



**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA
THE HANSARD**

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*[The County Assembly met at 3:35p.m. at the County Assembly Buildings]
[The Speaker (Honourable Aharub Ebrahim Khatri) in the Chair]*

PRAYERS

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Honourable Members, you may be seated. Yes Clerk? Next order please?

ADJOURNMENT OF SECOND SESSION

Honourable Members, I shall defer my communication after all the orders in the Order paper are disposed off. Yes, Clerk next order please?

STATEMENTS

SETTLING OF PENDING BILLS IN THE COUNTY

Yes, Honourable Kibwana Swaleh? Chairperson Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriation please respond to the statement.

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Honourable Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I want to say that the one who brought this statement is my Member of the Committee of Finance, so we have discussed this issue between me as the Chair and my Member that we look for a perfect time to bring this reply back to the Assembly, thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Honourable Kibwana, I think it is wise that you tell this House so that the Hansard can capture what is the status because I do not know who brought that statement and if he was your Member, then he could have brought it to your Committee but, now since it is in this House, it is good that you tell us what is the status of that statement.

[Applause]

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Honourable Speaker. Honourable Speaker, I am not ?? at such but I ?? will inform the Committee that I was not around when my Member brought that statement and I accept it.

Through your guidance the Chief Officer who brought a reply that he will reply after two to three days but unfortunately, I am informed that this matter has a pending bill of almost 4.7 billion Mr. Speaker. And so, he asked for more time and then he had already brought a letter asking for us to give him more time so that he can reply.

[Interruption]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): So, you are asking for more time, right?

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Exactly.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Kibwana.

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Clerk, take note on that so that we bring it back to the House business so that we can bring it back to the House. Yes, Clerk next order please?

STATEMENTS

RESPONSE TO STATEMENT ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF WAITING STAND OUTSIDE THE MATERNITY WING OF THE COAST GENERAL HOSPITAL

Yes, Honourable Ogutu? Chairperson Committee on Health please respond to the statement.

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, we got the response but it was not sufficient, so there are some issues which were not clear, so we request for one week so that we can conclude the matter thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Ogutu. Clerk, takes note on that as well. Next order please?

RECENT DROWNING INCIDENT OF CHILD AND MEASURES TO BE TAKEN TO MITIGATE AGAINST ADVERSE EFFECTS OF FLASH FLOODS ON COUNTY FEEDER ROADS

Yes, Honourable Hassan Mohammed Chairperson Committee on Transport?

[Silence]

Deputy? Vice-Chair?

[Silence]

Any other Member in that Committee? Yes, Honourable Juma Manuari? Member of Transport Committee.

[Applause]

Please respond to the statement.

Hon. Juma Manuari: Mheshimiwa Spika ahsante sana kwa kunipa nafasi hii, isipokuwa tunaomba Jumba letu hili kutokana na dharura ya Mwenyekiti wetu na msaidizi wake, kwa wote wako na dharura ya kibinadamu na ni swala ambalo liko kitambo. Hatujawaelewa mpaka saa hizi kwa sababu Mwenyekiti tukimtafuta ni mgonjwa na Naibu wake twasikia pia amejifungua, sasa hatujaelewa ni vipi kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Applause]

Tunaomba utupe nafasi ili tupate kutafutane naye, alafu tulete majibu ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Vice-Chair for Transport is Honourable Mwaka?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Yes.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): So, you have not sat down as a Committee? Have you sat down for this issue?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Not yet.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Not yet?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Yes.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Okay. So, you are asking for more time?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Yes.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Okay thank you. Yes, Clerk next Order?

ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION IN RELEASE OF HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS FOR FURTHER STUDIES

Yes, Honourable Bernard Ogutu, again please, respond to the statement.

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I think this matter was responded to and evidence was given. There is a circular which has been developed and it's clearly indicated on measures that are supposed to be taken, thank you Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you. Yes, Clerk next Order please?

STATUS OF KASHANI QUARRY IN BAMBURI WARD

Yes, Honourable Leila Nyache Chairperson Committee on Water, Natural Resources and Climate Change Resilience? Please respond to the statement.

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika nafikiri Taarifa ikitolewa niliomba mda wa wiki mbili lakini haikuwezekana na nikaambiwa niharakishe iwe ni wiki moja. Kwa kweli nilichukua hatua ya kwenda kule Kashani na nikaenda nikashuhudia mwenyewe kule Kashani ile timbo, lakini nilivyo rudisha majibu huku wakasema wanaanda hayo majibu ambayo tutakayoleta hapa Bungeni yawe ni ya kueleweka, ndio maana imechukua mda. Kwa hivyo mimi naomba Mheshimiwa Spika niongezewe hio wiki nyingine ambayo labda itaweza kua tayari haya majibu, ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Yes, Clerk please take note of that, next Order please?

MAKUPA ROUNDABOUT MANHOLE INCIDENT

Yes, again Honourable Juma Manuari? Yes, Honourable Mose, are you a Member of that Committee?

Hon. Ongáo: Yes Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Please respond to the statement.

Hon. Ongáo: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. We are requesting for one more week we look for our Chairman.

[Laughter]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Okay thank you. Clerk take note of that again. Yes, Honourable Members it is even good to talk about these issues, the Chairmen and Vice-Chairs, take charge of your committees Members. I mean if you are not going to take charge of your Committees, then I think we will have to do something on that.

[Applause]

Because we cannot have a Chairman or Vice-Chair who is not responsible. I mean seriously Members let's just be serious on these issues please. Clerk next order please?

IMPLEMENTATION STATUS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT BUDGET FOR THE FY 2023/2024

Yes, Honourable Frankline Makanga MCA Chaani Ward.

Hon. Makanga: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I rise to seek pursuant to Standing Order No. 41(2) (c), I wish to request for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations regarding the implementation status of the County government budget for the financial year 2023/2024. The County government budget for the financial year 2023/2024 was approved by this Honourable House on 27th June, 2023 and was expected to address the development needs and priorities of the County and its residents. In particular Mr. Speaker, I would like the Chairperson to provide the following information:

1. A detailed analysis on a departmental basis of the revenue and expenditure of the County government for the first half of the financial year 2023/2024, indicating the sources of

revenue, the budgeted and actual amounts of revenue and expenditure, the variance and the reasons for any underperformance or overspending;

2. A comprehensive report on the development expenditure analysis by department and Ward,

Mr. Speaker, allow me to read for the second time; a comprehensive report on the development expenditure analysis by department and Ward, for the first half of the financial year 2023/2024 showing the budgeted and actual amounts, the percentage of absorption, the status and impact of the projects, the challenges faced and the mitigation measures taken.

Mr. Speaker,

3. Summary of the key achievement and challenges of the budget implementation for the first half of the financial year 2023/2024 and the recommendations for improvement for the second half of the financial year, 2023/2024.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Frankline. Honourable Chairman Kibwana Swaleh of Finance, do you have a response now or you can ask for time?

Hon. Kibwana Swaleh: Thank you Honourable Speaker. Honourable Speaker, I was thinking it is almost a paragraph or you can say an essay the way my colleague has put it, but I will ask for more time since it is a detailed report, so I will ask for more time so that at least I give out a proper reply, thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Clerk next order please?

THE DIRE LACK OF DRUGS AT ZIWA LA NGO'MBE DISPENSARY

Yes, Honourable Hamisi Nyota MCA, Ziwa La Ng'ombe Ward.

Hon. Hamisi Nyota: Thank you Honourable Speaker. Honourable Speaker, I stand pursuant to Standing Order 41(2) (c) to request a statement from the Chairperson, Committee on Health Services concerning the dire lack of drugs at Ziwa la Ng'ombe Dispensary. Honourable Speaker, despite the commendable initiative taken by the Governor, who flagged medicine worth 50 million on 6th November, 2023, at Port Reitz Hospital. It is disheartening to note that the Ziwa la Ng'ombe dispensary remains in a state of scarcity in terms of drugs. Honourable Speaker, the community's health and wellbeing of the residents are at stake and therefore the Chairperson should inquire and report on whether the allocated medicines have been dispatched to Ziwa la Ng'ombe Dispensary, if so, I seek clarification of the quantities that have been sent. If the dispatch has not occurred, I urge the County government to provide a clear timeline for when the medicines will be sent and specify the quantities that will be dispatched. Honourable Speaker, the transparent communication on this matter is very crucial for fostering trust and addressing the urgent healthcare needs of our constituents. Thank you, Honourable Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Nyota. Yes, Honourable Bernard Ogutu, please respond to the statement?

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Honourable Speaker. Mr. Speaker, we are requesting for a week so that we can visit the facility and again get the response from the Department. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you again Honourable Ogutu. As you are aware that we are going for a long recess so, I hope in that one week, you can invite the Honourable Member for Ziwa la Ng'ombe in your Committee so that he can get those responses. Yes, Clerk next order please?

THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT RESPONSE AND ACTION PLAN REGARDING SAFETY CONCERNS IN
THE ZIWA LA NG'OMBE QUARRY

Yes, again Honourable Hamisi Nyota?

Hon. Hamisi Nyota: Thank you Honourable Speaker. I stand pursuant to Standing order 41 (2) (c) to request a statement from the Chairperson Committee on Water, natural resources and climate change resilience on the County government response and action plan regarding safety concerns in Ziwa la Ng'ombe quarry. Honourable Speaker, the quarry in Ziwa La Ng'ombe Ward has faced security challenges due to the absence of perimeter wall leading to unauthorized access and potential hazards. Recent rains have exacerbated the situation causing the quarry to fill with water raising concerns about safety and potential risks. Unfortunately, the lack of proper safety measures resulted in tragic incident where one person lost his life and another person sustained injuries. Honourable Speaker, in their response, the Chairperson should inquire and report on the following;

1. What measures the County government has to construct a perimeter wall around the quarry to enhance security, restrict unauthorized entry and create safer environment;
2. What measures the County government has to implement a comprehensive water management strategy in response to the water accumulation as a result of heavy rains experienced;
3. What measures the County government has in assessing safety protocol, identifying shortcomings and taking corrective actions to prevent incidents of death and injuries of our constituents.

Thank you, Honourable Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Nyota. Yes, Honourable Leila Nyache, please respond to the Statement?

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Pia hili swala la Mheshimiwa Nyota nimelisikia na naomba Jumba hili liweze kunipatia muda wa wiki niweze kwenda kujipanga na hii taarifa ili tuweze kuleta jibu mwafaka. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Leila.

[Consultation]

Yes, Clerk next Order please?

MOTION

ADJOURNMENT OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASSEMBLY CALENDAR

Yes, Honourable Mwamwiri, the Leader of Majority Party, move the Motion?

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Athman Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika naomba kujenga hoja kwamba kwa mujibu wa Kanuni za Kudumu za Bunge la wawakilishi la Mombasa. Sehemu ya Ishirini na tano sehemu ndogo ya tatu (25 (3)) ya Bunge hili. Vilevile Mheshimiwa Spika kwa mujibu ya Kalenda iliyoidhishwa na Bunge hili siku ya jumatano tarehe moja mwezi wa tatu mwaka elfu mbili na tatu (1/03/2023) niombe Bunge hili kwenda mapumziko na kuregelea vikao vyake vya kawaida tarehe 13/02/2024 kwa uwezo wa Mwenyezi Mungu. Nimuombe Mheshimiwa Madialo kuweza kuunga mkono Hoja hii.

Hon. Madialo: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika Ndugu yangu Mdogo ambaye ndiye kiongozi wa wengi Bungeni amenishika koo mahali. kwa sababu asingeniamsha nilikuwa nipinga lakini kwa vile ameniamsha naunga mkono.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Members. Honourable Members, I now propose the question that the Motion by Honourable Athman Mwamwiri on Adjournment of the County Assembly in accordance with Assembly calendar be considered by this Honourable House in the same terms as moved.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes, Honourable Athman Mwamwiri, Leader of Majority party please make your contribution.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Athman Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika kila kilicho na mwanzo hakikosi kuwa na mwisho na kwa mujibu wa kalenda yetu ambayo tuliidhinisha katika Bunge hili ilitupa fursa ya kuwakilisha wananchi katika Bunge hili hadi siku ya leo tarehe sita mwezi wa 12 ili tuwe tumetamatisha muhula huu wa mwaka huu 2023. Mheshimiwa Spika hii ni kwa mujibu wa Kanuni zetu za Kudumu ambayo inatupa fursa tunapotoka katika likizo ndefu ni lazima lazima tuweze kutengeneza kalenda itakayotuongoza kwa mwaka mzima katika yale majukumu tutakayoyatekeleza katika Bunge hili. Vilevile Mheshimiwa Spika kalenda hii imewekwa nafasi za mapumziko kwa sababu tunakubaliana kwamba kazi ambayo wawakilishi Wadi wanafanya ni kazi pevu ambayo inahitajia vilevile Waheshimiwa pia kupata fursa ya kupumzika wao wenyewe binafsi, kupata fursa na kuwa karibu na familia zao lakini cha zaidi kuweza kurudi mashinani na kuripoti yale yaliyojuzi kwa mwaka mzima katika majukumu yao ndani ya Bunge hili. Pia kuweza kupata maoni mapya tutakapo rudi Mheshimiwa Spika mwakani Waheshimiwa hawa waweze kuwa na ari mpya, nguvu mpya na kasi ya ajabu ya kutekeleza majukumu yao kwa mwaka unaofuata katika kutekeleza ama kuhudumikia wananchi wetu. Mheshimiwa Spika mwaka huu umekuwa na mambo mengi na zaidi ya yote tuliweza kupata fursa kwa Wadi zote 30 kushiriki katika mtunage ambao ulidhaminiwa na ofisi yako Mheshimiwa Spika na tunashukuru kwa sababu ni mojawapo ya kutujenga na kupeana fursa kwa vijana wetu kutambua vipaji kule nyanjani.

Mheshimiwa Spika kwa wale walioibuka washindi katika mtunage huo akiwemo Mheshimiwa Ogutu wa Changamwe najua likizo hii kwake ni fursa ya kuweza kuandaa sherehe ya kusherekea ushindi huu na kwa jinsi ninavyo mjua Mheshimiwa Spika najua vilevile Waheshimiwa wote katika Bunge hili watapata ualishi wa kuweza kwenda kusherekea na wana Changamwe kwa ufanisi walioweza kuonyesha katika mtunage huu uliodhaminiwa na Kiti chako. Mheshimiwa Spika vilevile tukikupongeza na kukuombea Mungu ni kwamba ndani ya mwaka huu umeweza kusimama na sisi na kusimamia haki katika Kiti hicho kuendesha shughuli za Jumba hili. Mheshimiwa Spika kila Mwakilishi katika Jumba hili anaweza kupata fursa kwa niaba ya watu wake waliompatia mamlaka kutekeleza majukumu yake pasi upendeleo wala ubaguzi na leo hii wakirudi watakuwa na kila sababu ya kuripoti yale waliyoweza kuyatekeleza. Mheshimiwa Spika nikimalizia tukiwa hapa sisi ni wanaadamu tunayo mapungufu ambayo tumeumbwa nayo binafsi; kwa hivyo niweze kuomba radhi pale ambapo niliteteleka kwa Waheshimiwa kwa sababu likizo tunayokwenda ni likizo ndefu na lolote litatendeka na ile bora zaidi iwapo Mwenyezi Mungu atakuwa ameikumbuka nafsi yake ni waheshimiwa wenza na wenzangu kuweza kunikumbuka kwa kheri na ikiwa Mwenyezi Mungu atanijaalia afya na uzima *Inshaa Allah* tuweze kukutana tena katika nyuso za tabasamu, katika nyuso za udugu ili tuweze kushikana na kujengana kutumikia Gatuzi letu la Mombasa. Ahsanteni sana niwatakie likizo njema kwa mapema, vilevile niwatakie ndugu zangu watakao kwenda kusherekea sikukuu za krismasi japo najua aghalabu huwa hawatupi ualishi lakini vilevile tunajiombea fursa ya kualikwa katika sherehe hizi za krismasi na mwaka mpya wa 2024 wenye kheri na fanaka. Ahsantum na Mwenyezi Mungu atubariki sote.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Jacktone Madialo?

Hon. Madialo: Ahsante sana Bwana Spika kwa fursa hii na pia ningependa kuungana na ndugu yetu Kiongozi wa Wengi kwa kukushukuru kwa dhati kwa mwaka huu ambao tumekuwa katika Bunge hili. Umetuongoza katika njia ya hekma Mungu akujalie na akubariki. Na pia ni fursa kwetu na pia umekuwa mwaka wa baraka kwa waheshimiwa kama Kiongozi wa Walio Wengi Bungeni, Mheshimiwa Ojala, Mheshimiwa Hawaa, ambao wametumikiwa na Mungu kuleta wanaadamu duniani na pia Mheshimiwa Manuari, wanasema Mheshimiwa Ogutu lakini ninashuku sijui pengine ni mwengine wa kando kule...

[Loud consultation]

Ahsante, kwa hivyo pia ni fursa ya kurudi mashinani na kukaa na wenzetu, hivyo ninaunga mkono. Ahsanteni.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Frankline Makanga?

Hon. Makanga: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Na mimi pia nasimama kuunga mkono hoja hii iliyoletwa na Mheshimiwa Athman Mwamwiri; lakini kabla niendeleo mimi pia nisimame kukupongeza kwa kuandaa michuano ya soka. Nafikiri dunia nzima haijaandaliwa kwa sababu hakuna mahali dunia nzima watu kuenda kucheza wakapewa maji, kuna dawa zingine ambazo Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri alikuwa anatumia sana ambazo ni njugu na wale kamba ambayo kama daktari huwa inaongezea madini muhimu sana katika mwili.

Mheshimiwa Spika, pia vilevile ukiangalia katika mipangilio ya shughuli hii yote ambayo umeweza kuifanya kutoka kwa fedha ambazo wewe huna mfuko wowote na kwanza haujalazimishwa kwa sababu hakuna mahali ulipigiwa kura lakini umedhihirisha uongozi na umedhihirisha mapenzi yako kwa wananchi wa Mombasa na pia kutusaidia sisi kuongeza mahaba yale ambayo wananchi wetu wako nayo kwetu. Kwa hivyo sisi kama waheshimiwa tunakushukuru na mahali popote ambapo fedha zile ziliweza kutoka tunakuombea Mwenyezi Mungu akurudishie na akuzidishie akuongezee ili inapofika mwakani uendeleo kuyatenda mema watu wa Mombasa na familia yako Mheshimiwa Spika pia ibarikiwe kwa kuwa wewe ulizaliwa na wakakulea wakakueka kwa mazingira kuwa na utu na ubinadamu kati na viongozi wengi ambao tuko nao katika taifa la Kenya ni wachache mno ambao katika tajriba yako wanajihusisha na wananchi wa chini.

Mheshimiwa Spika nikupongeze vilevile katika michuano hiyo kuna jambo ambalo ulitunyeshwa na tumejifunza kutoka kwako kwamba wale ambao serikali ya Kenya Kwanza inawaita *hustlers* ama wale kina mama wa kuuza vitu vya rejareja walipofika katika uwanja ule hukuwa unawauliza ni pesa ngapi wewe ulikuwa unachukua kama vitu viko kwa ndoo unasema watu wapewe wale ndio maana Mheshimiwa Spika kuna watu wengi sana ikiwemo kama Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri hakuwa anakosa kwa sababu alikuwa anajua akifika pale pia yeye kama ni njugu na zile damu anazozihitaji atazipata kwa wingi. Kwa hivyo hilo tunakupongeza na serikali ya Kenya Kwanza ije ijifunze kutoka kwako, wewe umedhihirisha uongozi ambao hata ukija ukiomba labda kura ya urais Mungu akipenda wananchi wa Kenya wanahaki na wanastahili kukupea.

[Applause]

Mheshimiwa Spika nikirudi katika hoja hii ya sisi kwenda katika mapumziko, nasimama kuiunga mkono kwa sababu tumekuwa na kipindi cha shughuli nyingi, tumekuwa na kipindi cha kuwa katika mipangilio hii ya mpira. Mheshimiwa Spika tumekuwa na kipindi hiki cha kutembea katika mitaa yetu na kukaa na wananchi wetu ili kuja na kuleta hoja katika Bunge hili. Kwa hivyo itakuwa ni sawa kama tutaenda katika mapumziko ili pia tuweze kupata muda na watoto wetu pia tufanye *bonding* na wale ambao kama ndugu nyangu Patrick Mbelle alikuwa ameniambia inapofika mwakani, ile *insurance* ambayo Mheshimiwa Spika mumelipia kama Bunge angetaka kuitumia kwamba yule dada yetu aliyemchukuwa afanye yale mambo ambayo Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri ameweza kufanya. Mheshimiwa hapa pia ameweza kufanya na wale wengine wengi ambao tumejitolea kufanya shughuli hiyo. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika nasimama kuunga mkono hoja hii, ahsante sana.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Frankline. Yes, Honourable Katana please make your contribution.

Hon. Katana: Mheshimiwa Spika nikushukuru kwa nafasi hii; tena mimi kama wenzangu pia nikupongeze kwa kazi nzuri unayoendelea kuifanya si kwa tu Bunge hili lakini kwa Kaunti ya Mombasa kwa jumla. Michezo iliyopita, ilikuwa ni ya maana sana kwa vijana wetu mitaani na ripoti zinazotufikia; ni kwamba hata vijana wengine wamepata mialiko ya kuweza kuchezea timu zengine, hata nyengine ni za kimataifa na wengine wameenda katika timu nyengine ambazo ni za viwango vya juu. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika pongezi na hili sisi hatukuombi.

Sisi tunashukuru na tunajigamba ya kwamba ndani ya ma Spika 47 sisi ndio tuliopata Spika mwenye utu na anaefanya kazi yake ya kimajukumu na vile vile anafanya kazi ya kujitolea hata kwa jamii. Na kwa sababu hiyo hatuna budi ya kukuombea maisha marefu Mheshimiwa Spika. Nikirudi katika swala lengine Mheshimiwa Spika ni kwamba tunapoenda mapumzikoni utaniruhusu nitoe nasaha pia kwa Waheshimiwa wenza, tunapokwenda mapumzikoni labda kazi zingine zimekuwa hazifanyiki kwa sababu ya Waheshimiwa tulikuwa tumechoka haswa wenye viti na manaibu wao. Inakuwa ni jambo la kuhuzunisha na la kuudhi, swala liwe limeletwa hapa kwa ajili ya kutaka suluhu ama kwa ajili ya kutaka maelezo zaidi alafu tunapata ripoti ambazo Mheshimiwa hazieleweki, inakuwa hapa tumekuja hapa kupoteza muda ama inakuwaje Mheshimiwa Spika. Ni ombi langu la kwamba Waheshimiwa wenza, tunapokwenda, kupumzika ili turudi na nguvu mpya basi tujue fika kwamba ni vizuri tujukumike kwa sababu wengi wanaouliza hapa Waheshimiwa, hawaulizi tu Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kuwa ni tuulize lakini, tuna vitu tunavyo vifanya kwa sababu ya watu waliotutuma hapa na kwa kuwa sijui kumpinga Kiongozi wa Wengi na kwa kuwa ni mgeni hapa. Kwa hivyo singeweza kutoa muelekezo zaidi lakini ingekuwa maoni yangu haya mapumziko, tungerudi tarehe 15 nikizingatia kwamba tarehe 14 itakuwa, sikuwaambia muzungumze Mheshimiwa Spika lakini nimesimama kuunga mkono. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Hamisi Nyota please make your contribution.

Hon. Hamisi Nyota: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika nimesimama kuunga mkono hoja hii iliyoletwa na ndugu yangu kiongozi wa wengi kwenye Bunge hili. Mheshimiwa Athman Mwamwiri. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi kama Mheshimiwa ambaye ni hatamu yangu ya kwanza kwenye Bunge hili, nimejifunza mengi na chini ya uwongozi wako, nimepata mafunzo mengi na nimepata muongozo mkubwa katika hii shughuli yangu ya kuongoza Ziwa la Ng'ombe. Mheshimiwa Spika, ningependa kuunga mkono ndugu yangu kusema kuwa kweli tuna majukumu ya wananchi kule chini, endapo tunafanya majukumu ndani ya Bunge hili pia wananchi wale tusiwasahau inafaa tutenge muda tuwe nao kwa sababu wale ndio waliotuchagua na sisi tunawa *represent* kwenye Bunge hili. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika, nimesimama kuunga mkono hoja hii mia fil mia, ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Fadhili Makarani the Deputy Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu): Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipa fursa hii ya na mimi pia kuweza kuchangia hoja iliyoletwa mbele yetu na Kiongozi wa Walio Wengi katika Bunge letu. Mheshimiwa Spika, hata mimi nitakuwa ni mkosa fadhila kama sitatoa shukrani zangu za dhati kutoka kwa watu wangu wa Port-Rietz na Changamwe kwa jumla, kwa ule umoja ambao na uongozi bora ambao umeweza kutuonyesha katika kipindi hichi ambacho umekuwa Kiongozi wetu. Kwa kweli kuna mengi ya kuigwa kutoka katika uongozi wako, nikirudi katika hoja yetu mimi naunga mkono hoja ya kuwa tuende mapumziko kama ilivyo kalenda yetu na kama ilivyo taratibu za Mabunge yote ndani ya Kenya yetu. Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi ningeomba ofisi yako ama kupitia kwa Kiongozi wa Walio Wengi, ofisi yako iweze kutoa taarifa kwa Gavana ambaye ni Gavana wa jimbo letu la Mombasa kuwa, mwaka huu ambao leo sisi tunaenda kupumzika Gavana ameweza kukiuka sheria kati ya sheria ambazo zipo

ndani ya Bunge letu ya kutokuja katika Bunge kuja kuhubiria Bunge letu Mheshimiwa Spika. Hivyo basi ningepomba hivi tukiwa tunaenda katika mapumziko ikiwa ni kupitia kwa Kiti chako Mheshimiwa Spika, ama ipitie kwa Kiongozi wa Walio Wengi lakini aweze kueleza ya kwamba mwaka huu amekosa kuja kuhutubia Bunge letu hili.

[Applause]

Mheshimiwa Spika tunaielewa ya kuwa kuna mengi ambayo yanafanywa ama serikali inaweza kufanya na sisi kama sisi kupata taarifa kutoka kwa Gavana na mipangilio yetu rasmi ndani ya Bunge letu kuwa inaweza kutupatia wakati mzuri wa sisi kuweza kufuatiliza pia katika zile ambazo atakuwa ameweza kuja mbele ya Bunge letu hili, kuja kueleza. Mheshimiwa Spika, vile vile mimi nawaomba wenzangu tunapokwenda katika mapumziko haya yawe yatakuwa ni mapumziko ambayo tunaendelea kuwahudumia watu wetu maana tunaielewa ya kwamba sisi tumechaguliwa na tumeambiwa mambo ni matatu. Mheshimiwa Spika, tumeambiwa sisi ni wawakilishi wa wananchi; vile vile sisi ni watunga sheria na sisi ni wasimamizi Mheshimiwa Spika ama ni masarahangi. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika, katika ule uakilishi naomba wenzangu tuendeleo kuhudumia wananchi wetu maana kupitia uongozi wako ndani ya Bunge letu kwa mara mbili mtawalia tumeweza kutoa katika taarifa tulizoziona kwenye magazeti, tumeweza kutoa Mheshimiwa Leila kama MCA bora. Vile vile tukaweza kutoa Mheshimiwa Fatuma Mote, pia kama MCA bora na vile vile tukaweza kutoa Karani wa Bunge ndugu yetu Salim Juma Katibu wa Bunge la Kaunti kama Katibu bora mara mbili. Hii yote Mheshimiwa Spika imetokana na uongozi wako na sio bure; ikiwa vyombo vyote vya habari ama wananchi wote wanazungumza kule chini wakisema Mombasa imepata Spika bora, Spika mtenda kazi, Spika anaefika chini kwa wananchi mashinani.

Mheshimiwa Spika, hiyo inadhihirisha wazi kuwa unatuonyesha mfano bora, kwa hivyo nawaomba wenzangu katika hili la kwenda kuwakilisha ama kuonana na wananchi wetu tufuate muelekeo ama muelekezo ambao tumepewa na Mheshimiwa wetu. Mheshimiwa Spika, Bunge lililopita uliweza kutuchambia visima katika Wodi zote Mheshimiwa Spika na mpaka leo vijana ama wananchi wameweza kufaidi yale maji ambayo wengi wanayapata bure Mheshimiwa Spika ama vijana wamepata ajira kutokana na uongozi wako, hivyo basi Mheshimiwa Spika mimi na wenzangu tunazidi kukuomba kwa Mwenyezi Mungu azidi kukupa muelekeo na uwezo kutuelekeza sisi kama watoto wako na panapo majaaliwa Mheshimiwa Spika, Mwenyezi Mungu akikupa nguvu uzidi, kutufanyia maana twajua yale yote unayoyafanya yanatokea mfukoni kwako wala sio katika hazina ya serikali. Mheshimiwa Spika mimi nachukuwa fursa hii kuwaomba wenzangu tuzidi kumuomba Spika wetu na sisi wenyewe tuzidi kujiomba na tuwe Bunge letu liwe litakuwa ni mfano bora katika mabunge yale mengine ya Kenya yetu. Naunga mkono hoja hii, ahsante.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Maimuna?

Hon. Maimuna Salim: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza nimshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu kwa kutujaalia kukutana hapa. Pili Mheshimiwa Spika, ninakupatia kongole na ninakuomba Mungu, Mwenyezi Mungu akuhifadhi na akulinde maana hii kazi unayofanya ya Mombasa ni kazi nzito sana na watu kuweza kukaa mahali pamoja, wakazungumza lugha moja kama viongozi inategemea ni kiongozi gani aliyeko mbele yetu. Umetumia hekima zako za mwisho, umetumia ujuzi wako na Mwenyezi Mungu atakulipa ujira wako kwa sababu umetuweka sote mahali pamoja na sote tunazungumza lugha moja. Mheshimiwa Spika, nashukuru sana tunaenda mapumziko lakini mapumziko haya tunaenda kufanya kazi mashinani

tuwezekukaa na watu wetu waliotuchagua ili tuweze kusikia maoni yao na sisi kuwa karibu na wao ndio mji wetu wa Mombasa tutajua ni kipi chenye kuwagusa wao na ni kipi ambacho tutaweza kukileta hapa Bungeni, ndio tuweze kuwaakilisha. Kwa hivyo Mheshimiwa Spika mimi langu la muhimu ni tuombeane Mungu na ikiwa kuna mahali tulikwazana tusameheane, kwa sababu muda wa miezi miwili ni muda mrefu sana. Kwa hivyo mahali tunapokaa tunakuombea Mungu, Mungu akupe hekima, akufungulie milango yako ya kheri na uweze kufanya kazi na sisi pamoja tuweze kusaidia watu wa Mombasa. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika, Mwenyezi Mungu akubariki.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Maimuna. Yes, Honourable Patrick Mbelle.

Hon. Mbelle: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza nikimnukuu Mheshimiwa Manuari katika mjadala uliokuwa asubuhi akisema mwaka huu tumejifungua na ni kweli mwaka huu nimejifungua mawazo na hekima Kwa mengi ambayo tumefanya katika Bunge hili. Nasema hivyo nikisema ya kwamba, nashukuru hata wale wenzetu ambao ni ma *senior*, ambao wametutangulia katika Bunge hili, wengi wametusaidia sisi ambao tulikuja wapya katika mawazo, katika kutushika mkono, kujenga na kupanua hoja katika njia ambayo inafaa. Nishukuru pia vile vile wanakamati wenzangu ambao nilikuwa na hudumu nao katika Kamati ya *Blue economy*, wamekuwa wanakamati wazuri, wanakamati wakakamavu na tumefanya kazi kwa pamoja muda huu wa mwaka mmoja na imani yangu ni kwamba kuna kazi kubwa ambayo inatungoza huko mbeleni, tutafanya tena kwa pamoja na kwa imani zaidi. Vile vile Mheshimiwa Spika nishukuru wale ambao tumefanya nao kazi katika Bunge hili wakiwemo ambao ni wafanyikazi wakiongozwa na Katibu Salim Juma, Katibu bora katika mwaka huu. Zile kura za maoni zote mbili zimefanywa niwashukuru kwa sababu nao vile vile wamejitolea kwa hali na mali katika hali ya kutuongoza sisi ambao tuko katika Bunge hili.

Ninachoomba kwao ni kwamba mwaka ujao unaokuja wazidi kutia bidii ya juu zaidi kwa sababu nikiangalia *order paper* ya leo yale ambayo yameandikwa leo ni kile ambacho ilikuwa tunatarajia tukifanye mwaka mzima lakini nashukuru kwa sababu tunamaliza na tunamaliza na *gear* kubwa zaidi, tunapoanza nafikiri tutaanza na *gear* kubwa zaidi ya hapo ili tuweze kunufaisha watu wetu wa Mombasa. Mwishowe, nikushukuru hata wewe Mheshimiwa Spika kwa ukakamavu wako na uadilifu na hekima ambayo umekuwa nayo kutuongoza sisi ambao tumeingia katika Bunge hili hasa hasa sisi ambao ni wapya, tuliitwa watoto tulipokuwa tunaingia lakini hivi sasa si wageni tena na si watoto tena tumekomaa na tuna uwezo mwaka ujao wakuitwa labda hata kama si ma *senior* lakini chini ya ma *senior* na tutafanya kazi na kufanya mambo kama vile ma *senior* wanavyofanya mwaka unaokuja Mwenyezi Mungu akituweka hai. Kwa hivyo niwatakie nyote Disemba njema, sikukuu njema na wakati ule wa *Eid* Mheshimiwa Kiongozi wa Wengi aliniongelesha kiarabu wakati huu nataka nitafute Ki Ibrania nimuongeshe Ki Ibrania lakini ahsanteni sana Mwenyezi Mungu atubariki sote. Ahsanteni.

[Applause]

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Patrick Mbelle. Yes, Honourable Arwa, please make your contribution?

Hon. Ojala: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika kunipa fursa hii. Nami pia nimesimama kuunga Hoja hii mkono ilioletwa na Kiongozi wa Wengi Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri.

Mheshimiwa Spika itakuwa ni vibaya kama mimi sitasimama mbele ya Jumba hili kutoa shukrani zangu za dhati kwako kama Kiongozi wangu. Maana wakati nilikuwa na pilka pilka umesimama na mimi mpaka leo hii nimerudi Bunge hili kama niko na nguvu! Sina cha kukulipa Mheshimiwa Spika...

[Applause]

Lakini Mungu atakulipa zaidi. Tena ningependa kushukuru wale Waheshimiwa wangu kusimama na mimi manake niko na Wenyevidi karibu watatu hapa walisimama na mimi; Mheshimiwa Abdirahman, Mheshimiwa Mbelle na Mheshimiwa Maryam wakati nilikuwa na pilka pilka walikuwa karibu na mimi na wale Waheshimiwa wengine Mungu awabariki sana kaeni na moyo huo huo na tushikane na twende mbele. Mheshimiwa Spika, sisi hatujui tukupe sifa gani maana kweli umekaa na sisi kama binadamu wakati ilikuwa sijaingia katika hili Jumba ilikuwa nasikia sifa zako nyingi sana na mimi nilipofika hapa nikasema nataka nijue huyu Spika ni mtu wa aina gani mbona yuko na sifa nyingi sana, nimekaa na wewe muda mrefu lakini nakushukuru vile ananichukulia, umenichukulia kama dadako haukunichukulia kama mimi ni Mheshimiwa. Maana wakati wowote nikiwa na shida unasimama na mimi. Mwenyezi Mungu akubariki sana na itakuwa ni vibaya kama nitasahau na Kiongozi wa Wengi Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri pia amesimama na mimi wakati wa pilka pilka...

[Applause]

Nikimwambia Kiongozi niko na shida hapa na hapa ananiambia Mheshimiwa usiwe na wasiwasi hiyo nitalishughulikia. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Mwamwiri Mwenyezi Mungu akubariki. Ahsanteni sana.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much. Yes, Honourable Athman Mwamwiri, you may reply.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwamwiri): Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika. Mheshimiwa Spika nishukuru Waheshimiwa kwa kuweza kuchangia lakini zaidi ya hapo nimwambie mdogo wangu hapa, kipenzi changu Mheshimiwa wa Chaani ya kwamba siku zote nyani ni kweli haoni kundule, amenisifia kwamba nilikuwa shabiki mkubwa wa mtanange wake lakini vile vile mlaji mkubwa wa njugu, korosho na kamba wa kukausha. Mheshimiwa Spika yeye pia niliweza kumuambukiza na wasiwasi wangu mimi pamoja na *appetite* niliyokuwa nayo lakini mimi najivunia kwamba ndani ya Bunge hili nina wakwe zangu; Mheshimiwa Leila ni mkwe wangu, Mheshimiwa Maimuna ni mkwe wangu, Mheshimiwa Hamida ni mkwe wangu, Mheshimiwa Nusura ni mkwe wangu na Mheshimiwa mama Mwaka. Kwa hivyo kula njugu na kamba wa kukausha Mheshimiwa Spika kwangu haina wasiwasi, wasiwasi wangu na Waswahili wanasema zingwi zingwi lipe nguo ulione mashuae Mheshimiwa alikula njugu na kamba...

[Laughter]

Hii Disemba Mwenyezi Mungu atuongoze na atusitiri Mheshimiwa Spika...

[Laughter]

Vile vile Mheshimiwa Spika katika kuwashukuru Waheshimiwa mimi pia najivunia kwamba niliweza kuwa miongoni mwa wale walioleta athari ya kukuza lugha ya Kiswahili katika Bunge hili. Kuna Waheshimiwa Mheshimiwa Spika walipokuja hapa walikuwa ni sawa sawa na *dictionary* ya *oxford* lakini sasa hivi pia nao wanaweza wakachangia kwa lugha ya Kiswahili akiwemo Mheshimiwa Joshua Ong'au, Mheshimiwa Madialo, Mheshimiwa Pamela na wengi akiwemo Mheshimiwa Nyota walikuwa wakijishuku na lugha yao ya Kiswahili lakini sasa hivi tunaweza endesha Hoja nzima ndani ya Bunge na kila mwenye kusimama akawa ni mwenye kuchangia kwa lugha ya Kiswahili. Mheshimiwa Spika hiyo ni fahari yetu kwa sababu Kiswahili ni asili yetu na ni utamaduni wetu tunaojivunia katika Gatuzi hili. Mheshimiwa Spika tukienda katika mapumziko kama nilivyotanguliza awali ni kuomba heri kwa Mwenyezi Mungu Mheshimiwa Spika kwako wewe kama Kiongozi wetu.

Vile vile Mheshimiwa Spika kwa maafisa wetu ambao wameweza kusimama na sisi na kuwa nguzo yetu ni ufanisi wa shughuli tulizofanya katika Bunge hili, kwa Waheshimiwa wenza kwa sababu pasi na Waheshimiwa katika Bunge hili hakuna shughuli zingeweza kusonga na nikubali pendekezo la Mheshimiwa ya kwamba ameweza kukosoa Mstahiki Gavana kwamba kwa kanuni za kudumu alipaswa kuja kutoa kauli katika Bunge hili na pengine alighafilika pengine upande wetu kama Mwakilishi wa Walio Wengi sikuweza kumkumbushia Mheshimiwa Spika lakini kifasaha amekosea Bunge na salamu hizi lazima zimfikie ya kwamba alipaswa angalau mara moja kwa mwaka kuweza kuhutubiwa Bunge hili Mheshimiwa Spika kwa ruwaza yake na yale aliyoyafanya na aliyopania ili tuweze kushika kutoka hapo kuweza kujenga nayo Hoja kuweza kwenda mbele. Mheshimiwa Spika niombe tu kwa Mwenyezi Mungu aweze kutubariki sisi sote atusahilishie kila palipo na uzito, atufanyie wepesi kule tunakokwenda katika majukumu haya aliyotukabidhi.

Mheshimiwa Spika Spika tujaze mahaba na wananchi wetu waweze kutupokea mikono miwili tukiwa nyanjani kwa hali tuliyo nayo Mheshimiwa Spika hali ya jamvi hali ya mkeka waweze kuturidhia, kutuelewa na kusimama na sisi katika kuipambania Kaunti yetu. Mheshimiwa Spika tunaomba Mwenyezi Mungu atupe afya na nguvu tuweze kurudi hapa kutekeleza majukumu haya na In Shaa Allah baada ya miaka mitano vile vile Mheshimiwa Spika waweze kutupatia fursa, kwa wale wenye nia ya kurudi hapa Mungu awajalie waweze kurudi na wale wenye nia ya kuwakilisha Mombasa katika ngazi nyengine ya juu vile vile Mwenyezi Mungu aweze kuwabariki na kuweza kutilimiza malengo yao. Kwa hayo mengi Mheshimiwa Spika nasema shukran tuwe na sikukuu njema na mwaka mpya wenye mafanikio kwetu sote. Shukran.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you Honourable Mwamwiri. Honourable Members, under Standing Order 25 (3) no question to be put so Clerk next Order please.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

ADJOURNMENT OF SECOND SESSION

Thank you, very much and good afternoon, again Honourable Members. Honourable Members we are today gathered here this Wednesday, the sixth of December, 2023 to mark the conclusion of the Second Session of our legislative calendar of the County Assembly of Mombasa, which commenced on Tuesday 7th February, 2023. It is by the grace of God that we have reached this far and I hereby extend my heartfelt gratitude to the Almighty for the gift of life, good health and guidance that has enabled us effectively execute our constitutional mandates of Representation, Legislation and Oversight.

Honourable Members, over the course of this session, I am honored and delighted to acknowledge that the various capacity building initiatives that the County Assembly has invested in have culminated into improved and better quality of debates with sound resolutions.

[Applause]

Progressively, our Members have been proving their prowess in meaningful engagements and articulation of issue-based debates whose impact have been felt by the majority of the middle to low-income earners in our society. I am therefore greatly honoured to be part and parcel of this August House and delighted to report that a total of 34 substantive Motions have been passed in this House and cumulatively 72 Motions constituting of procedural and substantive being approved. In addition, there have been an array of legislative efforts whose impact have been felt by the majority of our people through the legislation and resolutions passed on the floor of this House. Notably, the Motion on Ensuring Access to Free Sanitary Pads for Girls in Mombasa has not only been fruitfully discussed and approved but its implementation status by the Executive is at an advanced stage.

[Applause]

The passing of this particular Motion will ensure girls will remain in school without any disruptions to their studies due to lack of sanitary pads. This showcases the tangible outcomes that can emerge from our collaborative efforts as representatives of the people. This is also a clear demonstration of our leadership in finding sustainable and tangible solutions and outcomes. Honourable Members, in the realm of legislative proposals, our Assembly has been playing her rightful roles in creating the necessary legislative framework for Mombasa County as envisaged in the Constitution. Recently, the Assembly passed the Mombasa County Solid Waste Management Amendment Act which was approved on Wednesday 1st November, 2023. This law will ensure all ships docking at the Mombasa Port pay a charge for removal of solid waste by the County government. The monies realized from this initiative will not only enhance our local revenue collections but also will be channeled towards our development endeavors within the County. This shows our commitment as a legislature to ensure sustainable development of our County as it has widened our local revenue streams. This is also a welcome move for our County since as Representatives of the people and leaders we are exploring opportunities for alternative income streams instead of overburdening our residents and business community.

I, also wish to mention that our continued investment in capacity building initiatives for Honourable Members has not been in vain, and we can all draw inspiration from legislative proposals such as the Mombasa County Street Naming and Property Addressing Bill, 2023 that was sponsored by Honourable Abdulrahman Hussein, the Member for Old Town/Mji wa Kale Ward. This is a commendable legislative proposal from one of us and I encourage every Member to actively participate in shaping our legislative agendas as it is through such proactive involvement that we can truly make a lasting and positive impact on the well-being of our constituents. Honourable Members, during this Session, 6 Bills have been considered and passed; the Motions and the Bills brought forward by various Members reflect the diverse range of issues that concern our constituents across the 30 Wards in our County. It is heartening to witness such active engagements by our Honourable Members in shaping the legislative landscape of our County. Honourable Members, in the spirit of creating a conducive working environment, I am pleased to inform you that there are ongoing renovations at the County Assembly in order to give the Assembly the much-needed face-lift.

The transformation of our workspace is not merely a cosmetic endeavor but an investment in creating an environment that fosters productivity and collaboration among Members. This physical enhancement aligns with our vision of dynamic and forward-thinking legislative body. Honourable Members, looking ahead to the next session in 2024, I am excited to announce our commitment to embracing technological advancements. The move towards becoming an E-Parliament, a paperless system is currently a priority under consideration by the County Assembly. This strategic shift not only reflects our commitment to efficiency but also emphasizes our responsibility toward environmental sustainability. I urge all Members to actively support and adapt to this transformative change going forward. Honourable Members, in the pursuit of efficiency, I must acknowledge the establishment of offices for the Nominated Members of the County Assembly at the Social Security House along Nkrumah Road. This strategic move is aimed at streamlining our operations, enhancing effectiveness and ensuring that every Member, including the specially elected can contribute to our legislative duties.

Honourable Members, language is a powerful tool that can either foster inclusivity or create barriers. Recognizing the linguistic diversity of our County, the County Assembly Service Board is currently considering the Motion recently adopted in this House on translation of our Standing Orders into Kiswahili. This initiative; if realized, will not only make our proceedings more accessible but also resonate well with the cultural richness of our community. Honourable Members, lastly, I want to express my profound appreciation to all Members for their enthusiastic patronage of the recently concluded Speaker's Cup. The Speaker's Cup is the brainchild of yours truly and was founded in 2018 whereby the first Edition was held at Uwanja wa Mbuzi, and the winning team was Shanzu Ward under the then able leadership of Honourable Maimuna Salim. The Corona pandemic however disrupted the tournament and the Second Edition was held from September, 2023 and the finals were conducted on 3rd December, 2023. This tournament has been more than just a sporting event where the winner takes it all; it has been a platform to foster teamwork and mentorship amongst the Members of County Assembly and the youth in their Wards, nurturing talents, reviving of football in Mombasa and promoting healthy competition amongst Members. This was clear during the finals when all Members came to support the two teams; Changamwe and Majengo that had made it to the finals. I, once again congratulate Changamwe Ward under the patronage of Honourable Bernard Ogutu who took the cup home.

To the first runners up, you gave it your best and congratulations for giving Changamwe a run for their money. As your Speaker, I am committed to sponsor any football player who participated in the Speaker's Cup should they be identified either by a local or international team; I will facilitate their travel expenses, including accommodation to enable them attend trials. The Speaker's Cup is not merely about winning the prize but investing in the potential and aspiration of the youths who are the future leaders of this County and Country. In the Speaker's Cup we are all ultimately winners as the togetherness that it promotes lives on. Honourable Members, in conclusion, let us enter this adjournment period with a sense of accomplishment and pride in what we have collectively achieved. As you are aware, we have festivities ahead of us and as you proceed to be with your electorate, I also wish to remind you that should there be any urgent legislative business that may require your approval, you will be notified to attend plenary sittings of the County Assembly. Honourable Members, as you take this well-deserved break, I encourage you to reflect on the impact of your work and return rejuvenated for the tasks that lie ahead of us. May the recess be a time of rest, reflection, and renewed determination to serve the people of Mombasa with dedication and distinction. Honourable Members, thank you, and may our collective efforts continue to shape the destiny of our beloved County. I also take this early opportunity to wish you happy holidays and a prosperous New Year, 2024.

[Applause]

Ndugu zangu Waheshimiwa, labda nikimalizia niweze kusema binadamu si kamili na hakuna aliye kamili isipokuwa ni Mwenyezi Mungu na mimi kama ndugu yenu mdogo, kiongozi wenu ambaye mumeniamini kwa kunipigia kura kwa wingi ambayo haijatokeapo nafikiri Kenya nzima na hii kwa mara ya pili...

[Applause]

Niweze kuwaambia kwamba hilo jambo silichukuli kwa urahisi na najua ni heshima kubwa mumenipa lakini kama vile nimesema mimi ni binadamu, na binadamu sio kamili na sikosi mapungufu yangu najua niko nayo na hata mimi mwenyewe hujua pia huwa niko nayo. Ningeomba mama zangu, ndugu zangu kama nimewakosea kwa njia yeyote munisamehe maana yake mimi pia ni binadamu...

[Applause]

Kama nyinyi mumenikosea, nimewasamehe kwa ajili ya Mwenyezi Mungu na kwa niaba ya hili Bunge hili la Kaunti ya Mombasa, niweze kusema huu muda ambao tumekaa na nyinyi tumekaa kama familia na nashukuru Mungu fitina zilikuwa kidogo kidogo lakini kila mmoja hapa nashukuru Mungu hatuna kipofu kila mmoja ana macho na ana masikio na Waswahili wanasema mwenye macho haambiwi tazama. Kwa hivyo nyote munaona na muna masikio pia munasikiza. Tuendeleeni hivyo hivyo, tubebane hata nyinyi pia mukiwa na viongozi wenzenu kama mtu amemkosea mwenzake pia musameheane maana yake hii dunia vile inavyokwenda, unajua zamani tulivyokuwa watoto tulikuwa tukiambiwa tu tukiona watu wanaenda lakini saa hii nafikiri nyinyi wenyewe munajionea. Unaweza kuwa uko na mtu leo, kesho ukasikia ameanguka ama umezungumza na mtu usiku asubuhi ukaambiwa ameenda. Sasa ningeomba musibebe kila kitu kwenye roho jamaa, kama mtu ana ishuru na mwenzake mukae muongee. Zile chuki na fitina hapa na hapa ama wewe ubebe ya huyu umuite yule hivi tuacheneni. Kila mmoja alivyokuja hapa anajua vile alivyokuja hivyo tusaidianeni tukaeni kama familia moja tuambiane hapa kuna mahali pa kurekebisha turekebishe na kama mimi ninavyosema milango yangu yako wazi kama kuna jambo lolote tukaeni Waheshimiwa mimi si kamili, kamili ni Mwenyezi Mungu na hata nyinyi pia si kamili.

Kwa hivyo tuongozane kwa sababu hekima ni kitu muhimu, kuna kitu mimi naweza kuwa mimi sikioni lakini nyinyi mwakiona na kuna kitu Mheshimiwa wewe huwezi kukiona lakini Mheshimiwa mwenzu anakiona. Najua matarajio yalikuwa mengi maana hata wenzenu nimezungumza nao wengine waniambia hii kazi sioni hata huo mwaka wa 2027 ikifika kama nitaweza kusimama tena kwa sababu majukumu ni mengi na nawaelewa pia majukumu yenu ni mengi, lakini tuwe na subira na Mungu mbele kwa sababu tulipofika hapa, si kwa ujanja wetu ni kwa sababu ya Mwenyezi Mungu, kwa hivyo tukiweka Mungu mbele tutakuwa na imani zaidi na kila kitu kitakuwa rahisi kwetu. Kwa hayo mengi machache, nisingeweza pia kuwacha wafanyi kazi wakiongozwa na ndugu yetu Bwana Salim Juma, Bi. Dorothy Auma na Bw. Abdalla Khamis na Mpambe mkuu tuko nae pale na wengine wote upande wa Hansard huku shukrani kwenu nyote kwa sababu bila nyinyi pia leo tusingeweza kuwa pale tuko. Hata kama ni kazi twajua uliajiriwa kufanya hio kazi lakini pia nina imani kuwa hawa Waheshimiwa munawasaidia na mimi sana nina imani huwa munasaidia kwa mambo mengi maana yake tumeweza kuishi na nyinyi leo ni mwaka wa sita huu. Kwa hivyo kuishi na nyinyi mwaka wa sita nisingeweza kuwaita ni wafanyi kazi wenza maana yake mimi pia ni mfanyajikazi lakini niweze kusema sisi ni familia moja hapa, si ndio?

Kwa hivyo, turekebishane pia hata nyinyi kama mnaona kuna mahali tunakosea, mutuambie pia turekebishe na Waheshimiwa pia kama kuna mahali ambao kuna mvutano kidogo pia tukaeni chini turekebishe, ya muhimu zile aibu zetu zibakie hapa ndani. Ahsanteni sana kwa hayo mengi na Mungu awabariki nyote na muwe na jioni njema.

[Applause]

Yes, Clerk next order please.

ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Members, this House stands adjourned until Tuesday, 13th February, 2024 at 10:00 a.m God willing.

The House rose at 4:55p.m.