



**SIXTH PARLIAMENT  
OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE  
FIRST SESSION, 2023/2024  
FIRST MEETING OF PARLIAMENT  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE  
NINETEENTH SITTING**



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**FRIDAY, 10<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2023**

**The House Met at 10:00 a.m.**  
**The Rt. Hon. Speaker, Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu, Presided.**

**I. ATTENDANCE:**

<b>THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:</b>			
<b>NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>PARTY</b>	<b>DISTRICT</b>
1.	Hon. Abdulai Charles Osman	SLPP	BO
2.	Hon. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Area Rural
3.	Hon. Bangura Abdul Karim	SLPP	Karene
4.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Area Urban
5.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene
6.	Hon. Bangura Daniel Amadu	APC	Tonkolili
7.	Hon. Bayoh Alie	SLPP	Kenema
8.	Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz	APC	Port Loko
9.	Hon. Bangura Mariama	APC	Western Area Urban
10.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene
11.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Bombali
12.	Hon. Bangura Rose - Marie	APC	Tonkolili
13.	Hon. Banya Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun
14.	Hon. Barrie Ibrahim	APC	Bombali
15.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kenema
16.	Hon. Conteh Adama	APC	Western Area Urban
17.	Hon. Conteh Hawa	APC	Koinadugu
18.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Area Urban
19.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali
20.	Hon. Conteh Kemokoh	APC	Western Area Rural
21.	Hon. Conteh Mohamed	APC	Bombali
22.	Hon. Conteh Paul Samba	APC	Bombali
23.	Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa	SLPP	Bo
24.	Hon. Fatorma Juliana Aliematu	SLPP	Kenema
25.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Area Rural
26.	Hon. Fofanah Mohamed Tawallie	SLPP	Kambia
27.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	SLPP	Kono
28.	Hon. Fornah Daniel	APC	Tonkolili
29.	Hon. Forna Mabinty	APC	Tonkolili
30.	Hon. Gberek III P.C Bai Shebora Sheba	-	Port Loko



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31.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba
32.	Hon. Gevao Hindolo Moiwo	SLPP	Kailahun
33.	Hon. Goba Mariama Ella	SLPP	Kenema
34.	Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fodie Madie	SLPP	Falaba
35.	Hon. Jalloh Memunatu	APC	Port Loko
36.	Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie	SLPP	Western Area Rural
37.	Hon. Jalloh Mohamed Alpha	APC	Bombali
38.	Hon. Johnson Margaret Feimata	SLPP	Kailahun
39.	Hon. Johnny Tamba Simeon	SLPP	Kono
40.	Hon. Kabba Ibrahim	SLPP	Western Area Rural
41.	Hon. Kaisamba Francis Amara	SLPP	Kenema
42.	Hon. Kallon Hawa	SLPP	Pujehun
43.	Hon. Kamara Abdulai	APC	Western Area Urban
44.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Kambia
45.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Port Loko
46.	Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash	APC	Karene
47.	Hon. Kamara Joseph Abdul Bash	SLPP	Bo
48.	Hon. Kamara Mahmoud	APC	Western Area Urban
49.	Hon. Kamara Marie	APC	Bombali
50.	Hon. Kanamanka III P.C Alhaji Masakama	-	Tonkolili
51.	Hon. Kanneh Mohamed	SLPP	Kailahun
52.	Hon. Kamara Mohamed Sheridan	APC	Kambia
53.	Hon. Kamara Rugiatu	APC	Tonkolili
54.	Hon. Kanu Abdulai Karim	SLPP	Port Loko
55.	Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph	SLPP	Western Area Rural
56.	Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy	APC	Western Area Urban
57.	Hon. Kargbo Abdul	APC	Port Loko
58.	Hon. Kargbo John Sartty	APC	Western Area Rural
59.	Hon. Kargbo Mohamed Sheriff	APC	Karene
60.	Hon. Kargobai P.C Desmond Mahayei	-	Bo
61.	Hon. Kawaleh II P.C Kandeh Paria	-	Karene
62.	Hon. Kellie Lucinda Finda	APC	Kono
63.	Hon. Kellie Tamba	APC	Kono
64.	Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna	APC	Tonkolili
65.	Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima	APC	Koinadugu
66.	Hon. Koroma Ernest	APC	Kambia
67.	Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue P.C Haja Fatmata Bintu	-	Moyamba
68.	Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba	APC	Bombali



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69.	Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbessay	APC	Wester Area n Urban
70.	Hon. Lahai Musa	SLPP	Kailahun
71.	Hon. Lamina Saa Emerson	SLPP	Kono
72.	Hon. Lansana P.C Bio Prince	-	Bonthe
73.	Hon. Larkoh Aruna Papay	APC	Tonkolili
74.	Hon. Lebbie Nenneh	SLPP	Bo
75.	Hon. Lebyy Ambrose Maada	SLPP	Bo
76.	Hon. Mansaray Alpha Ben	APC	Moyamba
77.	Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla	APC	Koinadugu
78.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Alie Balan Sama	-	Koinadugu
79.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Thor Thor Sheku Terenah Tongos Neya Konkoroba Fanko Lai	-	Falaba
80.	Hon. Marray – Conteh Abdul Sulaiman	SLPP	Western Area Urban
81.	Hon. Moigua Musa Peter	SLPP	Kenema
82.	Hon. Momodu Sahr Koutu	SLPP	Kono
83.	Hon. Moriba Amie Nyava	SLPP	Bo
84.	Hon. Munda Boston	SLPP	Kenem
85.	Hon. Ngbak IV P.C Bai Farama Tass Bubu	-	Kambia
86.	Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr	SLPP	Kenema
87.	Hon. Pyne Umu	SLPP	Moyamba
88.	Hon. Quee Komba	SLPP	Kono
89.	Hon. Rahman – Coker Mohamed Sheriff	SLPP	Western Area Urban
90.	Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia	SLPP	Pujehun
91.	Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh	SLPP	Pujehun
92.	Hon. Salia – Konneh Quintin	SLPP	Kailahun
93.	Hon. Sama Shiaka Musa	SLPP	Pujehun
94.	Hon. Sandy Alice Kornya	SLPP	Kenema
95.	Hon. Sankoh – Yillah Ishmael	SLPP	Port Loko
96.	Hon. Saquee IV P.C Paul Ngaba	-	Kono
97.	Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa	SLPP	Moyamba
98.	Hon. Sesay Abdul Latiff	APC	Port Loko
99.	Hon. Sesay Aminata	APC	Port Loko
100.	Hon. Sesay Jawah	APC	Tonkolili
101.	Hon. Sesay Pessima Mariatu Racheal	SLPP	Port Loko
102.	Hon. Sesay Sallieu Osman	APC	Bombali
103.	Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie	SLPP	Moyamba
104.	Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh	SLPP	Falaba
105.	Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa	SLPP	Kailahun



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106.	Hon. Silikie Bashiru	SLPP	Bo
107.	Hon. Surmoijueh Jibrila	SLPP	Bonthe
108.	Hon. Tarawally Cathrine Zainab	APC	Bombali
109.	Hon. Taylor-Bangura Mabinty Alice	APC	Kambia
110.	Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon	SLPP	Bonthe
111.	Hon. Timbo Osman Abdal	APC	Western Area Urban
112.	Hon. Timbo Zinab	APC	Western Area Rural
113.	Hon. Tommy Sia Mahawa Habiana	SLPP	Kono
114.	Hon. Tongi Emilia Lolloh	SLPP	Kailahun
115.	Hon. Tucker Tom Issic	APC	Kono
116.	Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba	APC	Tonkolili
117.	Hon. Turay Benjamin	SLPP	Western Area Urban
118.	Hon. Vandy Christopha Kekura	SLPP	Bo
119.	Hon. Williams – Lamin Joseph	SLPP	Bo
120.	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 Adama	SLPP	Kambia
3.	Hon. Bockarie Bintu Fatmata	SLPP	Bonthe
4.	Hon. Boima Sylvester Arnold Maxwell (Rtd. Capt.)	SLPP	Moyamba
5.	Hon. Daramy Princess Kadie	SLPP	Western Area Urban
6.	Hon. Dauda Idris Moiwai	SLPP	Bonthe
7.	Hon. Gondor II P.C. Foray Cyril	-	Kailahun
8.	Hon. Kamara Idriss Sahid	SLPP	Western Area Urban
9.	Hon. Kanbgai Beatrice Maaya	SLPP	Bo
10.	Hon. Kargbo Amara Momoh	SLPP	Western Area Rural
11.	Hon. Kargbo Sheikh Santigie Ibrahim	SLPP	Port Loko
12.	Hon. Kemokai Abu	SLPP	Pujehun
13.	Hon. Koroma Ibrahim	SLPP	Kenema
14.	Hon. Kumabeh Alice Jebbeh	SLPP	Bonthe
15.	Hon. Langley Beatrice Iyamide	SLPP	Western Area Rural
16.	Hon. Mansaray Brima	SLPP	Kenema
17.	Hon. Mansaray Konkofa Farah	SLPP	Koinadugu
18.	Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette	SLPP	Kailahun
19.	Hon. Soukenah Fatmata Sarah	SLPP	Western Area Urban
20.	Hon. Tarawalli-Mussaffa Rugiatu	SLPP	Kenema
21.	Hon. Tengbeh Fallah Kenawah	SLPP	Kailahun
22.	Hon. Tholley Foyoh	SLPP	Tonkolili



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23.	Hon. Thompson Alfred Ayodele	APC	Western Area Urban
<b>THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH AN EXCUSE:</b>			
1.	Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei	SLPP	Kono
2.	Hon. Keiha III P.C Kandeh Baba	-	Bombali
3.	Hon. Mackery Yusuf	SLPP	Bo
4.	Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed	SLPP	Pujehun

2. Prayers were read by Mr. Edward Sahr Lebbie (Table Clerk).

**3. Adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2023:**

The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 was moved by **Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin of Bo District**. It was seconded by **Hon. Abdul Karim Bangura of District** and adopted by the House.

**4. Announcement by Mr. Speaker:**

The Rt. Hon. Speaker Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu commended Hon. Members for being punctual for the prompt start of proceedings. He continued to implore them to work in that direction and to imbibe the culture of respecting time. He further admonished them to embrace and adopt good works and cultures and never allow bad examples to influence their ways of doing things. Mr. Speaker also acknowledged the presence of Hon. Members from the Parliament of Ghana. He asked them to rise up so that they would be recognized by the House. He informed them that they were on a study visit on best practice of the Business Committee in the Parliament of Sierra Leone and that they had been fortunate to witness the swearing-in of Members of the APC. He went on to say that they were about to witness a very special session of Parliament which was the Reading of the National Budget by the Minister of Finance. Mr. Speaker said he hoped they would pick few things that they would take back with them.

**5. Laying of Paper:**

The Minister of Finance, **Mr. Sheku Ahmed Fantamadi Bangura** laid the following paper:

**FISCAL STRATEGY STATEMENT (FSS) FY 2024 – 2028 IN FULFILMENT OF SECTION 21 & 23 OF PUBLIC FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT ACT 2016.**

**6. Bill: The Appropriation Act, 2024  
The Minister of Finance**



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### **Introduction and First Reading**

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, called upon the Minister of Finance to proceed on the **Introduction and First Reading** of the Bill.

(i) **Introduction and First Reading:**

The Minister of Finance, **Mr. Sheku Ahmed Fantamadi Bangura** introduced and read in detail the content of the Bill to the House. He moved that the Bill entitled "**The Appropriation Act, 2024**" "**Being an Act to authorize expenditure from the Consolidated Fund for the services of Sierra Leone for the year 2024 and for other related matters**" be read the **First Time**.

**Mr. Speaker put the question for vote.**

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

**"All those against, say Nay."**

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

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, pronounced that the Bill entitled: **The Appropriation Act, 2024** had been read the **First Time**.

**Adjournment:**

**Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 at 10:00 am.**

**The House rose at 12:30 p.m.**