



**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA
THE HANSARD**

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*[The County Assembly met at 2:35p.m at the County Assembly Buildings]
[The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu Makarani) in the Chair]*

PRAYERS

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Have your seats Members. Clerk, please confirm if there is a quorum?

[Quorum confirmed]

Okay, then let us proceed. Order number one please.

STATEMENTS

REQUEST FOR STATEMENT FROM MEMBER OF COUNTY ASSEMBLY FOR BAMBURI WARD
HONOURABLE PATRICK MBELLE ON FAILURE OF WATER SUPPLY IN UGATUZI, BOMBO AND
BARAWA DESPITE COMPLETED BOOSTING PROJECT

Yes, Honourable Patrick Mbelle, MCA Bamburi Ward.

[Silence]

I think Honourable Patrick Mbelle is not around or is yet to arrive. So, the matter will be taken back to the House Business Committee. Yes, Clerk next order please.

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND INFRASTRUCTURE
HONOURABLE HASSAN MOHAMED ON THE STATUS OF THE PUBLIC TOILET PROJECT IN KIZIWI AND
THE STORM WATER DRAINAGE PROJECT IN MBURUKENGE

The Chairperson Committee on Transport and Infrastructure, Honourable Mohamed Hassan Ulher?

[Silence]

Any, Member from that Committee?

[Silence]

The matter is taken back to the House Business Committee.

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY THE CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND
INFRASTRUCTURE HONOURABLE LEILA NYACHE ON PROLONGED WATER SHORTAGE IN UTANGE
AREAS

Honourable Leila Nyache, Chairperson Committee on Water, Natural Resources and Climate Change, MCA Kipevu Ward.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kuweza kunipa fursa hii kwa kuweza kuchangia. Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa kweli hii taarifa ilikuja kitambo kidogo na Makarani wangu wakaweza kuandika barua ikaenda kwa utawala lakini hatujapata majibu baado mpaka leo na kule nako niliwatafuta jana kwa sababu nilipata hizi fununu za hii taarifa. Nikawatafuta hao wa Idara ya Maji nikampata afisa mkuu nikamuuliza akaniambia barua haijawafikia. Sasa mimi hata sielewi, sasa naomba Mheshimiwa Spika kama itawezekana...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): What is it Leader of the Majority? What is it? Have a seat Honourable Leila Nyache.

The Leader of the Majority Party (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika naomba tu Mwenyekiti ataarifu Jumba hili akitafutana na watu kienyeji na simu kuhusiana na barua na yeye ni Mwenyekiti wa Kamati anapaswa kua na ushahidi ya kwamba Kamati yake iliandika barua, barua ilikwenda amefanya ufuatili gani tangu mwaka jana mwezi wa kumi na mmoja hadi kufikia sasa. Anapotuambia hapa ya kwamba haelewi Mheshimiwa Mwenyekiti anatarajia nani ambae ataelewesha Bunge hili kuhusiana na majukumu yake yeye binafsi kama Mwenyekiti wa maswala ya Maji Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, Honourable Leila Nyache please respond as the Chair of that Committee, you are the responsible person and the spokesperson of that Committee so proceed please.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi ningeomba tu kama itawezekana utupatie muda kama ya wiki mbili, tuweze kusubiria kama itakuja hayo majibu na tuweze kuyaleta Bungeni. Naomba kama Mwenyekiti kwa sababu imetokea sitofahamu nifanyeje? Nitasimama imara.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Leila, Honourable Milka, I can see you are the one who brought the Statement in this House what is it before I react?

Hon. Ngare: Thank you Mr. Speaker. It is a pity and very unfortunate that this Statement was brought early November, 5th November to specific, thank you Majority Leader for reminding me. We have been away for almost two months and we are back now and we still do

not have a response and the residents of Bamburi specifically that area I singled out are still not receiving water, there is no water in Utange area being one of the residents of that area they keep bringing us bills and there is no water not even a drop. We will be not taking such statements with such jokes, we have a minister, we have Chief Officers and we have a Committee in charge of Water. If all the Committees continue behaving the way the Committee of Water is behaving, then we are not going to be transacting serious businesses in this House. We need responses and we need work done and as I talk, I am very sure that the residents of Utange are watching me and we have a WhatsApp group of Utange. I am very sure that today this is going to be the discussion. We cannot give another two weeks I am not agreeing to that probably by next week I want to have a response to that statement thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Milka. Honourable Leila, have a seat you had requested for two weeks and it is in the Hansard that you said you also do not understand why they have not responded. So, I am requesting that you call the department, all those who are supposed to respond to this Statement, invite them to your Committee now that you have written to them but they have not responded then, now take a point of inviting them for you to have a response by next week Wednesday we will be waiting for a response, because the matter has taken so long and the residents of Utange are complaining, as to why they don't have fresh drinking water. So, take it as urgent and the Member concerned is also complaining. She won't allow two more weeks and I as the Chair, I am requesting you to take one week and respond back to this Honourable House. Yes, Clerk?

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND
INFRASTRUCTURE HONOURABLE LEILA NYACHE ON ILLEGAL DISCHARGE OF WASTE WATER ALONG
GOROFANI – BOMBO ROAD IN UTANGE

Yes, Honourable Leila?

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa huo mwelekezo, nitafanya hivyo manake mimi kama Mwenyekiti wa Maji kazi yangu najua kuifanya vizuri sana na nitafanya vile ambavyo umesema Mheshimiwa Spika ahsante.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Leila. Yes, Clerk?

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT BY CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON LANDS, URBAN PLANNING AND
HOUSING HONOURABLE AHMED KHAMIS ON LAND TENURE STATUS OWNERSHIP RIGHTS AND
THREATENED EVICTION OF RESIDENTS OF MWANANGUVUZE VILLAGE IN LIKONI SUB COUNTY

Yes, Honourable Ahmed Khamis?

Hon. Ahmed Khamis: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika, Mheshimiwa Mwenza alivyoleta ripoti tumepeleka kwa wahusika na nafikiri wakati ameileta ilikuwa tunaenda kwa mapumzika marefu kwa hivyo sasa ndio tumeregea kutoka mapumziko marefu kwa hivyo naomba Mheshimiwa Mbaya, naomba unipe wiki mbili ili niweze kukuletea ripoti kamili ahsante sana.

[Low consultations]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, Clerk? Order Members!

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Yes, Honourable Leila.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Leila just a minute!

[Interruption]

Honourable Mbaya. What is it?

Hon. Salim Mbaya: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipatia fursa hii.

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Mbaya, are you up on a point of order or what because we have proceeded to the next order.

Hon. Salim Mbaya: Mheshimiwa Spika, samahani mimi nilikuwa sijaridhika kutokana na majibu ambayo yametolewa na Mheshimiwa mwenza Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya Ardhi na ndio sababu nikasimama.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): You are reacting to the response by Honourable Hamisi? Yes. Okay, then proceed.

Hon. Salim Mbaya: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipatia fursa hii. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi nimesimama nikimuelezea Mheshimiwa mwenza nafikiri hii taarifa imeletwa tangu mwezi wa kumi na moja, naona saa hii inaelekea miezi minne na hakuna hatua yote ambayo imeweza kuchukuliwa mpaka kufikia leo na watu wangu wa Mwananguvuze wamekuwa na hamu sana kujua hali halisi ya hii ardhi. Kwa hiyo mimi naona Mwenyekiti wa Ardhi ndugu yangu akiweza kusema kwamba mda tumpatia wiki mbili, mimi naona hizi wiki mbili pia ni nyingi Mheshimiwa Spika ndio sababu nikasema nisimame kwa sababu naona muda umeenda mwingi na bado pia anaongezewa tena wiki mbili Sasa nashindwa sijui ni vipi na watu wangu wananisikiza mimi kule Mheshimiwa Spika ndio sababu nikasimama kuona ule muda ambao ameutoa kwa Mwenyekiti wa Ardhi naona ni kama sijui niseme vipi Mheshimiwa Spika ahsante sana lakini naona ule muda bado kwangu mimi pia ni mwingi watu wangu wa Mwananguvuze Timbwani wananisubiri mimi waone watapata mwelekeo gani Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Hamisi Mbaya. Honourable Ahmed Khamis as per our calendar that was passed in the morning sitting it seems that after two weeks we might be going to recess so, I think one week will be enough for you to bring a statement to this Honourable House.

[Hon. Ahmed Khamis nodded in agreement]

Okay, then let us proceed.

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BOMBO ROAD IN UTANGE

Yes, Honourable Leila Nyache.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika tena kuweza kuniita kwa mara ya pili. Mheshimiwa Spika, hii *Statement* pia nimeona ni ya kitambo ya wakati huo huo kama ile nyengine. Kwa hivyo ningeomba vile umenielezea niweze kuita idara naomba niweze kufanya hivyo niite idara alafu nialike na pia Waheshimiwa wenza tuje tuzungumzie kuna shida gani.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you. Honourable Fatma, I think I had ruled on the same so, let us give the Committee one week for them to respond. Clerk? Have a seat Honourable Fatuma...

STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MOMBASA COUNTY VILLAGE ADMINISTRATION BILL, 2025 BY
THE CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND PUBLIC SERVICE ADMINISTRATION BY
HONOURABLE JACTONE MADIALO

Honourable Jactone Madialo.

Hon. Madialo: Thank you Mr. Speaker. It is indeed disheartening that this Statement was sought from way back in April last year as a Committee or as an Assembly, we have forwarded this to the department not once but even more than three times but they have been reluctant to give a proper response. As a Committee, we have also invited the department and when we last sat with them we were dissatisfied by the kind of answers they were giving because there is an advert that they gave talking about administrative assistance, to us we thought that it was the Village Administrators but they are camouflaging it. So, I would like to just inform the Members that we will still write to them seeking answers so we ask that you give us two weeks.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you, so will give the Committee two weeks to respond to this Honourable House. Honourable Members, I think I had ruled on order number seven but the Honourable Member has arrived so we will let him read his Statement. Honourable Mbelle, please proceed.

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BARAWA DESPITE COMPLETED BOOSTING PROJECT

Hon. Mbelle: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. And first of all, allow me to apologize for having come a few minutes late; I was literally undergoing some technical rectification of the statement. Mr. Speaker, I stand pursuant to Standing Order 41, as I rise to seek a statement from the chairperson of the Committee of Water, Sanitation, and Natural Resources regarding the persistent lack of water supply in Kashani and Majaoni areas of Bamburi Ward, despite the completions of our water supply and capacity enhancement projects. Mr. Speaker, in the last financial year, the County Government of Mombasa, with support from the World Bank, funded an initiative to undertake a major project aimed at enhancing water distribution in Kisauni Sub-

County, particularly in Majaoni, within Bamburi Ward. Following intense engagement and negotiations by the members of the public and myself, the project scope extended to include installation of water supply lines and meters to Ugatuzi, Bombo, Barawa, Loma, and Kashani areas. The objective was very clear, to enhance equitable access to clean water and reliable water for our residents and upon completion of the installation works, testing was conducted and water successfully flowed through the systems. However, Honourable Speaker since the testing phase was completed, the residents of Ugatuzi, Kashani Mpesa, Kashani Central, Kashani Mlimani, Majaoni Kwakasa, Majaoni Kanisani, and Majaoni Zowerani have consistently reported that water has never reached their homes, despite the presence of fully installed infrastructure.

Honourable Speaker, it is further alleged by the members of the public that the continued lack of water supply may be linked to water reticulation and rationing decisions within the management of zones of Kisauni and Nyali zones, resulting to disproportionate allocation of water to Nyali at the expense of the people of Kisauni and particularly those of Bamburi Wards. If true, this raises serious concerns regarding equity, fairness, and constitutional obligation of the County to provide essential services without discrimination. Honourable Speaker, as you all know, water is not a luxury, it is a basic and essential service. The continued failure to operationalize infrastructure that was funded through public resources and development partners has subjected the residents to immense hardship, forcing families to rely on costly vendors while pipelines lie idle beneath their feet. I, therefore ask the Chairperson to treat this matter with the urgency it deserves; and in view of the foregoing, I request the Chairperson to urgently inquire into and report to this House on;

- 1. Why water has not been reaching the aforementioned areas of Bamburi Wards despite completion of the pipeline installation in those areas.*
- 2. Mr. Speaker, whether the operational and technical or management challenges affecting the water distribution between Kisauni and Nyali have truly been the reason, and if so, what are the nature of those challenges?*
- 3. The specific measures being undertaken to ensure equitable distribution of water to Kisauni Sub-County, particularly the affected areas.*
- 4. Mr. Speaker, when the residents of Ugatuzi, residents of Kashani, residents of Majaoni can expect water and it should be consistent and reliable water supply.*

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you, Honourable Patrick. Honourable Leila Nyache, I think you will combine the three issues and respond to this Honourable House in a week's time.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika nitafanya hivyo.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): You are supposed to respond the matters from Honourable Milka Moraa and illegal discharge of water along Gorofani Bombo plus the statement of failure of water supply in Ugatuzi Bombo and Barawa by Honourable Patrick Mbelle. Yes, Clerk?

ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Members, the House stands adjourned until Tuesday, 3rd March, 2026 at 10:00a.m.

The House rose at 3:05p.m.