

**SIXTH PARLIAMENT  
OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE  
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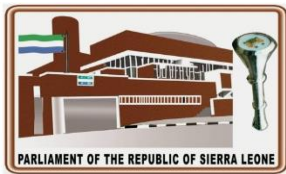
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**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2025**

**The House Met at 10:10a.m.  
The Hon. Deputy Speaker Ibrahim Tawa Conteh, Presided.**

**I. Attendance:**

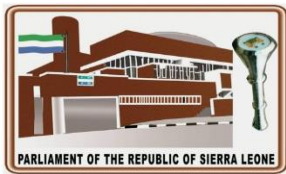
THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:			
NO	NAME	PARTY	DISTRICT
1.	Hon. Abdulai Charles Osman	SLPP	Bo
2.	Hon. Bangura Abdul Karim	SLPP	Karene
3.	Hon. Bangura Adama	SLPP	Kambia
4.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene
5.	Hon. Bangura Daniel Amadu	APC	Tonkolili
6.	Hon. Bangura Mariama	APC	Western Area Urban
7.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed Papa	APC	Bombali
8.	Hon. Banya Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun
9.	Hon. Barrie Ibrahim	APC	Bombali
10.	Hon. Bayoh Alie	SLPP	Kenema
11.	Hon. Bockarie Bintu Fatmata	SLPP	Bonthe
12.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kenema
13.	Hon. Boima Sylvester Arnold Maxwell (Rtd. Capt.)	SLPP	Moyamba
14.	Hon. Conteh Hawa	APC	Koinadugu
15.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Area Urban
16.	Hon. Conteh Kemokoh	APC	Western Area Rural
17.	Hon. Conteh Mohamed	APC	Bombali
18.	Hon. Conteh Paul Samba	APC	Bombali
19.	Hon. Daramy Princess Kadie	SLPP	Western Area Urban
20.	Hon. Dauda Idris Moiwai	SLPP	Bonthe
21.	Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa	SLPP	Bo
22.	Hon. Fatorma Juliana Aliematu	SLPP	Kenema
23.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Area Rural
24.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	SLPP	Kenema
25.	Hon. Fofanah Mohamed Tawallie	SLPP	Kambia
26.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	SLPP	Kono
27.	Hon. Fornah Daniel	APC	Tonkolili
28.	Hon. Forna Mabinty	APC	Tonkolili
29.	Hon. Gberek III P.C Bai Shebora Sheba	P.C	Port Loko
30.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba
31.	Hon. Gondor II P.C. Foray Cyril	-	Kailahun
32.	Hon. Goba Mariama Ella	SLPP	Kenema
33.	Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fodie Madie	SLPP	Falaba



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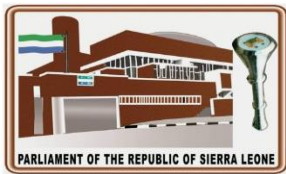
34.	Hon. Johnny Tamba Simeon	SLPP	Kono
35.	Hon. Johnson Margaret Feimata	SLPP	Kailahun
36.	Hon. Jalloh Memunatu	APC	Port Loko
37.	Hon. Jalloh Mohamed Alpha	APC	Bombali
38.	Hon. Kabba Ibrahim	SLPP	Western Area Rural
39.	Hon. Kaisamba Francis Amara	SLPP	Kenema
40.	Hon. Kamara Abdulai A.	APC	Western Area Urban
41.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Kambia
42.	Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash	APC	Karene
43.	Hon. Kamara Idriss Sahid	SLPP	Western Area Urban
44.	Hon. Kamara Joseph Abdul Bash	SLPP	Bo
45.	Hon. Kamara Marie	APC	Bombali
46.	Hon. Kamara Rugiatu	APC	Tonkolili
47.	Hon. Kanneh P. C. Alameen	-	Kenema
48.	Hon. Kanneh Mohamed	SLPP	Kailahun
49.	Hon. Kanu Abdulai Karim	SLPP	Port Loko
50.	Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy	APC	Western Area Urban
51.	Hon. Kanbgai Beatrice Maaya	SLPP	Bo
52.	Hon. Kargbo Abdul	APC	Port Loko
53.	Hon. Kargbo Amara Momoh	SLPP	Western Area Rural
54.	Hon. Kargobai P.C. Desmond Mahayei	-	Bo
55.	Hon. Keiha III P.C Kandeh Baba	-	Bombali
56.	Hon. Kellie Lucinda Finda	APC	Kono
57.	Hon. Kellie Tamba	APC	Kono
58.	Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna	APC	Tonkolili
59.	Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima	APC	Koinadugu
60.	Hon. Koroma Ibrahim	SLPP	Kenema
61.	Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue P.C Haja Fatmata Bintu	-	Moyamba
62.	Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba	APC	Bombali
63.	Hon. Kumabeh Alice Jebbeh	SLPP	Bonthe
64.	Hon. Lahai Musa	SLPP	Kailahun
65.	Hon. Lamina Saa Emerson	SLPP	Kono
66.	Hon. Langley Beatrice Iyamide	SLPP	Western Area Rural
67.	Hon. Lansana P.C. Bio Prince	-	Bonthe
68.	Hon. Larkoh Aruna Papay	APC	Tonkolili
69.	Hon. Lebby Ambrose Maada	SLPP	Bo
70.	Hon. Lebbie Nenneh	SLPP	Bo
71.	Hon. Mackery Yusuf	SLPP	Bo
72.	Hon. Mansaray Alpha Ben	APC	Moyamba
73.	Hon. Mansaray Brima	SLPP	Kenema



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74.	Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla	APC	Koinadugu
75.	Hon. Mansaray Konkofa Farah	SLPP	Koinadugu
76.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Alie Balan Sama	-	Koinadugu
77.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Thor Thor Sheku Terenah Tongos Neya Konkoroba Fanko Lai	-	Falaba
78.	Hon. Moriba Amie Nyava	SLPP	Bo
79.	Hon. Moijueh Jibrila Sur	SLPP	Bonthe
80.	Hon. Ngbak IV P.C Bai Farama Tass Bubu	-	Kambia
81.	Hon. Pyne Umu	SLPP	Moyamba
82.	Hon. Quee Komba	SLPP	Kono
83.	Hon. Rahman – Coker Mohamed Sheriff	SLPP	Western Area Urban
84.	Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia	SLPP	Pujehun
85.	Hon. Sama Shiaka Musa	SLPP	Pujehun
86.	Hon. Sandy Alice Kornya	SLPP	Kenema
87.	Hon. Sankoh – Yillah Ishmael	SLPP	Port Loko
88.	Hon. P. C. Saquee V Paul Ngaba	-	Kono
89.	Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa	SLPP	Moyamba
90.	Hon. Sesay Jawah	APC	Tonkolili
91.	Hon. Sesay Sallieu Osman	APC	Bombali
92.	Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie	SLPP	Moyamba
93.	Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh	SLPP	Falaba
94.	Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa	SLPP	Kailahun
95.	Hon. Silikie Bashiru	SLPP	Bo
96.	Hon. Songa Bernadette Wuyatta	SLPP	Kailahun
97.	Hon. Soukenah Fatmata Sarah	SLPP	Western Area Urban
98.	Hon. Tamu P . C. Saffa Monya	-	Pujehun
99.	Hon. Taylor-Bangura Mabinty Alice	APC	Kambia
100.	Hon. Tholley Foyoh	SLPP	Tonkolili
101.	Hon. Thompson Alfred Ayodele	APC	Western Area Urban
102.	Hon. Timbo Osman Abdal	APC	Western Area Urban
103.	Hon. Tongi Emilia Lolloh	SLPP	Kailahun
104.	Hon. Vandy Christopha Kekura	SLPP	Bo
105.	Hon. Williams – Lamin Joseph	SLPP	Bo
106.	Hon. Zombo Mariama Munia	SLPP	Pujehun
<b>THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:</b>			
1.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahiteh	SLPP	Bo
2.	Hon. Bangura Rose - Marie	APC	Tonkolili
3.	Hon. Conteh Adama	APC	Western Area Urban
4.	Hon. Edwin Moses A.	SLPP	Bonthe
5.	Hon. Jalloh P. C. Alhaji Musa Bamba Foray Kulio III	-	Tonkolili



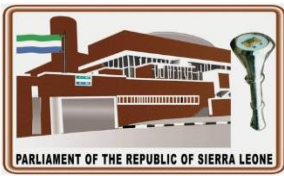
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6.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Port Loko
7.	Hon. Kamara Mohamed Sheridan	APC	Kambia
8.	Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph	SLPP	Western Area Rural
9.	Hon. Kargbo Sheikh Santigie Ibrahim	SLPP	Port Loko
10.	Hon. Kawaleh II P.C Kandeh Paria	-	Karene
11.	Hon. Momodu Sahr Koutu	SLPP	Kono
12.	Hon. Munda Boston	SLPP	Kenema
13.	Hon. Salia – Konneh Quintin	SLPP	Kailahun
14.	Hon. Sesay Abdul Latiff	APC	Port Loko
15.	Hon. Tarawalli-Mussaffa Rugiatu	SLPP	Kenema
16.	Hon. Tengbeh Fallah Kenawah	SLPP	Kailahun
17.	Hon. Tommy Sia Mahawa Habiamia	SLPP	Kono
18.	Hon. Turay Benjamin	SLPP	Western Area Urban

**THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH AN EXCUSE:**

1.	Hon. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Area Rural
2.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Area Urban
3.	Hon. Bah Zinab	APC	Western Area Rural
4.	Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz	APC	Port Loko
5.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene
6.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali
7.	Hon. Gevao Hindolo Moiwo	SLPP	Kailahun
8.	Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie	SLPP	Western Area Rural
9.	Hon. Kallon Hawa	SLPP	Pujehun
10.	Hon. Kamara Mahmoud	APC	Western Area Urban
11.	Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei	SLPP	Kono
12.	Hon. Kargbo John Sartty	APC	Western Area Rural
13.	Hon. Kargbo Mohamed Sheriff	APC	Karene
14.	Hon. Kemokai Abu	SLPP	Pujehun
15.	Hon. Koroma Ernest Dura	APC	Kambia
16.	Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbessay	APC	Western Area Urban
17.	Hon. Marray – Conteh Abdul Sulaiman	SLPP	Western Area Urban
18.	Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr	SLPP	Kenema
19.	Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh	SLPP	Pujehun
20.	Hon. Sesay Aminata	APC	Port Loko
21.	Hon. Sesay Pessima Mariatu Racheal	SLPP	Port Loko
22.	Hon. Tarawally Cathrine Zainab	APC	Bombali
23.	Hon. Tucker Tom Issic	APC	Kono
24.	Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed	SLPP	Pujehun
25.	Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba	APC	Tonkolili



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**Pronouncement of Quorum at 10:18 am:**

The Acting Clerk of Parliament, **Mr. Gilbert Bosco N'habay**, made the following pronouncement as quoted: **"Mr. Speaker, Hon. Members. Pursuant to Section 89 of the Constitution of Sierra Leone 1991 (Act No. 6 of 1991) in tandem with S.O. 7(1) of the Standing Orders of Parliament, this House has formed a quorum to commence its proceedings."**

**1. Prayers were read by Ms. Esther Boima (Table Clerk).**

**2. Suspension of Standing Order 5 (2):**

The motion for the suspension of SO 5 (2) at 10:10 am was moved by **Hon. Veronica K. Sesay** from **Moyamba District**. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Nenneh Lebbie** from **Bo District** and approved by the House.

**3. Adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2025:**

The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2025 was moved by **Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin** from **Bo District**. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Christopha K. Vandy** from **Bo District** and adopted by the House.

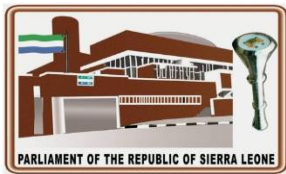
**4. Mr. Speaker's Announcement:**

The Deputy Speaker, brought to the attention of the House a matter he had raised six months ago, concerning the Chief of Staff, General Hydera, allegedly attempting to seize and takeover the Services Secondary School land. He reported that the Chief of Staff visited the site on Monday with armed personnel and threatened to demolish structures occupying 8% of the total school's total land. The Deputy Speaker emphasized that this act is considered aggression. He explained that although the matter was reported to the personal security adviser and the Office of National Security (ONS) Coordinator, no action has been taken, as the Chief of Staff remains insistent and no one has been able to stop him. He also revealed that beginning Thursday night, the Chief of Staff planned to mobilize the community personnel to roll out further actions.

**Hon. Tamba Kellie** from **Kono District** advised that the school authorities to seek an injunction in court, stressing that any attempt to break the law would be considered contempt, and no one is above the law.

The Deputy Speaker acknowledged the concern and clarified that the school is entirely separate from the barracks. He added that a survey conducted by IMATT in 1998 produced two set of survey plan documents, both of which were distributed to the school and the military.

Hon. Daniel B. Koroma said that the matter needed to be taken more seriously and he believed that Parliament can stop the process until they know the reasons for his intended actions.



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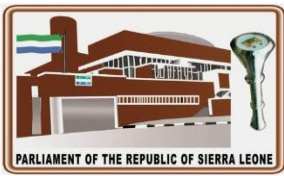
**The following Hon Members were recognized for Punctuality for the commencement of Proceedings:**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Names of Hon. Members</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>District</b>
1.	Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin	SLPP	Bo
2.	Hon. Umu Pyne	SLPP	Moyamb
3.	Hon. Alfred A. Thompson	APC	Western Urban
4.	Hon. Ibrahim Kabba	SLPP	Western Rural
5.	Hon. Edward George	SLPP	Moyamba
6.	Hon. Musa Fofanah	SLPP	Kono
7.	Hon. Alpha Maddie Jabbie	SLPP	Falaba
8.	Hon. Brima Mansaray	SLPP	Kenema
9.	Hon. P.C. Kandeh Baba Keiba	P.C.	Bombali
10.	Hon. Ibrahim Koroma	SLPP	Kenema
11.	Hon. Beatrice Maaya Kangbai	SLPP	Bo
12.	Hon. Sarty Barnya	SLPP	Kailahun
13.	Hon. Amie N. Moriba	SLPP	Bo
14.	Hon. Fatmata Sarah Soukenah	SLPP	Western Urban
15.	Hon. Rugiatu Rosy Kanu	APC	Western Urban
16.	Hon. Daniel Amadu Bangura	APC	Tonkolili
17.	Hon. Nenneh Lebbie	SLPP	Bo
18.	Hon. Sylvester Arnold Maxwell Boima (Rtd. Capt.)	SLPP	Moyamba
19.	Hon. Abdul Karim Bangura	SLPP	Karene
20.	Hon. Foyoh Tholley	SLPP	Port Loko
21.	Hon. Idriss Sahid Kamara	SLPP	Western Urban
22.	Hon. Abdul Karim Kamara	APC	Kambia
23.	Hon. Marie Kamara	APC	Bombali
24.	Hon. Alie Bayoh	SLPP	Kenema
25.	Hon. Paul Samba Conteh	APC	Bombali
26.	Hon. Lucinda Finda Kellie	APC	Kono
27.	Hon. Abdulai A. Kamara	APC	Western Urban
28.	Hon. Idriss Moiwa Dauda	SLPP	Bonthe
29.	Hon. Alex Mattia Rogers	SLPP	Pujehun
30.	Hon. Christoph K. Vandy	SLPP	Bo
31.	Hon. Musa Lahai	SLPP	Kailahun

**5. Laying of Paper:**

The Table Clerk **Ms. Esther Boima**, called upon the Leader of Government Business to lay the following paper that was itemized on the Order Paper.





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**Paper laid by the Deputy Leader of Government Business:**

The Deputy Leader of Government Business, **Hon. Bashiru Silikie** laid the following paper.

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**6. Standing Order 25 (Notice of Motion):**

**Hon. Daniel B. Koroma** from **Koinadugu District**, moved a motion that the Paper laid on the Table of the House be debated.

**7. Government Motion:**

**(A) The Minister of Trade and Industry.**

The Table Clerk, **Ms. Esther Boima**, called upon the Minister of Trade and Industry to proceed with the Government Motion.

The Minister of Trade and Industry, **Ibrahim Alpha Sesay**, moved the Government Motion as quoted:

**"Be it resolved: That this Honourable House hereby ratifies the following Agreement which was laid on the Table of the House on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2025:"**

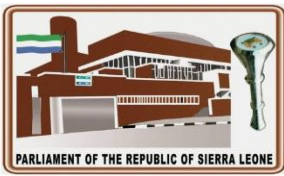
He presented the objects and reasons of the **"Government Motion"** to the House and again moved its ratification,

**Mr. Speaker proposed the Question for debate.**

The following Hon. Members spoke to the Motion:

No.	Names of Hon. Members	Party	District
1.	Hon. Veronica K. Sesay	SLPP	Moyamba
2.	Hon. Abdul Karim Kamara	APC	Kambia
3.	Hon. Charles O. Abdulai	SLPP	Bo
4.	Hon. Andul Kargbo	APC	Port Loko
5.	Hon. Bashiru Silikie – Acting Majority Leader	SLPP	Bo

The Minister of Trade and Industry, **Ibrahim Alpha Sesay**, responded to the issues raised by Hon. Members and again moved the ratification of the Government Motion.



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**Mr. Speaker put the Question for vote as quoted**

**"All those in favour, say Aye"**

**"Those against, say Nay"**

**Through collection of voices, Mr. Speaker declared that the Ayes had it.**

The Table Clerk, **Ms. Esther Boima**, pronounced that the Government Motion by the Minister of Trade and Industry had been ratified.

**Government Motion:**

**(B) The Minister of Finance.**

The Table Clerk, **Ms. Esther Boima**, called upon the Minister of Finance to proceed with the Government Motion.

The Deputy Minister of Finance 1, **Kadiatu Allie**, moved the Government Motion as quoted:

**"Be it resolved: That this Honourable House hereby ratifies the following Agreements which were laid on the Table of the House on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2025:"**

She presented the objects and reasons of the **"Government Motion"** to the House and again moved its ratification,

**Mr. Speaker proposed the Question for debate.**

The following Hon. Members spoke to the Motion:

No.	Names of Hon. Members	Party	District
1.	Hon. Christoph K. Vandy	SLPP	Bo
2.	Hon. Tamba Kellie	APC	Kono
3.	Hon. Abdul Kargbo	APC	Port Loko

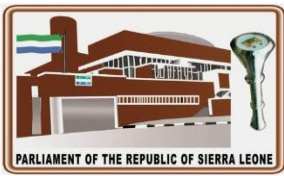
**Suspension of Standing Order 5 (2):**

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5 (2) at 12 noon was moved by **Hon. Nenneh Lebbie** from **Bo District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Shaka Musa Sama** from **Pujehun District** and approved by the House.

**Proceedings Continued.**

4.	Hon. Bashiru Silikie – Acting Majority Leader	SLPP	Bo
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The Minister of Finance 1, **Kadiatu Allie**, responded to the issues raised by Hon. Members and again moved the ratification of the Government Motion.

**Mr. Speaker put the Question for vote as quoted**

**"All those in favour, say Aye"**

**"Those against, say Nay"**

**Through collection of voices, Mr. Speaker declared that the Ayes had it.**

The Table Clerk, **Ms. Esther Boima**, pronounced that the Government Motion by the Minister Finance had been ratified.

## **8. Standing Order 23 (Personal Explanations)**

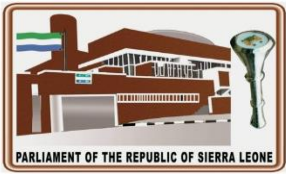
**Hon. Daniel B. Koroma** from **Koinadugu District**, stood on SO 23 and raised a concern informing the House about an ongoing issue affecting Services Secondary School. He noted that this matter had previously been brought before the House and expressed disappointment that it had not been resolved. He emphasized the importance of the House taking swift action as representatives of the people, highlighting the need to protect the interest of all schools and uphold the integrity of learning institutions. He strongly condemned the transfer of school land to a private individual or institution, calling it a violation of free quality education and human rights. He criticized such actions as a disregard for government priorities and human capital development. He urged the Speaker to establish a Public Interest Committee to address the matter urgently, engage all relevant parties, and provide timely recommendations.

**Hon. Bashiru Silikie** from **Bo District**, supported the motion and recommended forming a joint committee on Defense and Committee on Basic Education with a mandate to act within two weeks.

Mr. Speaker agreed and proposed the creation of a tripartite committee involving the Defense, Education and Lands. He directed the Acting Clerk to write to the Chief of Defense Staff and the Deputy Minister of Defense and other relevant Ministries, inviting them to join the committee. He further instructed that activities related to the land in question be put on hold until the committee concludes its investigations and submits a report to the House by 31<sup>st</sup> July 2025.

### **Statement:**

**Hon. Abubakarr Fofanah** from **Kenema District** thanked assured the people of Kenema that he would continue the good work of the late Hon. Musa Peter Moigua. He expressed his gratitude to the House for the opportunity to say a few words in honour of the late Hon. Musa Peter Moigua.



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**9. Adjournment:**

**Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.  
The House rose at 12:45 p.m.**