



THIRD PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FOURTH SESSION, 2010/2011
THIRD MEETING OF THE HOUSE
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

NO.59/2010/2011

MONDAY

11THJULY, 2011

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THE HOUSE MET AT 10:00 A.M.

MR.SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR – HON.JUSTICE ABEL N.B.STRONGE

ATTENDANCE :

I. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were Present :

1. HON.BABONJO EMMANUEL T.
2. HON.BAH CHERNOR R.M.
3. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
4. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
5. HON.BANGURA KANDE C.
6. HON.BANYA IV P.C.MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
7. HON.BETTS-PRIDY MANIE
8. HON.BOYAH KES
9. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
10. HON.CONTEH DAVID B.
11. HON.CONTEH KONDEH YAPOH
12. HON.CONTEH MOININA
13. HON.DUMBUYA DAUDA
14. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU B.B.

15. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU GIBRIL
16. HON.FATORMA SAHR
17. HON.FENGAI P.C.KAIMACHENDE S.K.
18. HON.FOYAH ALICE M.
19. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
20. HON.JOHNSON VICTOR C.
21. HON.JONES RAYMOND M.
22. HON.JUMU ERIC B.
23. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
24. HON.KAIGBANJA TAMBA E.
25. HON.KAISAMBA JAMES A.
26. HON.KALAWA CHARLES H.
27. HON.KAMANDA MOURIE B.Dr.
28. HON.KAMARA ABDUL R.
29. HON.KAMARA MOMORIE MADUSU
30. HON.KAMARA PHILIPSON H.
31. HON.KANU AMADU
32. HON.KARGBO SUFIAN M.
33. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I.
34. HON.KING EUSTACE A.
35. HON.KOEDYOYOMA KOMBA E.
36. HON.KOMBE-BUNDU FLORENCE
37. HON.KONDEH DANDA M.
38. HON.KONTEH ABU
39. HON.KOROMA ABU B.
40. HON.KOROMA ISATU G.
41. HON.KOROMA JACOB I.
42. HON.KOWA EMMA
43. HON.LAHAI BERNADETTE Dr.
44. HON.LAVALIE JOLLY-BOY M.
45. HON.LEBBIE NENNEH
46. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE
47. HON.MAC-BAILEY ALBERT
48. HON.MOIJUEH EMILIE SAFULA
49. HON.MOMOH SIAFA J.
50. HON.MUNU ALLIEU BADDARA K.
51. HON.MUSA JINA JAMES
52. HON.MUSTAPHA JOSEPH A.
53. HON.MYERS BINTU
54. HON.NYUMA MATHEW S.

55. HON.PUJEH MOMOH
56. HON.RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN
57. HON.ROGERS FRANCESSE
58. HON.SAM MUSA T.
59. HON.SAMA SHIAKA M.
60. HON.SAMURA UNISA S.
61. HON.SANKA III P.C.BAI KURR KANAGBARO
62. HON.SANKOH YILLAH NURU DEEN
63. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX
64. HON.SESAY DAVID A.
65. HON.SESAY MOSES M.Dr.
66. HON.SESAY VERONICA K.
67. HON.SOLOKU EDWARD A.
68. HON.SORIBA DAVID G.
69. HON.SORIE IBRAHIM
70. HON.TARAWALLIE MOHAMED A.
71. HON.TEAMBO MATTHEW M.T.Dr
72. HON.THULLAH ALHAJI Y.
73. HON.TOMMY HENRY E.
74. HON.TONDONEH PHILIP TETEMA
75. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B.
76. HON.TURAY ALLIEU BADARA
77. HON.TURAY ALIMAMY C.
78. HON.TURAY SALAMATU
79. HON.YANSANEH MARIE (Rev.)
80. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO

II. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:

1. HON.ALPHA-LAVALIE ELIZABETH T.
2. HON.FASULUKU SAHR N.
3. HON.FEIKA SOLOMON W.
4. HON.FORNAH MABINTY
5. HON.HALLOWELL LLOYD MAGNUS
6. HON.KALLON MARCUS B.
7. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M.
8. HON.KAMARA ALIMAMY A.
9. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR
10. HON.KAMARA KOYA KALLA
11. HON.KAMARA MORLAI B.S.

12. HON.KAMARA PAUL
13. HON.KANU KHALIL MOHAMED
14. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G.
15. HON.KARGBO KEWULAY M.
16. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
17. HON.KEBBIE P.C.BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
18. HON.MASSAQUOI ALOYSIUS M.K.
19. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS
20. HON.TOMMY EMMANUEL W.

III. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with Excuse:

1. HON.BANNISTER MALCOLM S.
2. HON.BENYA V P.C. MOHAMED DHAFFIE
3. HON.CUFFIE JULIUS NYE
4. HON.DARAMY ALHAJI A.O.
5. HON.FALEY ROBIN E.S.
6. HON.HINDOWA V P.C. BINDI SAMBA
7. HON.JALLOH MARIE M.
8. HON.KAMARA ALHAJI BUYA
9. HON.KANGOVA II P.C.JEREMIAH SINNAH-YOVONIE
10. HON.KASANGA II P.C.BAI SEBORA
11. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.
12. HON.KPOSOWA FRANK
13. HON.MACARTHY SAM-MAY L.
14. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA EMANUEL
15. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B.
16. HON.MANSARAY THOMAS I.
17. HON.MARAH III P.C.ALIE BALANSAMA
18. HON.SALLU-LUGBU II P.C.BAI BUREH
19. HON.SANKOH ALIE SALIEU
20. HON.SANKOH LEGACY
21. HON.SHERIFF P.C.ALLIEU B.
22. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M.
23. HON.SUWU THERESA
24. HON.YEK ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA II P.C.

IV. PRAYERS: Mr.Mohamed Lebbie, the Officer-in-Charge of the Clerk's Office read the prayer.

The Cameraman covering the debates in the Chamber was questioned by Mr. Speaker for coming late.

V. CORRECTION AND ADOPTION OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE SITTING OF PARLIAMENT HELD ON THURSDAY 7th JULY, 2011

Hon. Manie Betts-Priddy moved a motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Thursday 7th July, 2011. He was seconded by Hon. Moinina Conteh. The motion was unanimously accepted by Members.

VI. LAYING OF PAPER :

Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu

Leader of the Delegation

Report of the 24th Session of the African Caribbean Pacific Parliamentary Assembly (ACP PA) and the 21st Session of the Joint African Caribbean Pacific European Parliamentary Assembly (JPA) held in Budapest, Hungary from 10th to 18th May, 2011.

Laid by Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu.

VII. BILL :

COMMITTEE STAGE (Continuation)

a) The Finance Act, 2011.

The Minister of Finance and Economic Development

The following Honourable Members contributed to the debate during the Committee Stage :

1. Hon. Foday Rado Yokie – on a failed motion;
2. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai – (question to the Deputy Minister on Clause 24);
3. Hon. Manie Betts-Priddy – on a motion – That the Bill be committed to the Legislative Committee;
4. Hon. Dr. Bernadette Lahai – on a counter motion – That the Bill be passed into law;

Hon. Manie Betts-Priddy's motion was defeated.

THIRD READING AND PASSAGE INTO LAW :

The Bill entitled " The Finance Act, 2011 " was read the third time and passed into law by majority votes.

VIII. **BILL :**

The Customs Act, 2011.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING :

The Bill was read the first time by the Deputy Minister of Finance and Economic Development, and was unanimously accepted by Members.

SECOND READING :

The Deputy Minister of Finance and Economic Development, Mr.Momodu Kargbo, presented the Bill at the second reading.

The following Honourable Members contributed to the debate on the Bill at the second reading :

1. Hon.Tamba E.Kaigbanja;
2. Hon.Ibrahim Sorie;
3. Hon.Dr.Brima M.Kamanda;
4. Hon.P.C.Bai Kurr Kanagbaro Sanka III;
5. Hon.Ibrahim Sorie – on a point of order (S.O. 32(5));

Mr.Speaker adjourned the House at 12:00 noon for lunch and resumed at 1:00 p.m.

SECOND READING (Continued)

The Customs Act, 2011.

6. Hon.Eric B.Jumu.

The Deputy Minister of Finance and Economic Development, addressed some of the issues raised by Members of Parliament and moved that the Bill be read the second time.

The Bill was read the second time and was unanimously accepted by Members.

COMMITTEE STAGE :

The Bill went through the Committee Stage without any amendments.

THIRD READING AND PASSAGE INTO LAW :

The Bill was read the third time and was unanimously passed into law.

IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SENIOR ASSISTANT CLERK:

1. That the following Committee Members were requested to meet as follows :
 - a) Members of the Inter-Parliamentary Union - Tuesday 12thJuly, 2011, immediately after sitting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS by the following Honourable Members :

1. Hon.Ibrahim Sorie - Members from the Riverine areas were to meet immediately after sitting at the Ministry of Transport and Aviation, at 3:00 p.m.
2. Hon.Hassan B.Sheriff - Meeting of the Ad-hoc Committee in the Conference Room, immediately after sitting.

THE HOUSE ADJOURNED TO TUESDAY 12thJULY, 2011, AT 10:00 A.M.

THE HOUSE ROSE AT 1: 50 P.M.