



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



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THURSDAY 18th JANUARY, 2024

**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. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Area Rural
3.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahiteh	SLPP	Bo
4.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Area Urban
5.	Hon. Bangura Abdul Karim	SLPP	Karene
6.	Hon. Bangura Adama	SLPP	Kambia
7.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene
8.	Hon. Bangura Daniel Amadu	APC	Tonkolili
9.	Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz	APC	Port Loko
10.	Hon. Bangura Mariama	APC	Western Area Urban
11.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene
12.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed Papa	APC	Bombali
13.	Hon. Bangura Rose - Marie	APC	Tonkolili
14.	Hon. Banya Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun
15.	Hon. Barrie Ibrahim	APC	Bombali
16.	Hon. Bayoh Alie	SLPP	Kenema
17.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kenema
18.	Hon. Boima Sylvester Arnold Maxwell (Rtd. Capt.)	SLPP	Moyamba
19.	Hon. Conteh Adama	APC	Western Area Urban
20.	Hon. Conteh Hawa	APC	Koinadugu
21.	Hon. Conteh Mohamed	APC	Falaba
22.	Hon. Conteh Paul Samba	APC	Bombali
23.	Hon. Daramy Princess Kadie	SLPP	Western Area Urban
24.	Hon. Dauda Idris Moiwai	SLPP	Bonthe
25.	Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa	SLPP	Bo
26.	Hon. Fatorma Juliana Aliematu	SLPP	Kenema
27.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Area Rural
28.	Hon. Fofanah Mohamed Tawallie	SLPP	Kambia
29.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	SLPP	Kono
30.	Hon. Fornah Daniel	APC	Tonkolili



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31.	Hon. Forna Mabinty	APC	Tonkolili
32.	Hon. Gberah III P.C Bai Shebora Sheba	-	Port Loko
33.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba
34.	Hon. Gevao Hindolo Moiwo	SLPP	Kailahun
35.	Hon. Goba Mariama Ella	SLPP	Kenema
36.	Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fodie Madie	SLPP	Falaba
37.	Hon. Jalloh Memunatu	APC	Port Loko
38.	Hon. Jalloh Mohamed Alpha	APC	Falaba
39.	Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie	SLPP	Western Area Rural
40.	Hon. Johnson Margaret Feimata	SLPP	Kailahun
41.	Hon. Kabba Ibrahim	SLPP	Western Area Rural
42.	Hon. Kallon Hawa	SLPP	Pujehun
43.	Hon. Kamara Abdulai A.	APC	Western Area Urban
44.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Kambia
45.	Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash	APC	Karene
46.	Hon. Kamara Idriss Sahid	SLPP	Western Area Urban
47.	Hon. Kamara Mohamed Sheridan	APC	Kambia
48.	Hon. Kamara Mamoud	APC	Western Area Urban
49.	Hon. Kamara Marie	APC	Bombali
50.	Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei	SLPP	Kono
51.	Hon. Kamara Rugiatu	APC	Tonkolili
52.	Hon. Kanamanka III P.C Alhaji Masakama	-	Tonkolili
53.	Hon. Kanbgai Beatrice Maaya	SLPP	Bo
54.	Hon. Kanneh Mohamed	SLPP	Kailahun
55.	Hon. Kanu Abdulai Karim	SLPP	Port Loko
56.	Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph	SLPP	Western Area Rural
57.	Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy	APC	Western Area Urban
58.	Hon. Kargbo Abdul	APC	Port Loko
59.	Hon. Kargbo Amara Momoh	SLPP	Western Area Rural
60.	Hon. Kargbo John Sartty	APC	Western Area Rural
61.	Hon. Kargbo Mohamed Sheriff	APC	Karene
62.	Hon. Kargbo Sheikh Santigie Ibrahim	SLPP	Port Loko
63.	Hon. Kargobai P.C Desmond Mahayei	-	Bo
64.	Hon. Kawaleh II P.C Kandeh Paria	-	Karene
65.	Hon. Kellie Lucinda Finda	APC	Kono
66.	Hon. Keiha III P.C Kandeh Baba	-	Bombali
67.	Hon. Kellie Tamba	APC	Kono
68.	Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna	APC	Tonkolili
69.	Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima	APC	Koinadugu
70.	Hon. Koroma Ernest Dura	APC	Kambia



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71.	Hon. Koroma Ibrahim	SLPP	Kenema
72.	Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue P.C Haja Fatmata Bintu	-	Moyamba
73.	Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba	APC	Bombali
74.	Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbessay	APC	Wester Area n Urban
75.	Hon. Lahai Musa	SLPP	Kailahun
76.	Hon. Lamina Saa Emerson	SLPP	Kono
77.	Hon. Langley Beatrice Iyamide	SLPP	Western Area Rural
78.	Hon. Lansana P.C Bio Prince	-	Bonthe
79.	Hon. Larkoh Aruna Papay	APC	Tonkolili
80.	Hon. Lebyy Ambrose Maada	SLPP	Bo
81.	Hon. Lebbie Nenneh	SLPP	Bo
82.	Hon. Mansaray Brima	SLPP	Kenema
83.	Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla	APC	Koinadugu
84.	Hon. Mansaray Konkofa Farah	SLPP	Koinadugu
85.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Thor Thor Sheku Terenah Tongos Neya Konkoroba Fanko Lai	-	Falaba
86.	Hon. Marray – Conteh Abdul Sulaiman	SLPP	Western Area Urban
87.	Hon. Moigua Musa Peter	SLPP	Kenema
88.	Hon. Momodu Sahr Koutu	SLPP	Kono
89.	Hon. Moriba Amie Nyava	SLPP	Bo
90.	Hon. Munda Boston	SLPP	Kenem
91.	Hon. Ngbak IV P.C Bai Farama Tass Bubu	-	Kambia
92.	Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr	SLPP	Kenema
93.	Hon. Quee Komba	SLPP	Kono
94.	Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia	SLPP	Pujehun
95.	Hon. Salia – Konneh Quintin	SLPP	Kailahun
96.	Hon. Sama Shiaka Musa	SLPP	Pujehun
97.	Hon. Sandy Alice Kornya	SLPP	Kenema
98.	Hon. Sankoh – Yillah Ishmael	SLPP	Port Loko
99.	Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa	SLPP	Moyamba
100.	Hon. Sesay Abdul Latiff	APC	Port Loko
101.	Hon. Sesay Aminata	APC	Port Loko
102.	Hon. Sesay Jawah	APC	Tonkolili
103.	Hon. Sesay Sallieu Osman	APC	Bombali
104.	Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie	SLPP	Moyamba
105.	Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh	SLPP	Falaba
106.	Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa	SLPP	Kailahun
107.	Hon. Silikie Bashiru	SLPP	Bo
108.	Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette	SLPP	Kailahun
109.	Hon. Soukenah Fatmata Sarah	SLPP	Western Area Urban



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110.	Hon. Surmoijueh Jibrila	SLPP	Bonthe
111.	Hon. Taylor-Bangura Mabinty Alice	APC	Kambia
112.	Hon. Tarawally Cathrine Zainab	APC	Bombali
113.	Hon. Tarawalli-Mussaffa Rugiatu	SLPP	Kenema
114.	Hon. Tengbeh Fallah Kenawah	SLPP	Kailahun
115.	Hon. Tholley Foyoh	SLPP	Tonkolili
116.	Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon	SLPP	Bonthe
117.	Hon. Thompson Alfred Ayodele	APC	Western Area Urban
118.	Hon. Timbo Osman Abdal	APC	Western Area Urban
119.	Hon. Timbo Zinab	APC	Western Area Rural
120.	Hon. Tommy Sia Mahawa Habiamia	SLPP	Kono
121.	Hon. Tongi Emilia Lolloh	SLPP	Kailahun
122.	Hon. Tucker Tom Issic	APC	Kono
123.	Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed	SLPP	Pujehun
124.	Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba	APC	Tonkolili
125.	Hon. Turay Benjamin	SLPP	Western Area Urban
126.	Hon. Vandy Christopha Kekura	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>
127.	Hon. Williams – Lamin Joseph	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>
128.	Hon. Zombo Mariama Munia	SLPP	Pujehun
THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT:			
1.	Hon. Bockarie Bintu Fatmata	SLPP	Bonthe
2.	Hon. Conteh Kemokoh	APC	Western Area Rural
3.	Hon. Gondor II P.C. Foray Cyril	-	Kailahun
4.	Hon. Johnny Tamba Simeon	SLPP	Kono
5.	Hon. Kemokai Abu	SLPP	Pujehun
6.	Hon. Kumabeh Alice Jebbeh	SLPP	Bonthe
7.	Hon. Pyne Umu	SLPP	Moyamba
8.	Hon. Rahman – Coker Mohamed Sheriff	SLPP	Western Area Urban
9.	Hon. Saquee V P.C Paul Ngaba	-	Kono
10.	Hon. Sesay Pessima Mariatu Racheal	SLPP	Port Loko
THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH AN EXCUSE:			
1.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Area Urban
2.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali
3.	Hon. Kaisamba Francis Amara	SLPP	Kenema
4.	Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim	APC	Port Loko
5.	Hon. Kamara Joseph Abdul Bash	SLPP	Bo
6.	Hon. Mackery Yusuf	SLPP	Bo
7.	Hon. Mansaray Alpha Ben	APC	Moyamba
8.	Hon. Marrah III P.C Alie Balan Sama	-	Koinadugu
9.	Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh	SLPP	Pujehun



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- 1. Prayers were read by Mrs. Fatmata Bintu Weston (Senior Table Clerk).**
- 2. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 10:15 am:**
The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 12:15 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Nenneh Lebbie from Bo District** for the commencement of proceedings. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Mustapha Musa Sellu from Moyamba District** and approved by the House.
- 2. Adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 21st December, 2023:**
The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Thursday 21st December, 2023 was moved by **Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin from Bo District**. It was seconded by **Hon. Massay Ngahinteh Aruna from Bo District** and adopted by the House.

Mr. Speaker stood down the House at 10:18 a.m.
The House resumed at 10:33 a.m.

Proceedings Continued:

5. Bill: The National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2023 by The Chief Minister.

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

Introduction and First Reading:

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, moved that the bill entitled: "**The National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2023**" be read the First Time.

Mr. Speaker put the question for vote as quoted:

"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 National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2023**" had been read the **First Time**.

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, called upon the Chief Minister to proceed with the Second Reading of the Bill.



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Second Reading:

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, moved that the bill entitled: "**The National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2023**" be read the Second Time. He presented the objects and reasons of the bill to the House and again moved that the bill be read the Second Time.

Mr. Speaker proposed the question for debate.

The following Hon. Members spoke to the debate:

No.	Names of Honourable Members	Party	District
1.	Hon. Alpha Mohamed Jalloh	APC	Falaba
2.	Hon. Mustapha Musa Sellu	SLPP	Moyamba
3.	Hon. Abdul Karim Kamara	APC	Kambia
4.	Hon. Shiaka M. Sama	SLPP	Pujehun
5.	Hon. Mariama Munia Zombo	SLPP	Pujehun
6.	Hon. Ibrahim Barrie	APC	Bombali
7.	Hon. Mamoud Kamara	APC	Western Urban

6. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 12 Noon:

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 12 noon was moved by **Hon. Veronica K. Sesay from Moyamba District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Fatmata Sarah Soukenah from Western Urban District** and approved by the House.

Debate Continued

8.	Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin	SLPP	Bo
9.	Hon. Christoph K. Vandy	SLPP	Bo
10.	Hon. Tamba Kellie	APC	Kono
11.	Hon. Osman Charles Abdulai	SLPP	Bo
12.	Hon. Mohamed Bangura	APC	Karene
13.	Hon. Daniel B. Koroma – Acting Minority Leader	APC	Koinadugu
14.	Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma – Leader Majority Leader	SLPP	Kenema

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, responded to the issues raised by Hon. Members and further moved that the Bill be read the Second Time.

Mr. Speaker put the question for vote as quoted:

"All those in favour, say Aye."

"All those against, say Nay."

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



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The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, pronounced that the bill entitled: "**The National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2024**" had been read the **Second Time**.

Mr. Speaker stood down the House at 1:35 p.m.
The House resumed at 1:50 p.m.

Committee Stage:

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole.

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, pronounced that Parts 1 to 6; Clauses 1 to 25 stand part of the Bill.

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, moved that Parts 1 to 6; Clauses 1 to 25 stand part of the Bill.

Mr. Chairman proposed the question for debate.

The debate started. Some amendments were made.

Mr. Chairman put the question for vote as quoted:

"All those in favour, say Aye."

"All those against, say Nay."

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

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Prince Oviasuyi**, pronounced that Parts 1 to 6; Clauses 1 to 25 had formed part of the Bill as amended."

The House resumed from the Committee Stage.

7. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 3:00 p.m.

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 3 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Nenneh Lebbie from Bo District** for the proceedings to continue after the said time. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Mustapha Musa Sellu from Moyamba District** and approved by the House.



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Proceedings Continued:

Report Stage:

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, reported to the House that the bill entitled: **"The National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2024"** had gone through Committee of the Whole House with some amendments made.

Third Reading:

The Chief Minister, **Dr. David Moinina Sengeh**, moved that the Bill be read the Third Time and passed into law.

Mr. Speaker put the question for vote as quoted:

"All those in favor, 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 National Monitoring and Evaluation Agency Act, 2024"** had been read the Third Time and passed into law.

Adjournment:

**Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday 25th January, 2023 at 10:00 am.
The House rose at 4:00 p.m.**