

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**SIAYA COUNTY ASSEMBLY**  
**THE HANSARD**

**Second County Assembly - Second Session**

**Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2018**

The House met at the County Assembly Chamber at 2.30 p.m.

*[The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Odongo) in the Chair]*

**PRAYER**

**PAPERS**

**Hon. Oyugi:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, allow me to lay the following Papers on the Table of this House:-

1. The Revised Assembly Calendar -Regular Sessions- for the Second Session of the Second Assembly.

**NOTICE OF MOTION**

ASSEMBLY CALENDAR -REGULAR SESSIONS

**Hon. Oyugi:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I rise to give notice of the following Motion:  
 THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 25(4), this House alters and approves the Assembly Calendar -Regular Sessions- for the Second Session of the Second Assembly.

**MOTION**

ASSEMBLY CALENDAR -REGULAR SESSIONS

**Hon. Oyugi:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I rise to move the following Motion:-  
 THAT, pursuant to Standing Order 25(4), this House alters and approves the Assembly Calendar -Regular Sessions- for the Second Session of the Second Assembly.

Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, we are doing this to enable ample time in working on the budget estimates. As we are all aware, we have to finalise everything before the end of this month.

Secondly, we are altering our Calendar so that it matches that of the National Assembly. I now call upon the Deputy Majority Whip to second the Motion.

*(Motion seconded)*

*(Question proposed)*

**Hon. Adalla:** Thank you, Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir. Before i contribute, I need protection from characters showing signs of Alshabaab in the House who want to harass me. And the character is---

*(Hon. Booker rose on a point of order)*

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Yes, Hon. Booker Washington Bonyo, MCA, North Uyoma Ward..

**Hon. Booker:**Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, is the Hon. Member in order to insinuate that there is Alshabaab in this House?

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Adalla, can you withdraw that statement!

**Hon. Adalla:** Thank you. Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, if my—

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Adalla, can you withdraw that statement! We don't have Alshabaab in this House. Not unless you know one.

**Hon. Adalla:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I withdraw.

**Hon. Awita:** It is out of order for a Hon. Member to call other Members Alshabaab. It is very wrong! Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I feel he should apologise.

**Hon. Akuno:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I can defend Hon. Adalla. He just said some characters. He didn't say there are Alshabaab in this House.

*(Hon. Booker rose on a point of order)*

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Yes, Hon. Booker!

**Hon. Booker:**Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I am still repeating; is it on order for the Hon. Member to insinuate that there are Alshabaab in this House and if indeed there is one, what have you done to remove them? If he is not going to withdraw, then we better withdraw ourselves because we don't want to live with Alshabaab.

**Hon. Otiato:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I think you had ruled on the issue of Alshabaab and ordered the Hon. Member to withdraw. The instruction that should follow is that he withdraws or he be removed.

**Hon. Akuno:** Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, I still defend---

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Member, can you have your seat!

**Hon. Akuno:** But, Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, some people—

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Member, take your seat! You are not even well dressed! Hon. Adalla, you can proceed. First, withdraw the statement.

*(Laughter)*

**Hon. Adalla:** Thank you, Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir. I have got lots of respect for the Deputy Speaker because he is a man with wisdom. And because he has asked me to withdraw, I don't have any other option but to do so. While at it, the Queens language must also be understood and mastered well so that when we say characters in Siaya, we don't mean inside the Assembly. I said that in Siaya County, there are characters that are showing signs of Alshabaab.

**Hon. Booker:**Point of order, Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir!

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Yes, Hon. Booker! Hon. Adalla, take your seat!

**Hon. Booker:**Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, we as Members of the County Assembly of Siaya represent the people, and so, we cannot allow this Hon. Member to call the people of Siaya Alshabaab. If he is so indecent like that, then I don't see the reason why we are in this House.

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Booker, I think Hon. Adalla has already withdrawn. Can you go straight to the point now!

**Hon. Adalla:** Thank you, Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir. I rise to support the Motion moved by the Hon. Deputy Majority Leader that is geared towards altering the Assembly Calendar. I want to commend the team that did this assignment for having looked at the Calendar so well. From it I can

see that a lot of sessions have been set aside for us to sit here and discuss on matters affecting the people of Siaya which is essentially why we are here.

I have also taken note that a few days have been set for recess and that is good enough because the basic reason as to why we are seated in this Assembly is to represent the people of Siaya and take care of their interests. I would have been worried if we had lots of days for recess.

As I finish, I want to say that the wisdom of a man is only got when he speaks and the ability to get what one says. Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, if you are looking for the person who peed on the wall of the house, then you know where to look. Having said that I know you know what I mean. I support.

**Hon. Otiato:** I equally rise to support this Calendar and especially with the noting that the Assembly shall be sitting some days from 2.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. pursuant to Standing Order 27 of the County Assembly of Siaya.

Mr. Deputy Speaker, Sir, we are aware that there are some important statutory documents that we have to deal with before the end of this month and this Calendar is anchored towards that. I fully support.

*(Question put and agreed to)*

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**Hon. Deputy Speaker:** Hon. Members, there being no other business, this House stands adjourned until tomorrow at 2.30 p.m.

The House rose at 2.242 p.m.