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*The House met at the County Assembly Chamber,
Malindi Town, at 9:00 a.m.*

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

PRAYERS

PAPERS

FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD QUARTERLY REPORTS FOR THE FY 2019/2020 FROM THE OFFICES OF THE GOVERNOR AND THE COUNTY ATTORNEY

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwathethe): Thank you Mr. Speaker. This morning I have a few Papers to lay on the Table of this House...

(Hon. Kenga stood on a Point of Order)

The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): Yes hon. Stanley Kenga you have a Point of Order?

Hon. Kenga: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I am observing that some hon. Members do not have their masks on and this might lead to mandatory quarantine of the entire Assembly due to the Covid-19 protocols.

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The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): You know these masks are becoming like phones sometimes you forget. Let us remind each other because it is normal to forget like I had forgotten mine but I quickly remembered. Proceed hon. Mwathethe.

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwathethe): Thank you Mr. Speaker. I wish to lay on the Table of this House, the First, Second and Third Quarterly Reports for the financial year 2019/2020 from the Department of Devolution, Public Service and Disaster Management (Office of the Governor and Office of the County Attorney).

(Hon. Mwathethe laid the documents on the Table)

The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): Next.

FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD QUARTERLY REPORTS FOR THE FY 2019/2020
FROM THE DEVOLUTION AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DIVISION

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwathethe): I have another Paper. I also wish to lay on the Table of this House, the First, Second and Third Quarterly Reports for the financial year 2019/2020 from the Department of Devolution, Public Service and Disaster Management (Devolution and Disaster Management Division).

(Hon. Mwathethe laid the documents on the Table)

The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): Next.

DONATION POLICY AND BENEFICIARIES AND CASH TRANSFER POLICY FROM THE
DEPARTMENT OF DEVOLUTION, PUBLIC SERVICE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT

The Leader of Majority (Hon. Mwathethe): I wish to lay on the Table of this House, the Donation Policy and Beneficiaries and Cash Transfer Policy from the Department of Devolution, Public Service and Disaster Management. Thank you.

(Hon. Mwathethe laid the documents on the Table)

The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): Next.

STATEMENTS

DELAYED COMPLETION OF KAHINGONI WATER PIPELINE PROJECT

Hon. Pascal: Thank you hon. Speaker. I would like to read a Statement through the Chairperson; Water, Environment and Natural Resources Committee:-

Whether the County Executive Committee Member (CECM) in charge of Water, Environment, Natural Resources, Forestry and Solid Waste Management is aware that Article 43 (1)(d) provides that every person has the right to clean and safe water in adequate quantities.

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Whether the CECM is further aware that Kahingoni-Mwamleka pipeline, a water project initiated by the County Government three (3) years ago (FY 2016/2017) is yet to be completed despite the contractor having received full payment for the project.

If yes,

1. What is the cause of the delayed completion of the project and who has been assessing the works done and approving payments for the project?
2. What measures is the CECM taking to ensure the project is completed without further delays?

LACK OF WATER SUPPLY AT THE PALAKUMI-MWIJO WATER PIPELINE

Hon. Pascal: Thank you hon. Speaker. I would also like to read a Statement through the same Chairperson:-

Whether the County Executive Committee Member (CECM) in charge of Water, Environment, Natural Resources, Forestry and Solid Waste Management is aware that Article 43 (1)(d) provides that every person has the right to clean and safe water in adequate quantities.

Whether the CECM is aware that, Palakuni-Mwijo Water pipeline which serves the people of Ganze and Kaloleni Sub-Counties for over twenty (20) years now has been dry for the last six (6) months forcing the area residents to walk for long distances in search of the important commodity which is also very expensive.

If yes, what is the problem with the pipeline and what measures is the CECM taking to restore the flow of water considering that it is now highly and critically needed for the fight against Covid-19?

DELAYED COMPLETION OF THE KABATHENI BOREHOLE PROJECT

Hon. Pascal: Thank you hon. Speaker. I would also like to read a Statement through the Chairperson; Water, Environment and Natural Resources Committee:-

Whether the County Executive Committee Member (CECM) in charge of Water, Environment, Natural Resources, Forestry and Solid Waste Management is aware that Kabatheni Borehole, a programme budgeted for and initiated in the financial year 2015/2016 (five years down the line) is yet to be completed.

If yes, what measures is the County Executive Committee Member (CECM) taking to ensure the project is completed and handed over to the community for use within the shortest time possible? Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker (Hon. Kahindi): Hon. Members, in the absence of any other business in the Order Paper, this House stands adjourned.

The House rose at 9:40 a.m.

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