Dist.)**, craved the indulgence of Hon. Members to amend the Order Paper by the deletion of item II which reads “**RECORD OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR TUESDAY , 4TH APRIL, 2017**”

V. **PRIVATE MEMBER’S MOTIONS**

Proposer: Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma (Const. 067 - Bo Dist.)

Secunder: Hon. Dickson M. Rogers (Const. 089 - Pujehun Dist.)

Be it resolved that:

The Statutory Instruments as listed below which were laid on the Table of this Honourable House on Thursday, 16th March, 2017, at 10:00 a.m., by the Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, be debated consistent with Standing Order 25(2)

- i. **Constitutional Instrument No. 43 of 2017, dated 15th March, 2017.**
- ii. **Statutory Instrument No. 44 of 2017, dated 15th March, 2017.**
- iii. **Statutory Instrument No. 45 of 2017, dated 15th March, 2017.**
- iv. **Statutory Instrument No. 46 of 2017, dated 15th March, 2017.**



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CONTINUED DEBATE

VI. STATEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker informed the House that they had received assurances from NEC that within the period of four weeks, NEC would have revisited Statutory Instruments numbered 43 and 46 respectively, and that NEC is expected to come with a revised submission to this Honourable House. The Hon. Speaker quoted the Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, **Mr. Joseph Fitzgerald Kamara**, saying that “the matter is for Parliament to decide”. According to the Speaker, the controversy however was “*how to validate something that has been invalidated by the Chairman of NEC, that procedurally they had done the wrong thing*”.

The Majority Leader, Hon. Leonard S. Fofanah – In connection with what had adversely come from the session in Committee Room 1, on the withdrawal of the Statutory Instruments mentioned above with a consideration that they had never been submitted to the House, he further expressed that he felt perturbed about the insinuations of the public on the issue. The motion he said was moved in good faith.

Acting Minority Leader, Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai (Const. 087 – Pujehun Dist.) – The Attorney-General he said should accommodate decisions made by the House and furthered that four weeks is such a long time and that the Attorney-General should strive to work assiduously as time is of the essence.

Question Proposed by Mr. Speaker – That since the two documents in question were not properly before the House, Mr. Speaker put the question for decision of the House as to whether they should be withdrawn or not.

QUESTION PUT AND AGREED TO

The motion was unanimously carried, the two documents were withdrawn.

The Attorney-General and Minister of Justice – Acceded to the resolution by Parliament to withdraw the documents but however, stood by his professional convictions that the documents remain the same for the purpose of records.

Hon. Bashiru Silikie – Over ruled by the Speaker.

Hon. Claude D M. Kamanda (Const. 095 – Western Rural Dist.) – rose on S.O. 32(7) – “It shall be out of order to attempt to reconsider any specific question upon which the House has come to a conclusion during the current session except upon a substantive motion for decision”.

Hon. Alhassan Kamara (Const. 096 – Western Urban Dist.) – Reminded the House that people are going through a lot of inconveniences in the registration process and he is happy for the outcome of



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the issue in the House. He called on the Chairman of NEC to resign his position for failure to go through the proper procedure, which had caused controversy in Parliament.

Hon. Ansumana J. Kaijai – For the fact that Parliament has concluded the matter with a resolution, anyone with an issue concerning the matter should do so through a motion.

Hon. Mustapha M. Braima (Const 002 – Kailahun Dist.) – That Parliament had arrived on a consensus on agreeing that the two instruments must be withdrawn. He advised Members to be very careful with what they say and avoid any instance which might derail the matter and cause situation of insecurity for Members of Parliament. Diplomacy he said is the key to prevent a state of anarchy.

VII. STANDING ORDER 23 –

Hon. Moiwai Momoh (Const. 006 – Kailahun Dist.) – Commended Mr. Speaker and Members of Parliament for the manner in which the Constitutional and procedural issues were carefully handled by the House, giving Parliament a very good image for performing its constitutional function. He craved the indulgence of the Chiefs and Members of Parliament to give substantial advice to NEC for which ever decision they may make and also for NEC to vigorously sensitize the public.

Hon. P.C. Joseph Ali-Kavura Kongomoh II (Moyamba Dist.) – That he felt exhilarated on the outcome of the debate, as it was geared towards the development of the country.

VIII. ANNOUNCEMENT BY MR SPEAKER

Mr. Speaker announced the Names of Members of the steering Committee of the Parliamentary Action-Group on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) which was recently created as follows:

1. **Hon. Dauda J.B. Kallon - Focal-Point/ Chairman (Const. 093 – Western Rural Dist.)**
2. **Hon. Sheku A. Sannoh (Const. 112 – Western Urban Dist.)**
3. **Hon. Rosemary Bangura (Const. 066 – Tonkoili Dist.)**
4. **Hon. Sualiho M. Koroma (Const. 067 – Bo Dist.)**
5. **Hon. Alhassan Kamara (Const. 096 – Western Urban Dist.)**
6. **Hon. Cap. Komba E.S. Boyah (rtd) (Const. 026 – Kono Dist.)**
7. **Hon. Edward Stile Jengo (Const. 083 – Moyamba Dist.)**
8. **Hon. Babah Saidu Kamara (Const. 058 – Port Loko Dist.)**
9. **Hon. Francis E. Kowa (Const. 107 – Western Urban Dist.)**
10. **Hon. Francis A. Konuwa (Const. 014 – Kenema Dist.)**
11. **Hon. Lahai Marah (Const. 045 – Koinadugu Dist.)**
12. **Hon. Cap. Frederick Sandi Sourie (rtd) (Const. 023 – Kono Dist.)**
13. **Hon. Gladys Gbemoh Gbappy-Brima (Const. 082 – Moyamba Dist.)**



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| 14. Hon. Henneh Hassan Raddar | (Const. 041 – Kambia Dist.) |
| 15. Hon. Aaron Aruna Koroma | (Const. 062 – Tonkolili Dist.) |
| 16. Hon. Jusufu B. Mansaray | (Const. 073 – Bo Dist.) |
| 17. Hon. Francis A. Kaisamba | (Const. 010 – Kenema Dist.) |
| 18. Hon. Osman Karankay Conteh | (Const. 050 – Port Loko Dist.) |
| 19. Hon. P.C. Bai Kurr Kanagbaro Sanka III | (Tonkolili Dist.) |

IX. ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE TABLE CLERK, MR. LAMIN YANSANEH

Members of the Legislative Committee were invited to a meeting on Thursday, 6th April, 2017, at 11:00 a.m., to scrutinize the Bill entitle; The National Security and Central Intelligence Act, 2017, in Committee Room No. 1.

X. ADJOURNMENT-

**Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Tuesday, 11th April, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.
The House rose at 11:05 a.m.**