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*The House met at the County Assembly Chamber,
Malindi Town, at 9:30 a.m.*

[The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire) in the Chair]

PRAYER

PAPERS LAID

FIRST AND SECOND QUARTER REPORTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND ICT FOR
THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH 2023

Hon. (Ms.) Koki: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. I beg to lay the following Paper on the Table:

First and Second Quarter Reports for the Department of Education and ICT for the quarter ended 31st March 2023.

(Hon. (Ms.) Koki laid the document on the Table)

QUARTERLY AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS REPORTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF GENDER,
CULTURE, SOCIAL SERVICES AND SPORTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH 2023.

Hon. (Ms.) Koki: Hon. Speaker, again, I beg to lay the following Paper on the Table:

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Quarterly and Financial Statements Reports for the Department of Gender, Culture, Social Services and Sports for the quarter ended 31st March 2023.

(Hon. (Ms.) Koki laid the document on the Table)

MOTION

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE REMOVAL OF MS. ROSE JUMWA NGOWA, MR. RAYMOND MRAMBA MWENI, MR. ALPHONCE B. MRIMA AND MS. PATIENCE MWANGIRI AS MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

PROCEDURE FOR ROLL-CALL VOTING

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Members, before the Mover moves the Motion, allow me to give an appropriate communication on the same. The House received a Petition by Ms. Zena Achieng Mohammed on Wednesday afternoon Sitting on 17th May 2023. The same was committed to the Sectoral Committee on Devolution, Public Service and Disaster Management to investigate and make recommendations on whether the Petition discloses grounds for removal Pursuant to Standing Orders 63A of the County Assembly of Kilifi. The procedure of how such an investigation should be carried out is clearly stated in our Standing Orders.

The Committee had ten days to conclude this matter before reporting to the House; that time lapsed on Wednesday, 31st May 2023. Pursuant to Standing Order 63A (8) of the County Assembly Standing Orders, the House was required to consider the Report within 14 days of which today is the 13th day.

Hon. Members, the Report was tabled during a Special Sitting; Gazette Notice No. 7176, on Wednesday, 7th June 2023. As a requirement, once a Report has been tabled, the Clerk of the County Assembly was mandated to forward the Report to the petitioner and the aforementioned Members of the County Public Service Board (CPSB) and therefore the House will consider the Report after three days as provided for in Standing Order No. 64(2). The three days lapsed yesterday evening or by midnight yesterday; this was done on 8th June 2023.

Hon. Members, I wish to confirm that in considering this matter, the House complied with all the provisions of Standing Orders 63A of the County Assembly of Kilifi.

Hon. Members, Standing Orders 69(2) requires that a division be taken where the Constitution or any law lays down that a fixed majority to decide any question. This is a Special Motion that requires a threshold of 75 per cent of all County Assembly Members as provided for under Standing Order 63A (10) and therefore this matter will be resolved by roll call voting pursuant to Standing Order 70.

Hon. Members, for matters of guidance and clarity, Standing Order 70 provides as follows:

- 1) "When the Speaker directs a roll call voting to be taken, the Division Bell shall be rung for ten minutes.

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- 2) The names of one teller for the “Ayes” and one teller for the “Noes” shall be submitted to the Speaker and the Speaker shall direct the tellers to take seats at a designated place.
- 3) At the end of ten minutes, the Speaker shall direct the doors to be locked and the Bar drawn, and no Member shall thereafter enter or leave the County Assembly until after the roll call vote has been taken.”

I am very slow so you can understand. Hon. Members.

- 4) “When the doors have been locked and the Bar drawn and the names of the tellers have been announced, the Speaker shall put the question again and direct the Clerk to call out the names of Members in alphabetical order in the presence of the tellers.
- 5) When called out, each Member shall thereupon rise in his or her place and declare assent or dissent to the question in the following manner “**I vote Yes**” or “**I vote No**” or “**I Abstain**” or use the appropriate Kenyan sign language.”

So, there are three positions; “Yes”, “No”, “Abstain” or use appropriate Kenyan Sign language. I will not appreciate it if you use sign language because I think there is nobody who has a challenge in speaking, so just say yes, No or abstain. We will not admit sign language because you will be confusing the Speaker and the Tellers as well. Finally,

- 6) “After the Clerk has read the last name in the Division list, the tellers shall present the result of the roll call vote to the Speaker who shall thereupon announce the result of the vote to the County Assembly.”

Thank you very much, hon. Members. I, therefore, call upon the Mover to move the Motion. I think you are well-guided.

MOTION

ADOPTION OF THE REPORT ON THE REMOVAL OF MS. ROSE JUMWA NGOWA, MR. RAYMOND MRAMBA MWENI, MR. ALPHONCE B. MRIMA AND MS. PATIENCE MWANGIRI AS MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Hon. Zia: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to move the following Motion:

THAT, this House adopts the Report of the Sectoral Committee on Devolution, Public Service and Disaster Management on the removal of Ms. Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Mr. Raymond Mramba Mweni, Mr. Alphonse B. Mrima and Ms. Patience Mwangiri as Members of the County Public Service Board Pursuant to Section 58(5) of the County Governments Act, 2012 and Standing Order 63A of the County Assembly Standing Orders laid on the Table of this House on Wednesday, 7th June 2023.

Mr. Speaker, I will also wish to read the findings and recommendations before I call the Seconder of this Motion. Members, let us go to page 22 of the Report whereby you will find out the observations and findings.

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So, after many deliberations having considered the oral and written submissions as well as the documents adduced, the Committee made the following observations and findings on the Petition for removal of members of the CPSB (County Public Service Board). So, according to our observations;

1. That, based on the judgment of the Employment and Labour relations court petition number E001 of 2021 Malindi, the members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni, the committee found that they violated Article 27(3) and 47 (1) of the Constitution by participating and undertaking the flawed process of recruitment for the position of Director Environment.
2. That, the actions of the members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni to undertake and participate in a flawed recruitment process for the position of Director Environment offered in the provisions of Article 10, 73(2) and that of 232 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and Section 65 of the County Government Act, 2012.
3. That, the failure to submit regular reports to the County Assembly on the executions of the functions of the Board and the promotion of the values and principles referred to in Articles 10 and 232 in the County Public Service offends the provisions of Section 59 (1) & (f) of the County Governments Act, 2012. The members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni did not provide any evidence of informing the County Assembly of their inability to submit the regular reports due to budgetary constraints.
4. That, the action of the members of the CPSB to let the parallel advertisements for the same position with conflicting requirements for appointment amounts to incompetence.
5. That, the actions of the CPSB to resolve to have two secretaries to the Board; one in an acting capacity and a substitute one amounts to the gross misconduct. The members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni could not explain reasons why the Board was using both an electronic signature of their substantive secretary to the Board and the one of the acting secretary. No evidence to support the use of electronic signature was adduced before the committee.
6. That, the grounds for removal of the four members of CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni as set out in the petition relating to serious violation of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and the County Governments Act, 2012 and other laws, gross misconduct and incompetency were substantiated.

So, on page 23, Mr. Speaker, you will find that there are some recommendations that the committee proposed so that the Members of this House will come to a conclusion.

Pursuant to Section 58(5) of the County Governments Act, 2012 and Standing Order 63(A) having considered the petition, details, submissions and evidence submitted orally and in writing, the committee is satisfied and finds that the following grounds contained in the petition relating to the removal of the four members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse

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B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni have been substantiated and recommends their removal for:

1. Serious violation of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and other laws.
2. Gross misconduct in the performance of their functions and,
3. Incompetence.

That, the County Assembly votes and resolves that the Petition for removal of the four members of the CPSB namely Rose Jumwa Ngowa, Alphonse B. Mrima, Patience Mkambe Mwangiri and Raymond Mramba Mweni discloses sufficient grounds for removal and the resolution be transmitted to the Governor as provided for in Standing Order 63(A, 10) of the County Assembly of Kilifi Standing Orders. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. Let me call upon hon. Justin Rafiki to second.

Hon. Rafiki: Thank you, hon. Speaker, I stand to second the Motion. Kindly permit me to give my submission.

When the Committee on Devolution was mandated by this hon. House to interrogate the Petition, the respondents appeared before the committee for their defense. It came to my attention that the Board was taken to court for violation of the rights of the petitioner enshrined in Articles 27 and 47 of the Constitution. In the judgment delivered on 19th of November 2021, the court found the Board as culprits of violation of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 a decision which the Board had a right to appeal, and they did not appeal that judgment.

So, in my observation, hon. Speaker, the failure of the Board to appeal the ruling confirmed exactly that they did this with their knowledge and deliberately. To add to that hon. Speaker, the petitioner was added costs by the court. It is my view that as the County Government of Kilifi why should we continue shouldering financial burdens for mistakes done by rogue officers of the Board?

Hon Speaker, allow me to rest my submission on that area, I stand to support the Motion. Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): You second?

Hon. Rafiki: Yes, I stand to second, Mr. Speaker, Sir.

(Question proposed)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Members, you can now put your request through for debate. Hon. Betty.

Hon. (Ms.) Betty: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza, ningetaka kuunga mkono Mswada huu wa kutolewa Bodi ambayo inasimamia maswala ya wafanyikazi katika Kaunti yetu ya Kilifi.

Mheshimiwa Spika, mimi katika hili Bunge niko hapa kusimamia vijana wetu wa Kilifi. Katika hii Bodi mbali na mambo ambayo yameandikwa hapa, vijana wetu huko nje wanalia, wengine wanajitowa uhai kwa sababu, mheshimiwa Spika, katika kaunti yetu hakuna muelekeo mwafaka wa kupenana hizi kazi ambazo kila siku zinatolewa.

Ni Bodi hii hii ambayo ilikuwa ikisimamia mambo ya wafanyikazi .Wiki chache zilizopita, tuliona katika mitandao kuna ile kitu inaitwa *ghost workers* ni Bodi hii ambayo inajua haya mambo kuhusiana na *ghost workers*, sasa kwa nini huyu mama asiende pamoja na hii Bodi

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yake? Kwa hizi sababu zote, waheshimiwa wenzangu, nawaomba huyu mama pamoja na hiyo Bodi yake waweze kuondoka ili tuweze kuweka Bodi ingine ambayo itaweza kufanya kazi pamoja na watu wa Kilifi. Kwa hayo Rose Ngowa *must go*. Asante.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Mkumbi (Mariam).

Hon. Mariam: Asante sana, Bw. Spika, kwa kunipa fursa hii. Vile vile, mimi nasimama kuunga mkono kuwa hii Bodi iende. Mimi kama mmoja wa wale wanachama wa Kamati ya *Devolution* ile kazi ambayo tuliifanya ilikuwa kazi ya maana sana na haikuwa rahisi kwa sababu ilikuwa lazima tuwe na thibitisho ndio tusimame tukizungumza na nguvu zetu zote. Ni kumaanisha kama vile Ripoti ilivyosema hawa watu hawastahili kuendelea kukaa kwa ile Bodi. Na hili jambo ni jambo ambalo liko katika upeo wa umma na sisi kama wawakilishi wa wananchi tuko hapa ili kuhakikisha kuwa wananchi wa hii Kaunti wanapata huduma zinazostahili.

Ukizunguka kule mashinani wakati hii ilienda kwa mitandao na kuwa hawa watu waende ile *support* ambayo ungeona kutoka kwa wananchi wote katika hii mitandao ni kumaanisha kuwa wananchi hawakuwa wanaridhika na ile Bodi. Sasa, mimi naomba waheshimiwa wenzangu kwamba sisi tumekuja hapa kwa ajili ya wananchi na ikiwa wananchi wenyewe wamedhibitisha kuwa hii Bodi haiwafai sisi ni kina nani ikiwa sisi ni wawakilishi wa wananchi. Kwa hivyo, mimi naunga mkono mia bin mia kuwa hii Bodi iende nyumbani. Shukrani.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Shehe.

Hon. Shehe: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. I stand to support this very important step that the committee on Devolution has taken. This is very important because of saving the face of our County of Kilifi. I support this totally because of the nepotism that has been shown by this Board. I have been hearing a lot of cries from the public that people were employed, and they have stayed for more than ten years without even a letter of appointment. You wonder how the competence of this Board has been. You look at a situation where people have been struggling to see others being employed, and in the second or third month, they are given a confirmation letter while others don't get it at all.

I find a very irrational system that this Board has been incompetently using to disapprove maybe the competency of our face in this County of Kilifi. It is in the public domain elsewhere and everywhere that those people that were employed by this Public Service Board must be vetted afresh because I do not imagine that they were competent, and they had relevant documents. I would imagine sincerely, if possible, Mr. Speaker, Sir, those that will be taking these positions will learn from what this Board has undergone. I rise to support this Motion and congratulate the Committee on Devolution. Thank you very much.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. (Ms.) Meso.

Hon. (Ms.) Meso: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir, for giving me this chance. First of all, I would like to congratulate the Committee on Devolution; they have done great work and I stand to support the removal of this Board. I can remember in the Second Assembly there was a Petition, I think by the same lady, Zena. She went to court and won the petition but unfortunately, it did not reach the Assembly. This time we are lucky enough because it has reached the Assembly.

This Board has actually made our Governor have horrible work because of the ghost workers, that they are people who have employed the ghost workers since 2013/14. Again, you will find that they have had casual workers for so many years and they are not being employed to permanent positions, the reason why is best known to them.

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Another point is you will find that reaching this Assembly even the Second Assembly was just a problem to them this time it forced them to come to the Devolution Committee because of the Petition.

So, I really stand to support this Motion and we put in in black and white that all Board members must go. They have really frustrated our youth; I stand with mheshimiwa Betty that the youth in Kilifi are really suffering because of this Board. None of them has been employed, we have a lot of work for the *vijanas*, why? This Board did not want to employ them for reasons best known to them, but the day is today that Kilifians are watching us, and this is the day that we want this Board to go come rain come sunshine. I stand to support. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Rashid.

Hon. Rashid: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir, for giving me this opportunity to echo my sentiments. I am among the Committee Members of Devolution who interrogated the petitioner and the respondents. We had both of them and we put into consideration the mechanisms and finally, we came to our senses and made the Report. I am among the Committee Members who adopted the Report and put it very clear that they must go home and for those reasons, hon. Members, I am saying they must go home.

Hon. Ziro: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I stand to support the Motion as one of the public works officers who has been working with the County Government of Kilifi and I was a victim of the Board. I remember when I went for (*inaudible*) in my career; I was really frustrated by this Board. The people who were employed by Kilifi County Government are not comfortable and are really crying for the removal of this Board.

So, Mr. Speaker, I do not see the reason why we should allow them to stay and continue mistreating our people. I stand to support. This Board should have gone as earlier as yesterday.

Hon. (Ms.) Mapenzi: Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa kunipa fursa hii. Nashukuru Mungu kwa kukuona maana nimekupeza...

(Laughter)

Nimesimama kuunga mkono Wanakamati wa *Devolution* wakiongozwa na mheshimiwa Zia. Kufikia sasa, Kaunti yetu iko mikononi sawa na hatutakaa kutazama mmoja au wawili wanao dhamiria kuvuta nyuma jimbo letu....

(Hon. Ibrahim stood on a Point of Order)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire) There is a Point of Order from hon. Ibrahim.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Ibrahim): Asante, Bw. Spika. Naomba mnenaji aweke sawa jambo. Nimemsikia akisema ni kitambo amekupeza, amekupeza hapa Bunge ama? Kuna umuhimu tumuelewa maana tumekuwa tukikuona, Bw. Spika. Nataka asawazishe hayo maneno...

(Laughter)

Hon. (Ms.) Mapenzi: Asante sana, Bw. Spika. Kiongozi wa Wengi, mheshimiwa Ibrahim, nimempeza mheshimiwa Spika hapa Bungeni. Ni vipindi kadhaa tumekuwa na mheshimiwa Sophia na mheshimiwa Stephen; hakuniaga...

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(Laughter)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): I was unwell, and we also had a long recess. So do not worry. I am fine.

Hon. (Ms.) Mapenzi: Sasa turudini kwa mada. Nilikuwa nazungumuzia kuhusu usafi, usawa na haki katika jimbo letu. Viongozi wetu wamechaguliwa kuwatendea haki wananchi, hivyo nitarudia kusema kwamba itakuwa sio sawa kutazama watu kurudisha nyuma hili jimbo. Nitanukuu methali inayosema “zimwi linapokula mnyonge wenye nguvu funga mlango”. Hatujui wale wanyonge waliokuwa wanaliwa labda waliokuwa wanafwata ni watu kama sisi.

Kwa hivyo hatutasubiria zimwi kututafuna na kwa sababu hiyo, tunahitaji usafi na usawa katika kila afisi ndani ya jimbo la kilifi. Wacha Rose Ngowa na wenzake wawe funzo kwa yeyote yule anayedhamiria kutenda utovu wa nidhamu katika utendakazi wake. Nimesimama kusema Rose Ngowa na wenzake tunawapenda lakini tunahitaji usafi katika kazi, waende kupumzika wengine wanangoja tuwaweke afisini na wafanye kazi iliyo safi.

Hon. Oscar: Asante, Bw. Spika, kwa fursa hii kuchangia mada iliyo mbele yetu leo. Pili, nishukuru Mungu kwa uhai kwa sababu juzi tu ulisema hujihisi vizuri. Mungu azidi kukuweka Spika wetu.

Tatu, nataka kuipa hongera Kamati ya *Devolution* maana ilikaa na kutathmini kulingana na sheria kutoka kwa Mwenyekiti Zia, nawapa kongole; ni jambo la maana mulilofanya. Nimesimama kuunga mkono mia asili mia swala hili na niko na mambo matatu. Ukosefu wa ajira hapa kwetu umekuwa donda sugu, sio kwa vijana au wazee, ni Kilifi kwa ujumla na sisi kama viongozi tumepewa jukumu la kuhakikisha kwamba ukosefu wa ajira tunaupunguza kama sio kumaliza kabisa. Jukumu tulilopewa lina changamoto kubwa. Ikiwa watu tuliowachagua kusimamia swala hilo wako na mambo fiche inakuwa ni kazi ngumu kwa sisi viongozi kuwasilisha mada hii kwa watu wetu.

Ningependa kugusia swala lililozungumziwa na Kamati; swala la utepetevu katika utekelezaji wa katiba uliyofanyika. Kuvunja sheria na kukiuka Katiba ni jambo linalofaa kuangaliwa kwa mkazo sana. Hili sio jambo lililoumiza watu wa Kilifi pekee lakini linaumiza Kenya nzima maana Katiba iko ili watu wafwate; sasa ukienda kando na katiba, hatutaruhusu.

Ile *Task Force Report* inayosemekana inafaa ifike Bungeni ina malimbikizo ya kwamba wale *ghost workers* waliokuwa wameajiriwa kwa miaka kumi (10) iliyopita walikuwa wakipokea kima cha kadri ya shilingi milioni moja na laki tano haijafika Bungeni lakini ni mambo ambayo yako. Kima hiki kwa mwaka mzima ni shilingi milioni 14, kwa kipindi cha miaka 10 ni zaidi ya shilingi milioni mia moja na themanini za watu wa Kilifi zilizokuwa zikipotea. Hili ni jambo kubwa na ni swala ambalo linapaswa kuangaziwa. Zimekuwa zikipotea kwa sababu ya utepetevu wa Bodi; ingekuwa Bodi hii inafanya kazi sawa, haya mambo yasingetokea.

Mheshimiwa Spika, barabara zetu zinahitaji kufanyiwa maendeleo. Shilingi milioni 180 zingesaidia sekta yetu ya afya sehemu kubwa sana. Mbali na hivyo, zingeweza kupatia ajira vijana wetu. Jambo lingine ni hawa vibarua; kwa kipindi cha miaka 10 unapata mtu amejiriwa kama kibarua; hiyo sio haki wala sawa. Kama Bodi hii ni *mismanagement*, wale wanahusishwa na mambo kama haya wachukuliwe hatua. Mfanyikazi ambaye amekaa katika kibarua kwa zaidi ya miaka miwili au mitatu inapaswa awe amechukuliwa *permanent*. Tunafaa kusimama kama Bunge kuhakikisha kwamba hawa wafanyikazi wetu wanaangaliwa na Kilifi inaboreshwa.

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La mwisho, hii Bodi imehangaisha vijana wetu kupitia maswala ya ufisadi. Ukiangalia saa hii uchumi uko vibaya. Kijana yuko na vigezo vyote vya kuajiriwa lakini akifika pale anarudi akisema ameitishwa kitu kidogo. Jambo hili linawavunja moyo hata wasomi wetu wa Kilifi, wanaogopa hata ku *apply* hizo kazi. Mimi kama kiongozi, siwezi liruhusu liendeleo na siwezi simama katika Bunge hili nikaruhusu utepetevu wa maadili katika Bodi ya kuajiri. Kwa sababu hizi, nimesimama kuunga mkono Hoja hii na niko na uhakikisho kusema huyu mama na Bodi yake lazima waende. Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika.

Hon. (Ms.) Koki: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir, for giving me this opportunity and I stand to support the Motion for the following reasons. We are all aware that this Board came into office in July 2019.

With me here is the County Governments Act and I will read something from the Act, Section 59 on the functions and powers of a County Public Service Board. One of the functions is: the functions of the County Public Service Board shall be on behalf of the County Government; we have (a) up to (j), but I will read (d) and (f).

It says:

- “(d) Prepare regular reports for submission to the county assembly on the execution of the functions of the Board.
- (f) Evaluate and report to the county assembly on the extent to which the values and principles referred to Articles 10 and 232 are complied with in the county public service.”

I want to report to this hon. House this is because I sit in the Committee of Devolution that this Board ever since they came into office, they have never submitted any report to this Assembly. That means they have violated the County Governments Act.

When we sat at the committee level and asked this Board why they have never submitted any of these reports, we were told that they did not have funds to do photocopies. They did not have the funds to send the document to the County Assembly. They did not have funds to do even email because they do not have Wi-Fi. They do not have fuel.

This same Board, I happened by the grace of God and not of my own wish, to have been in this House in the Second Assembly and now the Third Assembly and I sit in the Committee of Budget, and we have been allocating budgets to this same Board. If they did not have funds, did they ever communicate to the Clerk or to the Speaker of this House that they do not have funds for them to be able to submit the Reports that are supposed to have been submitted every December to this House? That is totally disrespectful of them and the reasons that we were given are the ones that I am telling you today.

Mr. Speaker, Sir, I want to tell you something about this particular Board. We might have a new government that is in place right now but the workers that have been employed in Kilifi County are not happy. It is very bad and shameful for somebody to work as a casual for ten years, yet somebody comes in and gets permanent and pensionable employment just because they know the Board members.

There was a lady who comes from my ward; the Ward that I love and cherish and for that reason, they voted for me to come and represent them here. This lady was denied a job because she was of Somali descent. She had applied with all the qualifications of an accountant. I followed it up; born and raised in Mariakani, she was denied a position because she was Somali.

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Kilifi is a Cosmopolitan County; we have everybody who lives in this county including me who is a Kamba born and raised in Kilifi County. This is my home, right now we have a letter from ICC, asking the government to show cause why we do not have 30 per cent of employment from other people and not from the locals. And that is the law.

This lady as we speak went to Uganda and got one of the best jobs; a lady who is born and raised and schooled in Kilifi County. We have another scenario of a nurse who furthered her studies and studied newborn unit ICU (Intensive Care Unit) care. As we speak, she came back home and got frustrated; right now, she works at Makueni. How many other professions are we going to lose using the funds of the county going to study, coming back getting frustrations and going to work elsewhere? We are wasting a lot of money. When I was doing my campaigns, I promised the youth and the people of Mariakani that they will be employed; I want to see that.

I want when my term is over; I can stand with my head high and say two or three youth from Mariakani are working with the County Government of Kilifi. Yes, we can but it cannot happen with the Board that we have now. So, I stand to support this Motion on behalf of myself and of the people of Mariakani who brought me into this House.

I have remembered something, happy birthday to the Governor of this County. Governor Gideon Mung'aro said that on Madaraka day we are going to have a county band; true or false? And we were to employ three youth to NYS (National Youth Service) from each ward. Did it happen?

Hon. Members: No!

Hon. (Ms.) Koki: The Board said that they will go to the wards themselves and recruit and until today it has never happened. Our Governor is a Christian, a man of God and he does not lie but before the eyes of the people of Kilifi he did not deliver a promise he had made for the Madaraka day. Enough is enough and this is a warning also to the people who might get the opportunity to apply for these positions when they fall vacant. This House will not take anybody who is not going to deliver to the people of Kilifi.

We are here to represent the people of Kilifi, so even if a new Board comes in and they will not work, we will still send them home. So, I stand to support this Motion and by the look of things I think this House is ready, we can go to the vote so we can finish as early as possible. Thank you so much.

(Applause)

Hon. Mbura: Asante sana, msheshimiwa Spika. Mimi nasimama kwanza nikiwa mwenye furaha kwa sababu hasa Hoja ambayo iko mbele yetu tulitamani sana siku ifike kama hii. Mkaazi wa Kilifi mwenyewe achukue hatua na aweze kuleta malalamishi yake juu ya uendeshaji wa kazi hii ya Bodi. Nataka nichukue nafasi hii kumpongeza *petitioner* aliyeleta *petition* yake hapa na kupongeza Kamati kwa msimamo ambao nimeuona kutoka kwao. Hakika inatupa mwangaza kwa Kaunti yetu. Sisi waheshimiwa tumedharaulika sana, hasa na Bodi hii ya Kilifi.

Mimi ikiwa nimehudumia wananchi wa Chasimba kwa kipindi cha pili na wakati umefika na ni leo watatuheshimu. Nimesikia kutoka kwa Ripoti kwamba dada Zena aliyeleta malalamisha hapa alidhulumika kiasi hicho na haiwezekani kwamba Bodi inaweza kutangaza nafasi moja katika mtandao kazi mbili lakini kwa mahitaji tofauti. Hiyo ni makosa makubwa sana na vile vile kazi ambayo hukuiomba, unaitwa ukafanye *interview* kwa kazi hiyo. Dada huyo alipitia kazi hizo zote na hata baada ya mahakama kutoa uamuzi, yule aliyepata ile kazi

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aliyepewa kazi hii kwa mlango wa nyuma aliendelea kupata mshahara hadi siku ile *petition* ilifika hapa. Mheshimiwa Spika, nataka niweze kutoa mfano vile *Deputy Majority Leader* alizungumza.

Mimi binafsi ndani ya Chasimba niko na kijana alikuwa *interviewed* kwa bahati nzuri akashinda *interview* na kwa sababu ya ukaribu wa Bodi nilipata ujumbe kamili na nikaambiwa kijana wako anadhulumika. Nilipomfuata Mwenyekiti mdogo ambaye ni Bw. Mrima kutoka kwa wadi yangu mwenyewe akasema kwamba pole kuna barua imetoka juu lakini *interview* ijayo hatutampa *interview* tutampa kazi. Kwa sasa kijana huyo anafanya kazi Tana River. Nataka nimwambie ya kwamba tabia ya mbwa, inajulikana na mwenye mbwa.

Mimi namjua Mrima na waheshimiwa nawaambia ukweli wa mambo; tabia, roho na dharau yake tunamjua na ni lazima kati ya hii Bodi aende nyumbani. Sitaki kuongea mengi nasubiri waheshimiwa wenzangu ikiwa ni kubadilisha hii Kaunti, lazima hii Bodi inayoongozwa na huyu Mama Rose iende nyumbani. Haimaanishi kwamba ni *independent Board* haiwezi kufanya kazi na sisi; lazima tuwe na ushirikiano. Nawaomba waheshimiwa tunapopiga kura kwa ajili ya Hoja hii, naomba sote tunge mkono Ripoti iliyo mbele yetu ili hawa watu waende nyumbani. Asante, Bw. Spika, kwa nafasi hii na naunga mkono Ripoti iliyo mbele yetu.

Hon. (Ms.) Lilian: Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika. Nashukuru kwa nafasi hii. Mimi kama Mwenyekiti mdogo wa *Devolution* naunga mkono Ripoti iliyo mbele yetu. Tulifanya kazi na tukaweza kuwaita hawa na vile walivyokuwa wanajibu hata ni aibu sana katika Kilifi yetu na naunga mkono hii Bodi iende nyumbani kwa sababu wamefanya ile ofisi kama nyumbani kwao. Tuliwauliza je, kwa nini hamleti Ripoti Bungeni na mmetengewa pesa? Jibu walilolitoa ni aibu kama vile mheshimiwa alisema hawana pesa za kununua karatasi ili walete mbele ya Bunge? Waende nyumbani ama wasiende?

(Loud consultations)

The Speaker (Hon.Mwambire): Order! Order! hon. Members! Let us comply with the rules of the House, please. You cannot make inquiries as if we are in a public rally. Just stick to your points and Members will respond by voting.

Hon. (Ms.) Lilian: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika. Pia Ripoti ya pili kuna CEO (*Chief Executive Officer*) mmoja amekuwa mgonjwa tangu 2019 na yuko na ofisi ile yeye anatumika kuweka sahihi. Hiyo tuliwauliza na anakuja kuweka sahihi arudi nyumbani. Hilo ni kosa pia na lengine, Mheshimiwa Gavana alikuwa amesema waheshimiwa wataambiwa walete vijana kama wawili kila wadi lakini Bodi ikasema itafanya ile kazi. Hii inaonyesha wazi kwamba sisi waheshimiwa hatuna kazi ya kufanya. Kwa hivyo tunasema hiyo Ripoti iko sawa waende nyumbani. Asante sana.

(Several Hon. Members stood on Points of Orders)

The Speaker (Hon.Mwambire): I have several interventions, yes, the Leader of Majority.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Ibrahim): Asante, mheshimiwa Spika. Ningependa kumrekebisha ya kwamba Gavana alisema tupeleke watu wawili lakini sijui mambo haya aliyatoa wapi, mimi kama Kiongozi wa Wengi wa Bunge hili kauli hiyo haikutoka kwa Gavana wa Kilifi; sasa sijui kama ni Gavana wa Tana River ama Lamu?

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The Speaker (Hon.Mwambire): There is another intervention so that we can conclude, hon. Ziro.

Hon. Ziro: Asante, Bw. Spika. Mimi pia nataka kujua kutoka kwa msemaji aliyekuwa kwa Sakafu. Nafikiri ile Bodi inayoajiri kazi ni ile tunayotaka kuitoa sasa na Gavana hawezi sema watu walete watu watano naomba a *withdraw* ili kwamba ...

Hon. Kubo: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa nafasi hii. Nilikuwa nataka kumwambia mheshimiwa aliyekuwa kwa sakafu kwamba mengine hatuyajui na atoe haya matamshi yake.

The Speaker (Hon.Mwambire): Hon. Lilian, please.

Hon. (Ms.) Lilian: Nime *withdraw* samahani.

The Speaker (Hon.Mwambire): I think that is well handled. Hon. Ngirani.

Hon. Ngirani: Thank you, hon. Speaker. I stand to support that this Board should leave. I graduated 14 years ago and when I graduated with my degree in electrical engineering, I was yearning to work for my county. I applied several times but the moment I enter that interview room, I see myself as a failure because it is like they have already concluded who is going to take that position. With that regard and pain, the following ten points that I have should guarantee the packing of this Board.

One, to end the impunity of any coming Board, this Board must leave. Two, to end the nepotism of this Board and any coming Board, this Board must leave, Mr. Speaker. To end any tribalism of this country of ours of any coming Board, this Board must leave. To end the long-suffering of casual workers of this county government, for example, we have the Department of Agriculture, we have a lady that I met there by the name of Rose, she has worked as a casual since the inception of devolution of this county and so reason number four; this Board must leave. To end ghost workers' employment in our county, this Board must leave. To end the unethical behaviour and poor performance of any high-ranked employee of this county, the Board must leave.

To strengthen devolution; we are in devolution, Mr. Speaker and so to strengthen devolution, the Board must leave. To instill confidence in the Judiciary and law-abiding of this county, the Board must go. To clear the consciousness of all those that were frustrated by this Board, the Board must go. To enforce proper oversight of this House, this Board must go. As desperation abounds, such impunity will flourish if such behaviour continues with any Board that we install in the future. The Board that will come into force will face the same consequences if they don't rekindle the Oath that they are going to take.

Mr. Speaker, with these few remarks, I support the removal of the Board members of this County of Kilifi with immediate effect! Thank you.

(Applause)

Hon. Thaura: Mheshimiwa Spika, utaniruhusu niongee tu kwa uchache kwa sababu hali yangu ya kiafya kidogo haiko vizuri ila nimekuja kusimama pamoja na wananchi wangu wa Sokoke ambao naamini kwa sasa baadhi yao wako katika majengo haya wakifuatilia kile kinachoendelea katika Bunge hii tukufu.

Madam Rose Jumwa Ngowa kabla ahamie Matsangoni alikuwa mwananchi wangu na bado mizizi yake kwa sababu mahali alipoolewa ni katika Wadi ya Sokoke, Mheshimiwa Spika. Bw. Raymond Mramba Mweni hata unaposikiza majina ni mtu wangu wa ukoo lakini unapotaka kumuua nyani hufai kumuangalia usoni na kwa sababu hiyo, Mheshimiwa Spika, nimekuja leo

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husususan kuungana na wale ndugu zangu kusema hii Bodi inafaa kwenda nyumbani. Nimepata fursa ya kusoma na kumsikiza Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya *Devolution* ndugu yangu mchapakazi kutoka Wadi ya Adu na nadhani watu wa Adu hawakukosea kumleta huyu kijana katika Bunge hili tukufu. Kitu ambacho kimenitamausha ni tabia ya Bodi hii kutoleta Ripoti ambazo ni jukumu lao na ni haki ya hili Bunge kuzipokea kwa niaba ya wananchi wa Kilifi. Nafikiri ni kukiuka sheria moja kwa moja kwamba hili Bunge halina habari ya kinachoeendelea katika Bodi ile.

Lengine zaidi ambalo limenitamausha ni utumiaji wa hii *electronic signature*; kuna yule *secretary* ambaye amekuwa mgonjwa kwa siku nyingi na ameshindwa kwa sababu ya ulemavu ambao aliupata; Mungu amsaidie lakini ametumika vibaya kwa sababu ilibidi aandike *signature* yake na imekuwa ikitumika *electronically*. Nafikiri hilo moja kwa moja inaweza kuwa sababu kuonyesha ni utepetevu na pia hiyo ni kukiuka sheria za nchi. Hizi na sababu nyengine zinatoshia kupeleka hii Bodi nyumbani. Kwa sababu nimesema sijisikii vizuri, nitakomea hapo nikisema asante na hii Bodi iende nyumbani.

Hon. Kalama: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I stand categorically in support of the Committee's Report. Mr. Speaker, a body has many parts, and every part has its own functions. At no time a hand can say I am a hand I can work alone. At no time a head can stand and say I'm a head I can work alone. In that manner, I stand 100 per cent for the removal of the Board. Thank you.

Hon. Hinzano: Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika. Mimi nasimama kuunga mkono Ripoti hii asilimia. Naunga mkono kwa sababu sio tetesi wala mambo ya kuambiwa. Bodi hii imekuwa na madharau makubwa sana hususan kwa wana Kilifi. Kuna baadhi ya ofisi katika Kaunti yetu ya Kilifi ambazo zimegeuza Kaunti hii ya Kilifi kuwa shamba la wanyama. Mtu anakuwa kwa ofisi anajifanya kama Mungu mdogo. Anafanya kama ambaye hakuna mtu mwengine ambaye anaweza kuchukua hiyo nafasi ilhali amekabidhiwa mamlaka na wananchi aweze kuwaongoza na anageuka kuwa tishio kwa wananchi badala ya kuwasaidia.

Huyu mama ni mama ambaye anastahili kuenda nyumbani na hata amechelewa kuenda. Sasa hivi, jukumu letu kama Bunge ni kuwashawishi waheshimiwa ambao wako hapa tuweze kufanya haraka sana isiwe hata mmoja kuenda upande huu ama upande huu tuhakikishe kwamba hii Bodi pamoja na huyu mama wameenda nyumbani kupumzika. Kuna nafasi ambayo wananchi wa Kilifi ambao wana uwezo wa kushikilia hapo na wale pia watakaoingia wajue kwamba Bunge hili la Kilifi sio la mchezo. Tunaangalia kwa umakini maanake tuliahidi wananchi kwamba tutawatetea na tutawatetea ili waweze kupata haki yao. Naunga mkono asilimia na Mwenyezi Mungu ambariki Gavana wetu.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Brown Safari, Member for Mtepeni.

Hon. Brown: Asante sana, Bw. Spika, kwa kunipa fursa hii ambayo imejionyesha yenyewe asubuhi ya leo kwa kuwa na kiangazi kizuri. Hata nikiingia hapa naona zile nyuso za furaha ambazo ziko kwa ajili ya Hoja hii. Mimi pia wacha niwe mmoja kutoka Wadi yangu ile ya Mtepeni kuunga mkono hii Bodi itupiliwe mbali. Na niko na sababu au vigezo ambazo nitavitaja kwa maana Bunge la saa hii ni Bunge ambalo liko macho.

Nashukuru kwa uongozi wako, Bw. Spika, tukiwa tuko hapa tuko imara na nina amini kwamba katika kigezo cha kwanza ambacho tutaenda kuzungumzia ni kwamba tunatupilia Bodi hii kwa sababu imetupa aibu. Ni aibu sana, umepata mamlaka halafu unaitumia kama ndugu yangu aliyezungumza hapo mbeleni kwamba unakuwa Mungu mdogo. Kwa hivyo, jambo hilo ni aibu katika Kilifi hii na tungeomba waheshimiwa jambo hili lisiendelee na iwe ni funzo kwa wengine.

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Nambari ya pili; kuna wengi wamekosa kazi hata kuna wengine walikuwa na matumaini hata kufunga harusi kwa ajili amepata kazi nzuri. Lakini kwa sababu ya Bodi hii imezua ndoto za watu wengi na wengine hata wamegura katika nchi yetu; hii Bodi lazima ifunge virago na iende.

Jambo lengine ningependa kulizungumzia ni hili; ufisadi. Waheshimiwa, lazima tusimamie, tumewekwa hapa na Maulana ili kwamba tuhakikishe Kilifi yetu itakuwa salama salmini na ikiwa sisi tutalegeza kwa sababu kuna Mungu mdogo, Mungu aliye ni aabudiwe kwa sababu kuna mlungula upigwe pale na pale mwananchi akose haki yake, tutaenda kujibu mbele za Mwenyezi Mungu. Kwa hivyo, mimi nazungumza nikiwa na hisia za kuumia ndani ya moyo wangu nikiamini...

(Applause)

...Wabunge wangu wenza pia nyinyi mnahisi namna hiyo. Kwa kumalizia, tufunge kauli moja kwamba hii Bodi lazima ikusanye na ikukute na iende. Pongezi sana nawapa, kongole kwa kazi mliyofanya na nawapa pongezi kwa Bunge hili na pia nashukuru kwa muda huu ambao tumeupata kwa jili ya kazi hii. Mungu abariki Kilifi yetu na abariki pia Mtepeni yangu iliyonipigia kura. Asante sana.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. (Ms.) Radhia.

Hon. (Ms.) Radhia: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika. Kwanza kabisa, namshukuru Mwenyezi Mungu kwa kunipa nafasi hii. Nina jambo moja tu. Sitaki niongee sana kwa sababu nina masikitiko makubwa sana kwa mama Rose Ngowa. Salamu zangu zikufikie najua uko hapo kwenye simu saa hii umeshika hiyo simu waiangalia ni kwamba, ume *tumess* wanawake wa Kilifi. Ametuharibia sifa yetu na nafasi kama hiyo naomba irudi kwa mama, isiwe ati kwamba ni mama. Huyu mama ana roho yake peke yake kwa hiyo sitaki watu wa Kilifi waelewe kwamba kina mama wana roho kama za mama Ngowa.

Hii roho ilikuwa ni yake, maanake kawaida ya mama ni mtu mwenye huruma, mtu mwenye busara, mtu mwenye hekima, mtu aliyebeba tumbo miezi tisa halafu hiyo siku ya kuzaa wenzangu mngejua mngakataa kuzaa ndio maana hamkupewa. Leo hii, mheshimiwa Spika, ni aibu kwetu sisi kina mama, halafu leo hii mambo kama haya yanayotajwa yanafanyika kwa mama kama huyu. Mimi ningesikia raha kama ingekuwa ni mwanamume saa hii yuatolewa, lakini nasikitika kwamba ni mama. Ni aibu kwani ametufeli kabisa kina mama wa Kilifi.

Kwa hivyo, naomba akalale salama, mama Ngowa na ajue kama sisi wanawake wa Kilifi ametupotezea nafasi kubwa sana katika hii Kilifi Kaunti. Si kazi ndogo aliyokuwa amepewa mama Ngowa na alikuwa lazima afikirie vijana kwanza kama mzazi. Leo vijana wanalia, kina mama wanalia; nani atacheka katika Kilifi ikiwa mama analia.

Kwa hiyo, mimi nasema ni aende tena tumechelewa na mimi nataka niwe wa mwisho maanake wengine wasitoke, mkitoka kura ishapotea hata kama wameunga mkono hapa umeongea lakini ukitoka kura imeenda kwa hivyo asitoke mtu. Naomba, mheshimiwa Spika, tufunge tumalize na hawa kina mama waende na wengine wapate nafasi; kuchaguliwe wengine. Naomba Bunge hili kwa *vetting* tusimkose mama msichukue roho ya mama Ngowa; si mwatujua sisi waheshimiwa wenzenu tuko na roho nzuri hapa. *Majority* tusaidie mama aingie tena. Tupe tena nafasi nyingine. Asanteni.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Changawa.

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Hon. Changawa: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa kunipa nafasi hii ili nami nichangie machache sana. Nimesimama kupinga kuweco Bodi hii katika kaunti yetu. Nataka nieleweke kwamba nimesimama kama Changawa kupinga kuweco kwa Bodi hii katika Kilifi yetu. Na kwanza kabisa, nataka kushukuru sana kwa aliyeleta *petition* ama yule mlalamishi aliyeleta maswala haya katika Bunge letu. Alitupa njia na tulikuwa tunatamani zamani ifanyike.

Pia nataka nishukuru kwa uwezo wa Mwenyekiti wa Kamati hii kwa maamuzi ama Ripoti uliyoleta Bungeni. Nataka niseme kwamba mama Ngowa kama Mwenyekiti wa Bodi hii anatoka katika wadi yangu pale Mida lakini mimi kama MCA (*Member of County Assembly*) wake hajanijua, hataki kunijua na hata kuongea kibarua. Tunasema sisi kama viongozi tuliochaguliwa na kura za watu wengi kwamba tunahitaji heshima yetu kama viongozi. Tujapopeana nyadhifa kwa...

(Hon. Rashid stood on a Point of Order)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): There is an intervention from Hon. Rashid.

Hon. Rashid: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Member on the Floor has put it and I quote, “hajanijua” hatujui ama sielewi alikuwa anataka ajulikane ki vipi na mama Ngowa; amjue vipi? Maanake hiyo hajanijua, hajanijua, hajanitambua hamjui jina, hamjui jinsia, hamjui nini?

Hon. Changawa: Kama kiongozi wa wadi yake na kama viongozi tuliochaguliwa tunahitaji heshima zetu pia. Kwamba tunapopiga simu kwa Mawaziri na kwa watu kama wale tunahitaji tuheshimiwe kwa majibu mazuri lakini kama hakuna heshima basi na sisi tutaonyesha pale ambapo mahali heshima yetu twaweza kuivunja.

Pia, kupandishwa vyeo kwa wafanyaji kazi katika kaunti yetu imekuwa kibarua. Kumekuwa na malalamishi mengi sana katika hii kaunti yetu na kama ni upandishwe cheo wewe mfanyaji kazi wa Kilifi Kaunti hapa kupitia kwa Bodi hii rafiki yangu, ni uwe unajuana na fulani. Hapo mambo yako yatafanywa vizuri.

Kuna wafanyaji kazi ambao mtu ameingia ndani ya miaka miwili amepandishwa cheo na kuna mwengine amefanya zaidi ya miaka mitano bado hajapandishwa cheo. Na la mwisho, nataka niseme kwamba swala hili lilipoingia katika hii Bunge mimi binafsi nilirudi kwa wapigaji kura wangu kutaka kujua wanasemaje kuhusu Bodi hii na cha ukweli ni kwamba Bodi hii ni iende nyumbani. Asante, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa hayo machache.

(Applause)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Father of the House hon...

Hon. Hassan: Asante sana, Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa nafasi hii ambayo umenipa. Ni mengi yaliyozungumzwa kuhusu utepetevu, madharau na kutokuwa na nidhamu kwa hii Bodi. Nimesimama kuunga mkono kwamba Bodi hii iende nyumbani ili itupe nafasi tuchaguwe Bodi nyengine. Nimesimama kunga mkono Bodi hii iende nyumbani. Naomba kuwafahamisha ndugu zangu waheshimiwa kwamba bado kuna Bodi nyengine itachaguliwa kwa sababu lazima shughuli za kaunti ziendelee. Hii Bodi itaenda lakini tunataka ile nyengine iwe *advertised* kwa haraka sana ili shughuli za kaunti zisisimame.

Katika kuungana mkono na wenzangu hapa, ninawaomba kwa unyenyekevu tuendelee kushirikiana katika maswala ya kuleta maendeleo katika kaunti yetu kama hivi leo tunavyoshirikiana katika kuondoa Bodi hii. Tusiangalie mambo ya kisiasa ama mambo ya chama

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ikiwa mahali kuna *benefit* yetu na mwananchi. Tafadhali tuendeleo kushirikiana kama leo. Leo nimeona mambo safi tu. Sijui mheshimiwa Spika kama wewe uko sawa maanake mimi niko sawa. Sioni umuhimu wa kupiga kura; hapa ni uulize swali na ngoma itambae.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Naelewa wengi wameomba nitishe lakini aliyeomba leo anapewa. Kuna wengine bado wameomba kuongea na nitawapa nafasi ndio tumalizie, hata nimeona Kiongozi wa Wengi ameomba hapa lakini nimeamua nisimpe haraka; ikifika wakati wake atapewa. Kila mtu nitampa aseme atakalo na aonalo halafu tufunge. Bado waheshimiwa kidogo na sio vizuri kuwafungia kwa swala la leo. Tumpe nafasi mheshimiwa wa Kibarani pia aongee.

Hon. Kea: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. I am humbled by the opportunity you have given me today. I want to join my fellow hon. Members to support this Motion. I am a Christian. Let us sing the song that this is the day that the lord has made, and we are going to rejoice in it. We are making history in the Republic of Kenya as we weep out this Board which has been there for a period and not being competent. I do not understand where they got the strength of being in office after the judiciary dismissed them. They violated the Constitution of Kenya and the County Governments Act. Our people have been held hostage and captive by this Board; families are crying back home because of lack of employment.

I want to support all the words that have been said by my fellow Members and thank you for giving me this opportunity which goes with my nickname “*Milele*” being the last person to speak and thereafter you pose the question and close this chapter. I support in totality the removal of this Board because of the gross misconduct that it has been doing. We cannot take the people of Kilifi for granted; we cannot hold them hostage and make them suffer just because of a few people who are not doing what is right. Much has been said so let these people pack and leave.

Hon. (Ms.) Faith: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, for this opportunity. I also thank God for bringing us after the long recess. I am in support of the removal of the Board for very few reasons. This Board had contravened the Constitution of Kenya. It violated the Constitution of Kenya, it violated the County Governments Act, and it also violated the County Assembly Standing Orders, who are we to deny them the exit? We are here as the Members of the County Assembly representing the people of Kilifi. We are telling them we are ready for them to exit. because they have totally messed up. They have not even given respect to the County Assembly, with that, I am in full support of the removal of the Board and its contents. This will serve as a notice to the new Board Members who will be elected at any time; they should know that we will not sit, and watch people mess with us. It is a warning to the incoming Board, and it is a bad warning...

(Hon. Oscar stood on a Point of Order)

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire) There is an intervention from hon. Oscar.

Hon. Oscar: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On numerous occasions, the Member on the Floor was referring to the Board as being elected, so if she can shed light to the public and understand. Have they been elected or appointed?

Hon. (Ms.) Faith: Thank you for reminding me that they will be appointed. I have also said we are giving them notice. I am done with my submission. I fully support the removal of the Board.

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Hon. Twaher: Asante, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa fursa hii. Kwanza, natanguliza shukrani za dhati kwa Mungu kutupa nafasi hii.

Pili, napongeza Mwenyekiti wa Kamati kwa kazi ngumu na kazi safi waliyofanya. Nasimama kuungana na waheshimiwa wenzangu kuunga mkono Ripoti hii. Mheshimiwa Spika, swala la utumizi mbaya wa rasilimali limejirudia mara kwa mara katika hii Ripoti. Ni wiki mbili sasa Bodi hii ilitangaza nafasi za kazi bila idara husika kupeleka mapendekezo. Nafasi zile zilitangazwa kupitia vyombo vya habari na ni rasilimali ya Kilifi ilitumika kuweka matangazo yale. Vijana wengi waliingia kwenye mitandao wakaanza kutafuta zile ajira. Ni hali ya kuumiza watu roho kuweka watu ajira mitandaoni zisizokuwepo wala hazikuhitajika ndio maana yale matangazo yakafutiliwa mbali .

Hii ni kuonyesha wazi kwamba Bodi hii haijali katika maswala ya utumizi mbaya wa rasilimali ya watu wa Kilifi. Nikiungana na mheshimiwa Rafiki leo, ameiweka deni serikali yetu kumlipa yule dada ambaye ni mlalamishi kwa sababu koti iliamuru kwamba ni lazima alipwe kwa sababu alivunja sheria. Zile pesa hazitatoka kutoka kwa mifuko yao wale; ni fedha za Kaunti ya Kilifi. Hiyo ni kuonyesha wazi kwamba bila kujali wala kuwa na huruma na fedha za wananchi, Bodi hii imeendelea kutumia utumizi mbaya wa rasilimali. Naungana mkono na mheshimiwa kutoka Ganda, Oscar Wanje, kwamba kuna vijana wengi sana wamekuwa vibarua kwa miaka nenda miaka rudi na mpaka leo hawajapata ajira ya kudumu.

Bodi hii inatangaza kazi na watu wapya ambao hawajawahi kujitolea katika kazi yoyote wala kufanya kibarua katika kaunti hii wanaajiriwa na wale wanaachwa kando. Nikuonyesha ubaguzi wa hali ya juu na ukosefu wa usawa. Haya yote sisi tunayafanya hapa ni kwa ajili ya haki na usawa ili watu wa Kilifi waweze kusaidika. Maswala mengi yamezungumzwa kuhusiana na uteuzi mbaya ama unaovunja sheria. Naomba, na tutaleta Hoja hapa ya uchunguzi ya wale wafanyikazi wote ambao kwamba walijajiriwa na Bodi hii tupate kujua kwamba walijajiriwa kisheria ama ni sheria ilivunjwa?

Nimesimama kuunga mkono kushirikiana na wenzangu Ripoti hii kwa kibwagizo kuweka methali kama mheshimiwa Elina alivyoiveka hapa mimi langu nitasema ada ya mja ni kunena, mungwana ni vitendo. Waheshimiwa, leo tumeonyesha ungwana wetu na vitendo ndio hivi tumeweza kuvitenda leo. Asanteni sana na Mwenyezi Mungu awabariki.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Ibrahim): Asante sana, Bwana Spika, kwa kunipatia nafasi hii ili na mimi nichangie kama wenzangu walivyochangia. Kwanza, mimi kama Kiongozi wa Wengi katika Bunge hili ningepomba kumpongeza mheshimiwa Samson Zia kama Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya Ripoti hii ambayo tunajadili leo.

Mheshimiwa Zia, wewe na Kamati yako mumeyaweka maisha ya wafanyikazi vizuri. Mumeyakomboa maisha ya wafanyikazi katika Jimbo letu la Kilifi upya; pongezi sana. Na pia vile vile nataka kuwashukuru Kamati ya kwamba katika Bunge hili la Tatu mmeweka historia kwani mmekataa vitisho. Najua mmepambana na mambo mengi sana lakini mkaamua haki ni lazima ifuatwe.

Pili, ukiangalia ile Ripoti ambayo imeandikwa, imeangazia mambo mawili tu. Ya kwamba ufuwataji wa sheria ambayo *petitioner* aliileta aliangazia sana kwamba hakutendewa haki na pia sheria haikufwatwa. Ndio leo hii Kamati hii ilienda ikakaa na pia kuongezea Kamati hii pia. Pia, ya kwamba *County Public Service Board* hawakuleta Ripoti liliangaziwa na Kamati. Lilikuwa haiko kwenye *petitioner*, lakini Kamati wakaona kwamba ni muhimu waliangazie na Bwana Spika, *County Public Service Board* ilikuja na mawakili wake na hapa hakuna maonevu. Kila kitu kilifuata sheria; Kamati walifuata sheria mwafaka.

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Leo hii, *County Public Service Board*, kama wangepuata sheria ya mahakama hatungefikia hapa. Kama wangepuata sheria ya kwamba kila mwaka wanaleta Ripoti ya Bunge hapa hatungefikia mahali kama hapa lakini kwa sababu ya kiburi ndio imetufanya tumefikia mahali kama hapa.

Hayo ndio mambo yaliangaziwa katika Ripoti hii ya kwamba wameenda kinyume na sheria ya mahakama. Na uzuri ni kwamba mbele ya wakili wao wakakubali ya kwamba ni kweli wamevunja sheria na Kamati wakaona ni makosa. Pia vile vile, wakakubali ya kwamba hatukuleta Ripoti kwa mambo kadhaa na wao wenyewe wakakubali ya kwamba ni makosa na Kamati ikaona kuwa ni makosa. Hapa hakuna maonevu, ni haki inatendeka sawa sawa, hajaonewa mtu, hajasumbuliwa mtu wala hajatishiwa mtu.

Tatu, nikitoka sasa, umemsikia mheshimiwa Mbura amenena kwamba yeye ni kipindi chake cha pili hapa. Mimi ni kipindi changu cha pili, lakini cha kwanza nilikuja hapa na ninataka niwaambie ikiwa Kamati na waheshimiwa na wenye viti tutafuata mwongozo wa ukweli basi sisi tutabadilisha maisha ya wananchi wa Kilifi.

Kuna umuhimu wenye viti, kwa sababu mimi nilikuja kuangalia ile Kamati na niliona wale mawakili ndani ya Bunge hili walipambana kisawasawa. Ukiangalia makatibu wetu wa Bunge pia walisaidiana na Kamati yetu sawa sawa. Mimi nataka kutoa pongezi zangu kwa Kamati na nataka kutoa pongezi kwa mawakili wetu wa Bunge tena pongezi kubwa sana kwa makatibu wa Kamati ile na Mungu awabariki.

Mambo ya wafanyaji kazi yamekuwa donda sugu na watu wamekuwa wakilalamika ya kwamba hawapati haki. Mfanyajikazi ndani ya Jimbo letu la Kilifi anafanya kazi zaidi ya miaka kumi bado mshahara wake uko pale pale na ni nani anastahili mshahara ule uongezwe? Ni *County Public Service Board*.

Mfanyikazi ndani ya miaka 15 bado madaraka ni yale yale ni nani anastahili madaraka apandishe? Ni *County Public Service Board*. Lakini utakuta wale ambao wanapandishwa madaraka ni jamaa fulani, wale wanaongezewa mshahara ni watu fulani ambao wanawataka wao. Kwa hivyo, wewe kama huna nguvu na huna mtu ambaye unaweza mjua wa kukusaidia mambo yako yameisha hapo.

Imebidi ndani ya jimbo letu hili na nimeshangaa sana wafanyikazi wengi baada ya kuenda kutafuta haki kwa *County Public Service Board* wameanza kuenda kutafuta haki kwa waganga. Na ni wengi sana na utawakuta wakitembea na mahirizi wafanyikazi hawa makubwa makubwa. Kwa sababu gani? Hawapati haki! Unaona bwana!

(Laughter)

Mimi nataka nikuambie, Bw. Spika, utafiti unatuambia sisi; waganga wa Jimbo letu la Kilifi wamefaidika sana kwa wafanyikazi wa hili jimbo. Na lengo na shabaha ni wanatafuta haki na huku haipatikani. Na yule ambaye anafanya haki wasipate ni *County Public Service Board* lakini waheshimiwa leo tunatoa hii Bodi.

Sisi tunataka pia, Kamati husika ya kwamba Bodi ambayo itaundwa si Kamati peke yake tunataka ile Bodi ambayo itaundwa tuhusishwe sote kama waheshimiwa. Tumwangelie yule anatoka Wadi gani, maadili yake yako vipi, mipangilio yake iko vipi. Hatutaki wafanyikazi waje wateseke kama hivyo walivyoteseka na mama Rose Ngowa.

Aliitwa na Kamati, kwa mara ya kwanza kabla *Petition* haijafika, alipoitwa amekuja yaani hakuwa mgonjwa siku zote, siku ile alivyoitwa na Kamati mama Rose Ngowa ndio akawa

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mgonjwa. Akasema mimi sijisikii vizuri! Ana *pressure*. Yule mwingine naye amekuja hapa, sijui ile bandeji amelifunga vipi? Amelifunga bandeji mpaka mkono umekaa namna hii...

(Laughter)

...Ili asiulizwe maswali na Kamati husika, lakini Mwenyekiti naye amepambana na Shakahola kule hajali maneno yeye amejifunga bandeji ili asiulizwe maswali na Kamati husika lakini mheshimiwa Zia amepambana na mambo ya Shakahola hajali maneno; hayo ni madogo ukinitetea kejeli mimi nimepambana na maafa haswa, kwa hivyo Mwenyekiti pongezi sana.

Kwa hivyo, Bw. Spika, nataka kusema ya kwamba ninaunga mkono Ripoti hii lakini waheshimiwa mbali na kuiunga na kila mheshimiwa ameunga mkono lakini kabla hatujapewa nafasi, Spika ametusomea ratiba ya kuondoa hii Bodi. Nafikiria hapa naweza isoma *Section 58(5) of the County Governments Act, 2012 provides as follows:*

“The Member of the Board may be only removed from office:

- a) On the grounds set out of the removal of the Member of the Constitutional Commission under Article 251(1) of the Constitution.
- b) By a vote of not less than 75 per cent...”

Na ukumbuke wakati wa kura mlango utafungwa ile mambo yenu ya kutoka toka hapa mtavumilia na hiki kipengele tusipochunga Rose Ngowa atabaki na hizi kelele ziwe ni bure. Kwa sababu Bw. Spika, ametusomea sheria kwa hivyo ni lazima tupige kura. Ile *Bar* ikifungwa, hata nani hawezi fungua. Wa nje ni wa nje na wa ndani ni wa ndani. Asanteni na Mungu awabariki.

Hon. Kubo: Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika, kwa nafasi hii. Nasimama kuunga mkono Hoja hii na pia vile vile nishukuru Kamati ambayo ilifanya kazi hii. Kuwajulisha, mmoja wa hawa wanakamati wa Bodi ni wa kutoka kwa wadi yangu. Nikiwa hapa kama mheshimiwa wa Kambe Ribe, siko hapa kuwakilisha Kambe Ribe peke yake lakini niko hapa kwa ajili ya wanakilifi wote na kwa sababu Gavana aliahidi vijana wapate kazi, ni hii Bodi inafaa kushirikiana na sisi na Gavana kuhakikisha kwamba hii miaka tuko hapa waandikwe kazi.

Ikiwa miaka yote hii vijana hawana kazi ni aibu kubwa sana na hiyo ndio sababu wanaenda nyumbani. Tunataka Bodi ambayo itafanya kazi vizuri na vijana wapate kazi hiyo ndio tunataka. Niko na kesi moja nililetewa na mkaazi wangu ambaye aliondolewa kazi kwa njia ambayo haistahili na Bodi ikashindwa kumtetea na akaenda kortini na tunavyoongea, yuko nyumbani. Mambo yanayozungumzwa hapa ni kweli kuhusiana na hii Bodi. Ninaunga mkono ili hii Bodi iende nyumbani. Asante.

Hon. (Ms.) Tatu: Asante sana, mheshimiwa Spika. Nashukuru kwa nafasi hii kupongeza Kamati ya *Devolution* kwa kazi nzuri waliyofanya. Naunga mkono Hoja hii na nasikitika sana kwa huyu mama kuzorotesha Kilifi yetu. Mimi kama Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya *Gender Equality* niko na huzuni sana kuona mama akipelekwa nyumbani kwa ajili ya makosa. Mama Rose Ngowa tulikupenda lakini tunakuomba uende nyumbani salama salmini na Bodi yako. Asanteni.

Hon. Said: Asante sana, Bw. Spika. Kwanza nipongeze Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya *Devolution* ikiwa mimi ni mmoja wa wanakamati. Mengi yamezungumzwa na naunga mkono Bodi hii kwenda nyumbani kwa sababu wana maovu mengi wamefanya kwa upande wa kuajiri watu. Ikiwa hiki ni kipindi changu cha pili, nikikumbuka mwaka wa 2020 wakati wa Corona

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wakati Rais wetu alifunga kila kitu mwezi wa kumi na moja, bodi hii ilitangaza kuweza kuajiri watu. Kuna mambo mengi yaliweza kuumiza watu.

Kuna ndugu zetu wamesoma vizuri na wanatamani kufanya kazi zile huku kwetu. Kitu kilinishangaza ni mkaazi kutoka wadi ya jirani na mwengine wadi yangu. Mmoja kutoka Mnarani aliiitwa hata akafanya *interview* akapita vizuri lakini Bodi inapoajiri hawa watu waliosomea hizi kazi, niliweza kwenda huko waliacha mtu aliyesomea afisi wa *fisheries* wakachukua mwengine ambaye hajasomea lolote. Mtu aliyesomea kazi ya uvuvi anawachwa anachukuliwa mtu amesomea mambo ya ujenzi. Ataelemisha watu wetu kweli? Wakati huo huyu kijana wa Wadi ya Mnarani alipita, bodi ikamuacha. Hiyo ni haki? Nilienda kuteta na hakukufanyika lolote.

Nimesimama kuunga mkono Bodi hii iende nyumbani na Gavana wetu aweze kutoa nafasi ya haraka kwa Bodi mpya ya watu watakaojitokeza na waajiriwe; bodi ambayo itashirikiana na waheshimiwa na Gavana kwa manufaa ya watu wetu wa Kilifi wasihangaika. Vijana wa kiume hata tukiwa kazi zimetangazwa na tumekosa...

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): There is an intervention from the Leader of the Majority.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Ibrahim): Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Is the hon. *Kyangweso* (Said) a youth?

(Laughter)

Hon. Said: Nimepita kidogo sikatai kwa sababu 39 huwa ushavuka umri. Kwa hivyo, mimi nasimama kuunga mkono Bodi hii iende nyumbani asilimia 100. Tusipoteze wakati hapa, muda umekwenda na hapa joto limejaa. Nafikiri hapo kwako *air conditioning* inafanya kazi vizuri lakini upande wangu wa nyuma hapa joto ni jingi. Kama utatoa nafasi tuweze kupiga kura na uamuzi uweze kuonekana na wanakilifi leo leo.

Hon. Juma: Asante Spika, kwa kunipatia nafasi. Nilikuwa nimekaa hapa nasikiza kwa umakini. Mimi ni mmoja wao wa kuunga mkono mama apumzike yaani aende nyumbani pamoja na wale wenzake. Sababu moja kuu ni kwamba nyinyi mmefanya *research* lakini hamnishindi mimi. Nyinyi mlikuwa mnatembea na magari ya kibinafsi mimi nimetembea kwa miguu kila ofisi pale Kilifi na sehemu zengine. Malalamishi ni mengi sana hata tukiyataja nafikiri tutakesha hapa. Mimi asilimia 100 naona tumemaliza shughuli. Asante.

Hon. Rose: Asante, Mheshimiwa Spika. Bw. Spika. Jina Rose ni ua. Ni aibu sana, ua likichanua ni lazima liwe linapendeza na kupendeza pale mahali ambapo liko. Huyu *Madam* Rose Ngowa kusema ule ukweli amefanya mambo ya aibu sana. Ameniaibisha pia na mimi ambaye naitwa jina Rose. Kusema ule ukweli, vijana wamekuwa wakihangaika, wakienda kutafuta kazi ni lazima watoe kitu kidogo. Inauma! Huyu *Madam* afadhali akapumzike pamoja na Bodi yake. Ni uchungu na inauma. Jambo hili naomba litekelezwe tena kwa haraka sana.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Members, allow me to call the Mover to respond.

(Question, that the Mover be now called to reply, put and agreed to)

Hon. Zia: Asante, Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa kunipa tena nafasi ili kuweza kuhitimisha maelezo yote ya wabunge. Acha nishukuru Mwenyezi Mungu na acha pia nishukuru waheshimiwa wote ambao wameweza kutoa Hoja zao.

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Kwa kweli, mheshimiwa Spika, Kilifi inaumwa. Kilifi saa hii nafikiri tumeanza kupata tiba na tiba ni kwamba kwa kauli moja katika hili Bunge ni kwamba hawa watu waende. Nawaomba inapofika wakati wa kupiga hii kura kila mmoja asimame na aweze kupeleka Rose Ngowa na ile Bodi ambayo imeweza kutufeli katika hii gatuzi letu la Kilifi. Pongezi waheshimiwa na tuungane pamoja ili kuweza kujenga Kilifi yetu na tuweze kuleta manufaa. Asante.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

POLITICAL ADVISER IN THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Members, before putting the question, I wish to share some information so that we can go by the procedures.

Before that, allow me to recognize a senior Member, a member who was in this House for two terms and is currently holding the position of Political Adviser in the Office of the Governor who is seated at the Speaker's Gallery. He is hon. Nixon Charo Mramba. He is a pioneer Member of the House. He is welcome.

(Applause)

ROLL CALL VOTING

Hon. Members, Standing Order 69(2) requires a division to be taken where the Constitution or any law lies that a fixed majority is necessary to decide any question. This is a Special Motion which requires a threshold of 75 per cent which is 39 Members of all the MCAs as provided for under Standing Order 69 (1)(a) and therefore this matter will be resolved by roll call voting pursuant to Standing Order 70. So, you will be called by name and then state your position whether you are voting *Yes*, *No* or Abstaining.

We will have three tellers, that will be three clerks who will be taking the Yes, Noes, and those abstaining. To be very transparent Members, I will allow three Members to be representing those three positions to witness as agents. They will be on the three stands. Those agents are supposed to vote too so they will vote loud enough so that every Member will be aware of what they are doing. Before doing that, allow me now to call upon the Serjeant to ring the Bell for 10 minutes so that in case there will be any Member in the vicinity, they can come in. The door shall be closed after 10 minutes so that we can vote.

(The Division Bell was rung for 10 minutes)

DIVISION

ROLL CALL VOTING

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Okay, thank you hon. Members. I now call upon the Sergeant-At-Arms to close all the doors and allow the clerks at the Table to take the votes; but before that, I will put the question. Immediately after putting the question Members, we will have three members, one who will be an agent for yes, another one who will be an agent for noes and another member who will be an agent for those who are abstaining.

For the members seated on this side from where the senior is, this side you will vote from that microphone and members who are on this side led by the Leader of the Minority will be voting using that microphone. So, if your name is read you will be going direct there to share your position whether you are voting yes, no or you are abstaining so that it can be perfectly on record. Is that okay, members?

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(Hon. Said spoke off record)

I want to put the question Members, and if I put the question, it means that those who are supporting this Motion are going to vote yes. Those who are not supporting the Motion are going to vote no. Those who are not voting yes or no will be abstaining so you will say you are abstaining if you go there. So, we will not do it from where you are seated but you will go where the microphones are so that you can be perfectly heard and recorded. Is that okay members? Allow me now members to put the question?

(Question put and House divided)

Yes, clerk now you will call the names in alphabetical order so that they can take their positions, as many as of that opinion then you proceed for that.

Hon. Changawa represents noes, Hon. Brown represents those abstaining and agent for yes is Hon. Betty. You will confirm so that the votes can be clear. So, clerk, please proceed reading the names and members if your name is read just come forward and do the necessary.

(The House proceeded to vote)

AYES: Hon. Ibrahim Abdi Athman, Hon. Thomas Mumba Chengo, Hon. (Ms.) Martha Koki Musyoki, Hon. Twaher Abdulkarim Mohamed, Hon. Radhia Ali Omar, Hon. Hassan Mohamed Said, Hon. Peter Safari Shehe, Hon. Cantona Mae Mwadena, Hon. Harrison Thaura Mweni, Hon. (Ms.) Mary Anzazi Maneno, Hon. Naphtali Nyae Kombo, Hon. (Ms.) Philister Auma Meso, Hon. Ronald Kazungu Mbura, Hon. Said Juma Iddi, Hon. Stallone Humphrey Mkadi, Hon. Emmanuel Changawa Kombe, Hon. Justice Rafiki Kaingu, Hon. (Ms.) Agness Sidi, Hon. (Ms.) Amina Bule, Hon. Baya Stephen Mwaro, Hon. Beson Ngirani, Hon. (Ms.) Betty Kache, Hon. Brown Safari, Hon. Edward Kazungu ziro, Hon. (Ms.) Elina Mapenzi, Hon. Emmanuel Karisa, Hon. (Ms.) Faith Jane Kea, Hon. Jonathan Fondo Biryra, Hon. Joseph Munyoki, Hon. Juma Chengo, Hon. Kalama Mumba Ngome, Hon. (Ms.) Lilian Vijenderwa, Hon. (Ms.) Mariam Mkumbi, Hon. Morgan Mwangawe, Hon. Morris Kitsao, Hon. Moses Furaha Kea, Hon. Oscar Wanje, Hon. (Ms.) Patrice Abong', Hon. Paul Kitsao, Hon. Rashid Odhiambo, Hon. Ray Mwaro, Hon. (Ms.) Rose Benson Baraka, Hon. Samason Zia Kahindi, Hon. (Ms.) Sophia Abdillahi Chacha, Hon. (Ms.) Tatu Salim Hamisi, Hon. (Ms.) Umi Amu Mohamed.

Teller of the Ayes: Hon. (Ms.) Betty Kache Mwavuo.

Teller of the Noes: Hon. Emmanuel Changawa Kombe.

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Hon. Members, I am now duly informed by the tellers and the agents who communicated to the Clerk as it is supposed to be. The Members present are 46 and the members absent are five. All Members voted yes. There was no Member who voted no and there was no Member who abstained. So that one becomes 90.2 per cent while the threshold is supposed to be 75 per cent so, by getting 90.2 per cent, it means that the Motion has been duly adopted.

AYES: 46

NOES: Nil

ABSENTIONS: Nil

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(Question carried by 46 votes to Nil)

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker (Hon. Mwambire): Thank you very much, Members, this sitting is adjourned.

The House rose at 11:57 a.m.