



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

NO.46/2010/2011

THURSDAY

14TH APRIL, 2011

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THE HOUSE MET AT 10:20 A.M.

MR.SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR – HON.VICTOR C. JOHNSON

ATTENDANCE:

I. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were Present :

1. HON.ALPHA-LAVALIE ELIZABETH T.
2. HON.BAH CHERNOR R.M.
3. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
4. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
5. HON.BANGURA KANDE C.
6. HON.BANNISTER MALCOLM S.
7. HON.BANYA IV P.C.MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
8. HON.BENYA V P.C. MOHAMED DHAFFIE
9. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
10. HON.CONTEH DAVID B.
11. HON.CONTEH KONDEH YAPOH
12. HON.CONTEH MOININA

13. HON.CUFFIE JULIUS NYE
14. HON.DARAMY ALHAJI A.O.
15. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU B.B.
16. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU GIBRIL
17. HON.FASULUKU SAHR N.
18. HON.FORNAH MABINTY
19. HON.HALLOWELL LLOYD MAGNUS
20. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
21. HON.JALLOH MARIE M.
22. HON.JUMU ERIC B.
23. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
24. HON.KAIGBANJA TAMBA E.
25. HON.KAISAMBA JAMES A.
26. HON.KALLON MARCUS B.
27. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M.
28. HON.DR.KAMANDA MOURIE B.
29. HON.KAMARA ALHAJI BUYA
30. HON.KAMARA ALIMAMY A.
31. HON.KAMARA MORLAI B.S.
32. HON.KAMARA PAUL
33. HON.KAMARA PHILIPSON H.
34. HON.KANU AMADU
35. HON.KANU KHALIL MOHAMED
36. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G.
37. HON.KARGBO KEWULAY M.
38. HON.KARGBO SUFIAN M.
39. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
40. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I.
41. HON.KING EUSTACE A.
42. HON.KOEDOYOMA KOMBA E.
43. HON.KONTEH ABU
44. HON.KOROMA ABU B.
45. HON.KOROMA ISATU G.
46. HON.KOROMA JACOB I.
47. HON.KOWA EMMA
48. HON.LAVALIE JOLLY-BOY M.
49. HON.LEBBIE NENNEH
50. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE
51. HON.MACARTHY SAM-MAY L.

52. HON.MAC-BAILEY ALBERT
53. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA EMANUEL
54. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B.
55. HON.MANSARAY THOMAS I.
56. HON.MASSAQUOI ALOYSIUS M.K.
57. HON.MOMOH SIAFA J.
58. HON.MUSTAPHA JOSEPH A.
59. HON.NYUMA MATHEW S.
60. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS
61. HON.PUJEH MOMOH
62. HON.RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN
63. HON.SALLU-LUGBU II P.C.BAI BUREH
64. HON.SAM MUSA T.
65. HON.SAMA SHIAKA M.
66. HON.SAMURA UNISA S.
67. HON.SANKA III P.C.BAI KURR KANAGBARO
68. HON.SANKOH ALIE SALIEU
69. HON.SANKOH LEGACY
70. HON.DR.SESAY MOSES M.
71. HON.SESAY VERONICA K.
72. HON.SHERIFF P.C.ALLIEU B.
73. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M.
74. HON.SOLOKU EDWARD A.
75. HON.SORIBA DAVID G.
76. HON.SORIE IBRAHIM
77. HON.SUWU THERESA
78. HON.TARAWALLIE MOHAMED A.
79. HON.DR.TEAMBO MATTHEW M.T.
80. HON.THULLAH ALHAJI Y.
81. HON.TOMMY EMMANUEL W.
82. HON.TOMMY HENRY E.
83. HON.TONDONEH PHILIP TETEMA
84. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B.
85. HON.TURAY ALLIEU BADARA
86. HON.TURAY ALIMAMY C.
87. HON.TURAY SALAMATU
88. HON.REV.YANSANEH MARIE
89. HON.YEK ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA II P.C.
90. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO

II. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:

1. HON.FEIKA SOLOMON W.
2. HON.FENGAI P.C.KAIMACHENDE S.K.
3. HON.JONES RAYMOND M.
4. HON.KAMARA KOYA KALLA
5. HON.KAMARA MOMORIE MADUSU
6. HON.KANGOVA II P.C.JEREMIAH SINNAH-YOVONIE
7. HON.KEBBIE P.C.BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
8. HON.MARAH III P.C.ALIE BALANSAMA
9. HON.MUNU ALLIEU BADDARA K.

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

1. HON.BABONJO EMMANUEL T.
2. HON.BETTS-PRIDDY MANIE
3. HON.BOYAH KES
4. HON.DUMBUYA DAUDA
5. HON.FALEY ROBIN E.S.
6. HON.FOYAH ALICE M.
7. HON.HINDOWA V P.C. BINDI SAMBA
8. HON.KALAWA CHARLES H.
9. HON.KAMARA ABDUL R.
10. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR
11. HON.KASANGA II P.C.BAI SEBORA
12. HON.KOMBE-BUNDU FLORENCE
13. HON.KONDEH DANDA M.
14. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.
15. HON.KPOSOWA FRANK
16. HON.DR.LAHAI BERNADETTE
17. HON.MOIJUEH EMILIE SAFULA
18. HON.MUSA JINA JAMES
19. HON.MYERS BINTU
20. HON.ROGERS FRANCES
21. HON.SANKOH YILLAH NURU DEEN
22. HON.SESAY DAVID A.

IV. PRAYERS: The Clerk of Parliament read the prayer.

SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER (S.O) 5(2).

Standing Order 5 (2) was invoked on a motion moved by Hon.Ibrahim R.Bundu, Chief Whip, and seconded by Hon. Marie M.Jalloh. The motion was unanimously carried.

V. AMENDMENT OF ORDER PAPER

The Order Paper was amended by Hon. Sheku B.B.Dumbuya, Majority Party Leader and Leader of Government Business as follows:

- (1) That Hon.Salamatu Turay, seconder on the motion on item V be replaced with Hon. Marie M.Jalloh.
- (2) An additional item VI withdrawal of motion relating to N.R.A. be included on the Order Paper (Proposer: Hon. Victor C.Johnson) to be done by Hon.Dr.Moses M.Sesay on behalf of Hon. Victor C.Johnson.This was unanimously accepted.

VI. CORRECTION AND ADOPTION OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE SITTING OF PARLIAMENT HELD ON WEDNESDAY 13thAPRIL,2011:

The record of the Votes and Proceedings of 13thApril, 2011,was adopted by the House on a motion moved by Hon.Ibrahim R.Bundu, seconded by Hon. Thomas I.Mansaray and was unanimously accepted.

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

Proposer: Hon. Sheku B.B.Dumbuya

Secunder: Hon. Augustine B.Torto

Be it Resolved:

That the Eighth Report of the Fourth Session of the Committee on Appointments and the Public Service be adopted by the House and that the Recommendations contained therein be approved.

The Chairman of the Committee, Hon.Sheku B.B.Dumbuya, Majority Party Leader and Leader of Government Business read the Report and was seconded by Hon. Augustine B.Torto.

The following Honourable Members contributed to the debate on the motion:

1. Hon. Augustine B.Torto
2. Hon. Eric B.Jumu
3. Hon.Chernor R.M.Bah

4. Hon.Momoh Pujeh
5. Hon.Sheku B.B.Dumbuya

The motion was carried.

VIII. GOVERNMENT MOTIONS :

(A) The Minister Transport and Aviation

Be it Resolved:

That this Honourable House ratify the following Agreement which was laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday 13thApril, 2011

Concession Agreement Container Terminal at Queen Elizabeth II Quay by and among Sierra Leone Ports Authority and the Government of Sierra Leone and National Commission for Privatization and Bollore and Freetown Terminal Limited, dated 25thNovember, 2010.

The Deputy Minister and the following Honourable Members contributed to the debate on the motion

1. Deputy Minister - Mr.Osman Hanciles
2. Hon.Ibrahim Bundu
3. Hon. Eric K.Koedoyoma
4. Hon.Ibrahim Sorie
5. Hon.Momoh Pujeh
6. Hon.Sheku B.B.Dumbuya

The motion was carried.

(B) The Minister of Finance and Economic Development

Be it Resolved:

That this Honourable House ratify the following Agreement which was laid on the Table of the House on Wednesday 13thApril, 2011

The Sixth General Capital Increase of the African Development Bank 27thMay, 2010.

The Deputy Minister of Finance and Economic Development and the following Honourable Members contributed to the motion.

1. Deputy Minister - Mr.Momodu Kargbo
2. Hon. Marie M.Jalloh
3. Hon.Dr.Brima M.Kamanda
4. Hon.Momoh Pujeh

5. Hon.M.Sufian Kargbo

SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDER (S.O) 5(2).

Standing Order 5 (2) was suspended by Hon.Ibrahim R.Bundu, Chief Whip, at 12:00 p.m. for the business of the House to continue. He was seconded by Hon. Claude D.M.Kamanda and was unanimously accepted.

Continued debate by the Minister.

The motion was carried.

IX. PRIVATE MEMBER'S BILL :

Proposer: Hon. Eric B.Jumu

Secunder: Hon. Salamatu Turay

Be it Resolved:

That this Honourable House grant leave in accordance with Standing Order (S.O.) 47 (1) of the Standing Orders of the Sierra Leone Parliament for the Introduction in the House of a Private Member's Bill entitled :

“The National Aids Commission Act, 2010 “

The motion was carried

WITHDRAWAL OF PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION

In respect of the withholding of 75% of money Appropriated to N.R.A. on 16thFebruary 2011 (Standing Order 31 (1)) during the consideration stage of the Budget.

Proposer: Hon.Dr.Moses M.Sesay

Secunder: Hon.Momoh Pujeh

The motion was carried.

Hon.Sheku B.B.Dumbuya informed the House that even though Parliament is going on a recess, Parliament may be recalled in case of any emergency sitting.

At that juncture, the Speaker called on the Clerk of Parliament to report on plans for the 50thAnniversary Celebrations.

The Clerk of Parliament informed the House that a National Agenda had already been printed. Parliament was only involved with the activity on the 26th April, 2011 in which a State Banquet would be held at the fore-court of Parliament. He told the House that he had had a discussion with Members of the Steering Committee and disclosed to Members that a list of all Members of Parliament and their Constituencies would be sent out to the 50th Anniversary Committee and added that Le.1000.000 (Le. One Million) would be given to each Member of Parliament.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION

Hon. Claude D.M.Kamanda stood on Standing Order 25 and gave notice of a Private Member's motion as follows:

PRIVATE MEMBER'S MOTION

To: The Clerk of Parliament

Proposer: Hon. Claude D.M.Kamanda

Seconder: Hon.Agibola Manly-Spain

Be it Resolved:

That this Honourable House arrange a special sitting on the 50th Anniversary of the Parliament of Sierra Leone to reflect its existence and test of time from the Country's Independence (1961) to 2011.

However the House agreed that the deliberation on this motion be deferred to a later date after the Holidays.

Standing Order (S.O.) 23 – By Hon. Eric B.Jumu

He disclosed that so many Sierra Leoneans abroad wanted to come for the 50th Anniversary Celebrations, but would be unable to do so because of the many problems at the Airport including irregular/inadequate and problem of missing luggages.He called on the Parliamentary Committee to look into these perennial problems.

Hon. Sam Macarthy: That in connection with the 50th Anniversary, Members of Parliament should be capacitated to enable them celebrate in their various Constituencies effectively.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The following announcements were made by the Senior Assistant Clerk:

1. All Members of Parliament were invited to a Pre-Legislative Hearing on the Bill entitled: "HIV/AIDS Commission Act 2010" immediately after sitting.

2. Members of Parliament were informed of the death of Hon.Bintu Myers's husband which sad event took place on the 12thApril, 2011.
3. Parliamentarians for Global Action (PGA) were invited to a meeting immediately after sitting.
4. Members of the Sierra Leone Parliament – Israeli Allies Caucus were invited to a meeting in Committee Room 3 immediately after sitting

THE HOUSE ADJOURNED SINE DIE

THE HOUSE ROSE AT 12:25 P.M