



**FIFTH PARLIAMENT
OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH SITTING**



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THURSDAY, 21st JULY, 2022

The House met at 11:00 a.m.
The Rt. Hon. Speaker, Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu, Presided.

I. ATTENDANCE:

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:

NO	NAME	PARTY	DISTRICT	CONST.
1.	Hon. Abdulai Osman Charles	SLPP	Bo	079
2.	Hon. Alhadi Lihadi	APC	Western Urban	123
3.	Hon. Alu-Conteh Alusine Kainde	APC	Western Urban	125
4.	Hon. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Rural	112
5.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahinteh	SLPP	Bo	085
6.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Urban	115
7.	Hon. Bah Chernor R.M.	APC	Western Urban	126
8.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene	065
9.	Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz	APC	Pot Loko	076
10.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene	066
11.	Hon. Bangura Rosemarie	APC	Tonkolili	055
12.	Hon. Banyar Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun	004
13.	Hon. Bhendu Francis Saa	C4C	Kono	027
14.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kenema	012
15.	Hon. Braima Zainab Kama	SLPP	Kailahun	010
16.	Hon. Bubu Ngbak IV P.C. Bai Farama Tass	-	Kambia	-
17.	Hon. Conteh Abdul S. Marray	SLPP	Western Urban	130
18.	Hon. Conteh Emmanuel Saidu	APC	Western Urban	129
19.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim	APC	Tonkolili	053
20.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Urban	132
21.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali	031
22.	Hon. Conteh Samba Paul	APC	Bombali	035
23.	Hon. Davies Kadijatu	APC	Western Rural	110
24.	Hon. Edwin Moses Andrew	SLPP	Bonthe	090
25.	Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa	SLPP	Bo	078
26.	Hon. Fefegula Simeon	SLPP	Moyamba	096
27.	Hon. Finnoh III P. C. Kandeh	-	Bombali	-
28.	Hon. Fofanah Abubakarr	SLPP	Kenema	016
29.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Rural	107
30.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	C4C	Kono	023



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31.	<i>Hon. Gbreh III P. C. Bai Shebora Sehba</i>	-	<i>Port Loko</i>	-
32.	<i>Hon. Gevao Moiwo Hindolo</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	003
33.	<i>Hon. Gondor II P. C. Foray Cyril</i>	-	<i>Kailahun</i>	-
34.	<i>Hon. Hafiju Maada Kanja</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	018
35.	<i>Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Rural</i>	109
36.	<i>Hon. Jalloh Timbo Wurroh</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	119
37.	<i>Hon. Jorkie Moses Baimba</i>	SLPP	<i>Bonthe</i>	091
38.	<i>Hon. Juana Sahr</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	002
39.	<i>Hon. Kabba Lamin Foday</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	044
40.	<i>Hon. Kabia Mohamed</i>	APC	<i>Western Rural</i>	106
41.	<i>Hon. Kaisamba Francis Amara</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	020
42.	<i>Hon. Kalokoh Mark Mahmoud (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	032
43.	<i>Hon. Kamanda Komba Mansamayao</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	024
44.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Joseph Bash</i>	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>	084
45.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Kambia</i>	059
46.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	069
47.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alieu Ibrahim</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	122
48.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	067
49.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Osaio</i>	APC	<i>Kambia</i>	058
50.	<i>Hon. Kamara Bai Sama</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	060
51.	<i>Hon. Kamara Foday Mario</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	057
52.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	063
53.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim Bun (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	068
54.	<i>Hon. Kamara Saidu Babah</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	071
55.	<i>Hon. Kanneh Mohamed</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	006
56.	<i>Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Rural</i>	108
57.	<i>Hon. Kanu Amadu</i>	APC	<i>Moyamba</i>	093
58.	<i>Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	113
59.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Abdul</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	077
60.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Ibrahim Ben</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	034
61.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Papa Abdulai</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	047
62.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Roland Foday (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	064
63.	<i>Hon. Kassegbama Aiah David Shek</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	026
64.	<i>Hon. Kemokai Abu</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	103
65.	<i>Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	048
66.	<i>Hon. Koroma Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	070
67.	<i>Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	046
68.	<i>Hon. Koroma Issa Oye</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	073
69.	<i>Hon. Koroma John Telson</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	127
70.	<i>Hon. Koroma Manuel Allieu</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	036
71.	<i>Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue IV P. C. F. H. Bintu</i>	-	<i>Moyamba</i>	-



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72.	<i>Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	033
73.	<i>Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbassay (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	114
74.	<i>Hon. Kumabeh Jebbeh Alice</i>	SLPP	<i>Bonthe</i>	092
75.	<i>Hon. Lahai Musa</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	009
76.	<i>Hon. Lamina Emerson Saa</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	030
77.	<i>Hon. Lansana Abdul Muniru</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	121
78.	<i>Hon. Lansana Festus Mohamed</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	015
79.	<i>Hon. Lavalie-Tshombe Dominic Jaybeh</i>	SLPP	<i>Moyamba</i>	098
80.	<i>Hon. Lebbie Nenneh</i>	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>	086
81.	<i>Hon. Macavoray P. C. Kangbai Joe (Prof.)</i>	-	<i>Bo</i>	-
82.	<i>Hon. Makieu Josephine</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	014
83.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Abu</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	074
84.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Brima</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	017
85.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	043
86.	<i>Hon. Marah III P.C. Alie Balansama</i>	-	<i>Koinadugu</i>	-
87.	<i>Hon. Marah Alusine</i>	APC	<i>Falaba</i>	041
88.	<i>Hon. Marrah III P. C. Fasalie Kulako Demba</i>	-	<i>Falaba</i>	-
89.	<i>Hon. Marah Lahai</i>	APC	<i>Falaba</i>	042
90.	<i>Hon. Mbriwa II P. C. Sahr Youngai Kontanday</i>	-	<i>Kono</i>	-
91.	<i>Hon. Munda Boston</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	021
92.	<i>Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	019
93.	<i>Hon. Pewa P. C. Prince Mambu</i>	-	<i>Kenema</i>	-
94.	<i>Hon. Rahman-Coker Mohamed Sheriff</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	131
95.	<i>Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	102
96.	<i>Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	100
97.	<i>Hon. Sam Paul Saa</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	025
98.	<i>Hon. Sama Musa Shiaka</i>	INDEPENDENT	<i>Pujehun</i>	104
99.	<i>Hon. Samura Hajaratu Faith</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	117
100.	<i>Hon. Sandy Ishmail Sama</i>	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>	080
101.	<i>Hon. Sandy Tennyson Hindolo</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	120
102.	<i>Hon. Sanka III P.C. Bai Kurr Kanagbaro</i>	-	<i>Tonkolili</i>	-
103.	<i>Hon. Sankoh Hassan</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	049
104.	<i>Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa</i>	SLPP	<i>Moyamba</i>	095
105.	<i>Hon. Sesay Abdoul Hassan</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	050
106.	<i>Hon. Sesay Abdul Latif</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	075
107.	<i>Hon. Sesay Daniel Abdulai (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	052
108.	<i>Hon. Sesay Jawah</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	056
109.	<i>Hon. Sesay Kusan</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	045
110.	<i>Hon. Sesay Osman Sallieu</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	038
111.	<i>Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie</i>	SLPP	<i>Moyamba</i>	094
112.	<i>Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh</i>	SLPP	<i>Falaba</i>	039



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113.	<i>Hon. Sheriff P. C. Alie Badara</i>	-	<i>Bonthe</i>	-
114.	<i>Hon. Silikie Bashiru</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>082</i>
115.	<i>Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>008</i>
116.	<i>Hon. Tarawalie Issac</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>118</i>
117.	<i>Hon. Tarawally Zainab Catherine</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Bombali</i>	<i>037</i>
118.	<i>Hon. Tholley James Ozan</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Tonkolili</i>	<i>054</i>
119.	<i>Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bonthe</i>	<i>089</i>
120.	<i>Hon. Tongi Lolloh Emilia</i>	<i>INDEPENDENT</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>001</i>
121.	<i>Hon. Tucker Tom Issic</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>022</i>
122.	<i>Hon. Turay Abdul</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Rural</i>	<i>105</i>
123.	<i>Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Tonkolili</i>	<i>051</i>
124.	<i>Hon. Turay Benjamin</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>WesternUrban</i>	<i>128</i>
125.	<i>Hon. Turay Sheku Munirr (Dr.)</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Pujehun</i>	<i>099</i>
126.	<i>Hon. Vandy Christopha Keikura</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>088</i>
127.	<i>Hon. Vincent Horace E.</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Western Rural</i>	<i>111</i>
128.	<i>Hon. Williams- Lamin Joseph</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>081</i>

THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:

1.	<i>Hon. Charles Sahr</i>	<i>C4C</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>028</i>
2.	<i>Hon. Gbekie Emmanuel Sahr</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>116</i>
3.	<i>Hon. George Edward</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Moyamba</i>	<i>097</i>
4.	<i>Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fode Madie</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Falaba</i>	<i>040</i>
5.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Titus</i>	<i>NGC</i>	<i>Kambia</i>	<i>061</i>
6.	<i>Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei</i>	<i>C4C</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>029</i>
7.	<i>Hon. Kanneh Alusine</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kenema</i>	<i>013</i>
8.	<i>Hon. Kanu Alimamy Brun</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Port Loko</i>	<i>072</i>
9.	<i>Hon. Kawalleh II P. C. Alhaji Kandeh Paria</i>	-	<i>Karene</i>	-
10.	<i>Hon. Lansana-Minah P. C. Matilda Yayu</i>	-	<i>Pujehun</i>	-
11.	<i>Hon. Lebby Ambrose Maada</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>083</i>
12.	<i>Hon. Mackery Yusuf</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>087</i>
13.	<i>Hon. Manly-Spain Ajibola Emmanuel</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>124</i>
14.	<i>Hon. Moigua Peter Musa</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kenema</i>	<i>011</i>
15.	<i>Hon. Salia-Konneh Quintin</i>	<i>INDEPENDENT</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>007</i>
16.	<i>Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>005</i>
17.	<i>Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Pujehun</i>	<i>101</i>
18.	<i>Hon. Yumkella Kandeh Kolleh (Dr.)</i>	<i>NGC</i>	<i>Kambia</i>	<i>062</i>



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

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

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5 (2) at 11:00 a.m. was moved by **Hon. Neneh Lebbie of Constituency 086, Bo District** for the commencement of proceedings. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin of Constituency 081, Bo District** and approved by the House.

4. **The Adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Wednesday 20th July, 2022:**

The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for Wednesday 20th July, 2022 was moved by **Hon. Tennyson Hindolo Sandy of Constituency 120, Western Urban District**. It was seconded by **Hon. Mohamed Kanneh of Constituency 006, Kailahun District** and adopted by the House.

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

The Rt. Hon. Speaker, **Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu**, informed the House that the bill was divided into 15 parts and only 5 parts had been completed. He encouraged all Hon. Members to work expeditiously towards the completion of the bill. Mr. Speaker said he doubted the completion of the said bill on that day's sitting but he hoped that all Hon. Members would do their best to complete a substantial amount so that by the next adjourned date, the bill would have been completed.

Mr. Speaker said he was already familiar with the areas that caused difficulties from the debate on the second reading and some of which they had stuck a pin on with the intention to revisit them later on. He encouraged Hon. Members to avoid all unnecessary interruptions as they would work on the completion of the bill.

6. **Bill: The Public Elections Act, 2022 by the Attorney General and Minister of Justice:**

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Francis Ernest Farma**, called upon The Attorney-General and Minister of Justice to proceed on the **Committee Stage** of the bill.

Committee Stage - The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House.

Debate continued on the amendments of the said bill.



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The Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, **Mohamed Lamin Tarawally Esq.**, again moved that Parts 1 to 5, Clauses 1 to 54 save those clauses put in abeyance, stand part of the bill.

Mr. Chairman put the question for vote.

“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. Francis Ernest Farma**, pronounced that Parts 1 to 5, Clauses 1 to 54 save those clauses put in abeyance, had formed part of the bill as amended.

(ii) The Table Clerk, **Mr. Francis Ernest Farma**, pronounced that Parts 6 to 10, Clauses 55 to 112 stand part of the bill.

The Attorney-General and Minister of Justice, **Mohamed Lamin Tarawally Esq.**, moved that Parts 6 to 10, Clauses 54 to 112 stand part of the bill.

Mr. Chairman proposed the question for debate.

The debate started, and some amendments were made.

7. Suspension of Standing Order 5 (2):

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5 (2) at 12:00 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Dickson M. Rogers of Constituency 100, Pujehun District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Mohamed Billoh Shaw of Constituency 039, Falaba District** and approved by the House.

Continued proceedings:

Debate continued on the amendments of the said bill.

The House resumed from the Committee of the Whole House.



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**Mr. Chairman adjourned the House at 1:35 p.m. for lunch
The House resumed at 2:50 p.m.**

Committee Stage - The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House.

Debate continued on the amendments of the said bill.

8. Suspension of Standing Order 5 (2):

The motion for the suspension of S.O. 5 (2) at 3:05 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Neneh Lebbie of Constituency 086, Bo District** for the proceedings to continue after 3:00 p.m. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Hindolo Moiwo Gevao of Constituency 003, Kailahun District** and approved by the House.

Continued proceedings:

Debate continued on the amendments of the said bill.

**Mr. Speaker stood the House down at 4:05 p.m.
The House resumed at 4:20 p.m.**

Continued debate:

The House resumed from the Committee of the Whole House.

Adjournment:

**Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Friday 22nd July 2022 at 10:00 a.m.
The House rose at 6:30 p.m.**