



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



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WEDNESDAY 16TH AUGUST, 2023

The House Met at 10:00 a.m.
The Deputy Speaker, Hon. Segepoh S. Thomas, Presided.

I. ATTENDANCE:

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:			
NO	NAME	PARTY	DISTRICT
1.	Hon. Abdulai Charles Osman	SLPP	Bo
2.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahiteh	SLPP	Bo
3.	Hon. Bangura Abdul Karim	SLPP	Karene
4.	Hon. Bangura Adama	SLPP	Kambia
5.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene
6.	Hon. Banya Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun
7.	Hon. Bayoh Alie	SLPP	Kenema
8.	Hon. Bockarie Bintu Fatmata	SLPP	Bonthe
9.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kailahun
10.	Hon. Boima Sylvester Arnold Maxwell (Rtd. Capt.)	SLPP	Moyamba
11.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Area Urban
12.	Hon. Dauda Idrissa Moiwai	SLPP	Bonthe
13.	Hon. Daramy Princess Kadie	SLPP	Western Area Urban
14.	Hon. Fabbah Hbib Keifa	SLPP	Bo
15.	Hon. Fatorma Juliana Aliematu	SLPP	Kenema
16.	Hon. Fofanah Mohamed Tawallie	SLPP	Kambia
17.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	SLPP	Kono
18.	Hon. Gberek III P.C Bai Shebora Sheba	P.C	Port Loko
19.	Hon. Gevao Hindolo Moiwo	SLPP	Kailahun
20.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba
21.	Hon. Goba Mariama Ella	SLPP	Kenema
22.	Hon. Gondor II P.C. Foray Cyril	-	Kailahun
23.	Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fodie Madie	SLPP	Falaba
24.	Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie	SLPP	Western Area Rural
25.	Hon. Johnny Tamba Simeon	SLPP	Kono
26.	Hon. Johnson Margaret Feimata	SLPP	Kailahun
27.	Hon. Kabba Ibrahim	SLPP	Western Area Rural
28.	Hon. Kaisamba Francis Amara	SLPP	Kenema
29.	Hon. Kallon Hawa	SLPP	Pujehun
30.	Hon. Kamara Idriss Sahid	SLPP	Western Area Urban
31.	Hon. Kamara Joseph Abdul Bash	SLPP	Bo



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32.	Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei	SLPP	Kono
33.	Hon. Kanamanka III P.C Alhaji Masakama	-	Tonkolili
34.	Hon. Kanneh Mohamed	SLPP	Kailahun
35.	Hon. Kanu Abdulai Karim	SLPP	Port Loko
36.	Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph	SLPP	Western Area Rural
37.	Hon. Kanbgai Beatrice Maaya	SLPP	Bo
38.	Hon. Kargbo Amara Momoh	SLPP	Western Area Rural
39.	Hon. Kargbo Sheikh Santigie Ibrahim	SLPP	Port Loko
40.	Hon. Kargobai P.C Desmond Mahayei	-	Bo
41.	Hon. Kawaleh II P.C Kandeh Paria	-	Karene
42.	Hon. Kebbie III P.C Brima Victor Sidi	-	Pujehun
43.	Hon. Kemokai Abu	SLPP	Pujehun
44.	Hon. Keiha III P.C Kandeh Baba	-	Bombali
45.	Hon. Koroma Ibrahim	SLPP	Kenema
46.	Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue P.C Haja Fatmata Bintu	-	Moyamba
47.	Hon. Kpakra P.C Fabah Foday Stephen	-	Kenema
48.	Hon. Kumabeh Alice Jebbeh	SLPP	Bonthe
49.	Hon. Lahai Musa	SLPP	Kailahun
50.	Hon. Lamina Saa Emerson	SLPP	Kono
51.	Hon. Langley Beatrice Iyamide	SLPP	Western Area Rural
52.	Hon. Lansana P.C Bio Prince	-	Bonthe
53.	Hon. Lebbie Nenneh	SLPP	Bo
54.	Hon. Lebyy Ambrose Maada	SLPP	Bo
55.	Hon. Mackery Yusuf	SLPP	Bo
56.	Hon. Mansaray Brima	SLPP	Kenema
57.	Hon. Mansaray Konkofa Farah	SLPP	Koinadugu
58.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Alie Balan Sama	-	Koinadugu
59.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Thor Thor Sheku Terenah Tongos Neya Konkoroba Fanko Lai	-	Falaba
60.	Hon. Marray – Conteh Abdul Sulaiman	SLPP	Western Area Urban
61.	Hon. Moigua Musa Peter	SLPP	Kenema
62.	Hon. Momodu Sahr Koutu	SLPP	Kono
63.	Hon. Moriba Amie Nyava	SLPP	Bo
64.	Hon. Munda Boston	SLPP	Kenema
65.	Hon. Ngbak IV P.C Bai Farama Tass Bubu	-	Kambia
66.	Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr	SLPP	Kenema
67.	Hon. Pyne Umu	SLPP	Moyamba
68.	Hon. Quee Tamba	SLPP	Kono
69.	Hon. Rahman – Coker Mohamed Sheriff	SLPP	Western Area Urban
70.	Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia	SLPP	Pujehun



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71.	Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh	SLPP	Pujehun
72.	Hon. Salia – Konneh Quintin	SLPP	Kailahun
73.	Hon. Sama Shiaka Musa	SLPP	Pujehun
74.	Hon. Sandy Alice Kornya	SLPP	Kenema
75.	Hon. Sankoh – Yillah Ishmael	SLPP	Port Loko
76.	Hon. Saquee IV P.C Paul Ngaba	-	Kono
77.	Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa	SLPP	Moyamba
78.	Hon. Sesay Pessima Mariatu Racheal	SLPP	Port Loko
79.	Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie	SLPP	Moyamba
80.	Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh	SLPP	Falaba
81.	Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa	SLPP	Kailahun
82.	Hon. Silikie Bashiru	SLPP	Bo
83.	Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette	SLPP	Kailahun
84.	Hon. Soukenah Fatmata Sarah	SLPP	Western Area Urban
85.	Hon. Surmoijueh Jibrila	SLPP	Bonthe
86.	Hon. Tarawalli-Mussaffa Rugiatu	SLPP	Kenema
87.	Hon. Tengbeh Fallah Kenawah	SLPP	Kailahun
88.	Hon. Tholley Foyoh	SLPP	Tonkolili
89.	Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon	SLPP	Bonthe
90.	Hon. Thompson Alfred Ayodele	APC	Western Area Urban
91.	Hon. Tommy Sia Mahawa Habiamama	SLPP	Kono
92.	Hon. Tongi Emilia Lolloh	SLPP	Kailahun
93.	Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed	SLPP	Pujehun
94.	Hon. Turay Benjamin	SLPP	Western Area Urban
95.	Hon. Vandy Christopha Kekura	SLPP	Bo
96.	Hon. Williams – Lamin Joseph	SLPP	Bo
97.	Hon. Zombo Mariama Munia	SLPP	Pujehun
THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:			
1.	Hon. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Area Rural
2.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Area Urban
3.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene
4.	Hon. Bangura Daniel Amadu	APC	Tonkolili
5.	Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz	APC	Port Loko
6.	Hon. Bangura Mariama	APC	Western Area Urban
7.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Bombali
8.	Hon. Bangura Rose - Marie	APC	Tonkolili
9.	Hon. Barrie Ibrahim	APC	Bombali
10.	Hon. Conteh Adama	APC	Western Area Urban
11.	Hon. Conteh Hawa	APC	Koinadugu
12.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali



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13.	Hon. Conteh Kemokoh	APC	Western Area Rural
14.	Hon. Conteh Mohamed	APC	Bombali
15.	Hon. Conteh Paul Samba	APC	Bombali
16.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Area Rural
17.	Hon. Fornah Daniel	APC	Tonkolili
18.	Hon. Forna Mabinty	APC	Tonkolili
19.	Hon. Jalloh Mohamed Alpha	APC	Bombali
20.	Hon. Kamara Abdulai	APC	Western Area Urban
21.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Kambia
22.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Port Loko
23.	Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash	APC	Karene
24.	Hon. Kamara Mahmoud	APC	Western Area Urban
25.	Hon. Kamara Marie	APC	Bombali
26.	Hon. Kamara Mohamed Sheridan	APC	Kambia
27.	Hon. Kamara Rugiatu	APC	Tonkolili
28.	Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy	APC	Western Area Urban
29.	Hon. Kargbo Abdul	APC	Port Loko
30.	Hon. Kargbo John Sartty	APC	Western Area Rural
31.	Hon. Kargbo Mohamed Sheriff	APC	Karene
32.	Hon. Kellie Lucinda Finda	APC	Kono
33.	Hon. Kellie Tamba	APC	Kono
34.	Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna	APC	Tonkolili
35.	Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima	APC	Koinadugu
36.	Hon. Koroma Ernest	APC	Kambia
37.	Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba	APC	Bombali
38.	Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbessay	APC	Western Area Urban
39.	Hon. Larkoh Aruna Papay	APC	Tonkolili
40.	Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla	APC	Koinadugu
41.	Hon. Mansaray Alpha Ben	APC	Moyamba
42.	Hon. Sesay Abdul Latiff	APC	Port Loko
43.	Hon. Sesay Aminata	APC	Port Loko
44.	Hon. Sesay Jawah	APC	Tonkolili
45.	Hon. Sesay Sallieu Osman	APC	Bombali
46.	Hon. Tarawally Cathrine Zainab	APC	Bombali
47.	Hon. Taylor-Bangura Mabinty Alice	APC	Kambia
48.	Hon. Timbo Osman Abdal	APC	Western Area Urban
49.	Hon. Timbo Zinab	APC	Western Area Rural
50.	Hon. Tucker Tom Issic	APC	Kono
51.	Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba	APC	Tonkolili
52.	Hon. Turay Memunatu	APC	Port Loko



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1. Prayers were read by Mr. Alimamy Lincoln-Bangura (Table Clerk).

2. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 10:20

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 10:20 am was moved by **Hon. Veronica K. Sesay of Moyamba District** for the commencement of proceedings. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Sarty Bany of Kailahun District** and approved by the House.

3. Adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Wednesday 16th August, 2023:

The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Wednesday 16th August, 2023 was moved by **Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin of Bo District**. It was seconded by **Hon. Sarty Bany of Kailahun District** and adopted by the House.

4. Mr. Speaker's Announcement:

The Speaker, **Hon. Segepoh S. Thomas**, informed the House about the list of fifteen names of Hon. Members that had been given to him for the debate on the Presidential Address for that Day's sitting. He pleaded with Hon. Members on the list to be brief and concise and to keep in line with time when given the floor to debate.

5. Motion of Thanks to His Excellency the President, Dr. Julius Maada Bio:

Debate Continued:

The following Hon. Members spoke to the motion:

Third Allotted Day

No.	Names of Honourable Members	Party	District
1.	Hon. Alice J. Kumabeh	SLPP	Bonthe
2.	Hon. Alpha Fode Madie Jabbie	SLPP	Falaba
3.	Hon. Mariama M. Zombo	SLPP	Bonthe
4.	Hon. Ibrahim Kabba	SLPP	Western Rural
5.	Hon. Edward George	SLPP	Moyamba

Standing Order 34 (Raising of Point of Order):

Hon. Abu Kemokai of Pujehun District rose on S.O. 34 and drew the attention of **Hon. Edward George** to stick to the relevance of debating the Presidential Address.

Standing Order 32 (Rules of Debates):

The Deputy Leader 1 of Government Business, **Hon. Bashiru Silikie**, rose on S.O. 32 (5) and reminded Hon. Members to confine their observations to the subject under discussion and not to introduce irrelevant matter.



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Debate Continued:

	Hon. Edward George	SLPP	Moyamba
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The Leader of Government Business and Majority Leader, **Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma**, rose on a point of order concerning the submission made by **Hon. Edward George**.

Debate Continued:

6.	Hon. Ambrose Maada Lebby	SLPP	Bo
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During the submission of **Hon. Ambrose Maada Lebby** when the names of the three institutions were mentioned: **the Sierra Leone Road Authority (SLRA); The Sierra Leone Road Safety Authority (SLRSA) and The Road Maintenance Fund Administration (RMFA)**, The Leader of Government Business and Majority Leader, **Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma**, rose on a point of order for the said Hon. Member to clarify the institution that was responsible with the mandate to maintain feeder roads.

Debate Continued:

	Hon. Ambrose Maada Lebby	SLPP	Bo
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6. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 12:00 pm:

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 12 noon was moved by **Hon. Veronica K. Sesay of Moyamba District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Ambrose Maada Lebby of Bo District** and approved by the House.

Debate Continued:

7.	Hon. Yusuf Mackery	SLPP	Bo
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During his submission to the debate, **Hon. Yusuf Mackery** forgetfully referred to colleagues Hon. Members as "guys."

Standing Order 34 (Raising of Point of Order):

Hon. Abu Kemokai of Pujehun District rose on S.O. 34 and asked **Hon. Yusuf Mackery** to withdraw the statement made by referring to colleague Hon. Members as "guys"

Debate Continued:

8.	Hon. Alex M. Rogers	SLPP	Pujehun
9.	Hon. Bintu Fatmata Bockarie	SLPP	Bonthe



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Standing Order 34 (Raising of Point of Order):

The Leader of Government Business and Majority Leader, **Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma**, rose on a point of order to clarify a point made by **Hon. Bintu Fatmata Bockarie** concerning Vimetco. He asked the House through Mr. Speaker to take off that issue from the records.

Debate Continued:

10.	Hon. Foyoh Tholley	SLPP	Tonkolili
11.	Hon. Sylvester Arnold Maxwell (Rtd. Cpt.) Boima	SLPP	Moyamba
12.	Hon. Abu Kemokai	SLPP	Pujehun

During his submission to the debate, **Hon. Abu Kemokai** charged Hon. Members that not more than five of them had farms as well as involved in active farming.

Standing Order 34 (Raising of Point of Order):

Hon. Boston Munda of Kenema District rose on a point of order and challenged **Hon. Abu Kemokai**. He said that the statement made by the Hon. Member was an indictment that had no evidence. He, thereby, asked **Hon. Abu Kemokai** to withdraw the said statement.

Adjournment:

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday 17th August, 2023 at 10:00 am.
The House rose at 2:30 p.m.