



**FIFTH PARLIAMENT
OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FIFTH SESSION, 2022/2023
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MONDAY, 23RD MAY, 2022

The House met at 10:40 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. Alu-Conteh Alusine Kainde	APC	Western Urban	125
3.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahinteh	SLPP	Bo	085
4.	Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu	APC	Western Urban	115
5.	Hon. Bah Chernor R.M.	APC	Western Urban	126
6.	Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty	APC	Karene	065
7.	Hon. Bangura Mohamed	APC	Karene	066
8.	Hon. Banyar Sarty	SLPP	Kailahun	004
9.	Hon. Bockarie Momoh	SLPP	Kenema	012
10.	Hon. Braima Zainab Kama	SLPP	Kailahun	010
11.	Hon. Bubu Ngbak IV P.C. Bai Farama Tass	-	Kambia	-
12.	Hon. Conteh Abdul S. Marray	SLPP	Western Urban	130
13.	Hon. Conteh Emmanuel Saidu	APC	Western Urban	129
14.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Urban	132
15.	Hon. Conteh John Charles	APC	Bombali	031
16.	Hon. Conteh Samba Paul	APC	Bombali	035
17.	Hon. Finnoh III P. C. Kandeh	-	Bombali	-
18.	Hon. Davies Kadijatu	APC	Western Rural	110
19.	Hon. Edwin Moses Andrew	SLPP	Bonthe	090
20.	Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa	SLPP	Bo	078
21.	Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr	APC	Western Rural	107
22.	Hon. Fofanah Musa	C4C	Kono	023
23.	Hon. Gberek III P. C. Bai Shebora Sehba	-	Port Loko	-
24.	Hon. Gbekie Emmanuel Sahr	SLPP	Western Urban	116
25.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba	097
26.	Hon. Gevao Moiwo Hindolo	SLPP	Kailahun	003
27.	Hon. Gondor II P. C. Foray Cyril	-	Kailahun	-
28.	Hon. Hafiju Maada Kanja	SLPP	Kenema	018
29.	Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fode Madie	SLPP	Falaba	040
30.	Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie	SLPP	Western Rural	109



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31.	<i>Hon. Jalloh Timbo Wurroh</i>	APC	Western Urban	119
32.	<i>Hon. Jorkie Moses Baimba</i>	SLPP	Bonthe	091
33.	<i>Hon. Juana Sahr</i>	SLPP	Kailahun	002
34.	<i>Hon. Kabba Lamin Foday</i>	APC	Koinadugu	044
35.	<i>Hon. Kaisamba Amara Francis</i>	SLPP	Kenema	020
36.	<i>Hon. Kalokoh Mark Mahmoud (Dr.)</i>	APC	Bombali	032
37.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	Kambia	059
38.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	Port Loko	069
39.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Joseph Bash</i>	SLPP	Bo	084
40.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alieu Ibrahim</i>	SLPP	Western Urban	122
41.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash</i>	APC	Karene	067
42.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Osaio</i>	APC	Kambia	058
43.	<i>Hon. Kamara Bai Sama</i>	NGC	Kambia	060
44.	<i>Hon. Kamara Foday Mario</i>	NGC	Kambia	057
45.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim Bun (Dr.)</i>	APC	Port Loko	068
46.	<i>Hon. Kamara Saidu Babah</i>	APC	Port Loko	071
47.	<i>Hon. Kanneh Alusine</i>	SLPP	Kenema	013
48.	<i>Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph</i>	SLPP	Western Rural	108
49.	<i>Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy</i>	APC	Western Urban	113
50.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Abdul</i>	APC	Port Loko	077
51.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Papa Abdulai</i>	APC	Tonkolili	047
52.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Roland Foday (Dr.)</i>	APC	Karene	064
53.	<i>Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna</i>	APC	Tonkolili	048
54.	<i>Hon. Koroma Abdul Karim</i>	APC	Port Loko	070
55.	<i>Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima</i>	APC	Koinadugu	046
56.	<i>Hon. Koroma Issa Oye</i>	APC	Port Loko	073
57.	<i>Hon. Koroma John Telson</i>	SLPP	Western Urban	127
58.	<i>Hon. Koroma Manuel Allieu</i>	APC	Bombali	036
59.	<i>Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue IV P. C. F. H. Bintu</i>	-	Moyamba	-
60.	<i>Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba</i>	APC	Bombali	033
61.	<i>Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbassay (Dr.)</i>	APC	Western Urban	114
62.	<i>Hon. Kumabeh Jebbeh Alice</i>	SLPP	Bonthe	092
63.	<i>Hon. Lahai Musa</i>	SLPP	Kailahun	009
64.	<i>Hon. Lamina Emerson Saa</i>	C4C	Kono	030
65.	<i>Hon. Lansana Abdul Muniru</i>	SLPP	Western Urban	121
66.	<i>Hon. Lansana Festus Mohamed</i>	SLPP	Kenema	015
67.	<i>Hon. Lansana-Minah P. C. Matilda Yayu</i>	-	Pujehun	-
68.	<i>Hon. Lavalie-Tshombe Dominic Jaybeh</i>	SLPP	Moyamba	098
69.	<i>Hon. Lebby Ambrose Maada</i>	SLPP	Bo	083
70.	<i>Hon. Lebbie Nenneh</i>	SLPP	Bo	086
71.	<i>Hon. Macavoray P. C. Kangbai Joe (Prof.)</i>	-	Bo	-



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73.	<i>Hon. Makieu Josephine</i>	SLPP	Kenema	014
74.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Abu</i>	APC	Port Loko	074
75.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Brima</i>	SLPP	Kenema	017
76.	<i>Hon. Marah III P.C. Alie Balansama</i>	-	Koinadugu	-
77.	<i>Hon. Marah Alusine</i>	APC	Falaba	041
78.	<i>Hon. Marrah III P. C. Fasalie Kulako Demba</i>	-	Falaba	-
79.	<i>Hon. Marah Lahai</i>	APC	Falaba	042
80.	<i>Hon. Mbriwa II P. C. Sahr Youngai Kontanday</i>	-	Kono	-
81.	<i>Hon. Moigua Peter Musa</i>	SLPP	Kenema	011
82.	<i>Hon. Munda Boston</i>	SLPP	Kenema	021
83.	<i>Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr</i>	SLPP	Kenema	019
84.	<i>Hon. Rahman-Coker Mohamed Sheriff</i>	SLPP	Western Urban	131
85.	<i>Hon. Pewa P. C. Prince Mambu</i>	-	Kenema	-
86.	<i>Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia</i>	SLPP	Pujehun	102
87.	<i>Hon. Sam Paul Saa</i>	C4C	Kono	025
88.	<i>Hon. Samura Hajaratu Faith</i>	APC	Western Urban	117
89.	<i>Hon. Sandy Ishmail Sama</i>	SLPP	Bo	080
90.	<i>Hon. Sandy Tennyson Hindolo</i>	SLPP	Western Urban	120
91.	<i>Hon. Sanka III P. C. Bai Kurr Kanagbaro</i>	-	Tonkolili	-
92.	<i>Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa</i>	SLPP	Moyamba	095
93.	<i>Hon. Sesay Abdoul Hassan</i>	APC	Tonkolili	050
94.	<i>Hon. Sesay Abdul Latif</i>	APC	Port Loko	075
95.	<i>Hon. Sesay Daniel Abdulai (Dr.)</i>	APC	Tonkolili	052
96.	<i>Hon. Sesay Osman Sallieu</i>	APC	Bombali	038
97.	<i>Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh</i>	SLPP	Falaba	039
98.	<i>Hon. Sheriff P. C. Alie Badara</i>	-	Bonthe	-
99.	<i>Hon. Siafa Rosaline Hawa</i>	SLPP	Kailahun	005
100.	<i>Hon. Silikie Bashiru</i>	SLPP	Bo	082
101.	<i>Hon. Tarawalie Issac</i>	APC	Western Urban	118
102.	<i>Hon. Tarawally Zainab Catherine</i>	APC	Bombali	037
103.	<i>Hon. Tholley James Ozan</i>	APC	Tonkolili	054
104.	<i>Hon. Tucker Tom Issic</i>	APC	Kono	022
105.	<i>Hon. Turay Abdul</i>	APC	Western Rural	105
106.	<i>Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba</i>	APC	Tonkolili	051
107.	<i>Hon. Turay Benjamin</i>	SLPP	WesternUrban	128
108.	<i>Hon. Vandy Christopha Keikura</i>	SLPP	Bo	088
109.	<i>Hon. Vincent Horace E.</i>	SLPP	Western Rural	111
110.	<i>Hon. Williams- Lamin Joseph</i>	SLPP	Bo	081



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THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:

1.	<i>Hon. Alhadi Lihadi</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	123
2.	<i>Hon. Amara Haja Miatta</i>	APC	<i>Western Rural</i>	112
3.	<i>Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz</i>	APC	<i>Pot Loko</i>	076
4.	<i>Hon. Bangura Rosemarie</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	055
5.	<i>Hon. Bhendu Francis Saa</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	027
6.	<i>Hon. Charles Sahr</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	028
7.	<i>Hon. Conteh Ibrahim</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	053
8.	<i>Hon. Fefegula Simeon</i>	SLPP	<i>Moyamba</i>	096
9.	<i>Hon. Fofanah Abubakarr</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	016
10.	<i>Hon. Kabia Mohamed</i>	APC	<i>Western Rural</i>	106
11.	<i>Hon. Kamanda Komba Mansamayao</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	024
12.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Titus</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	061
13.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	063
14.	<i>Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	029
15.	<i>Hon. Kanneh Mohamed</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	006
16.	<i>Hon. Kanu Alimamy Brun</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	072
17.	<i>Hon. Kanu Amadu</i>	APC	<i>Moyamba</i>	093
18.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Ibrahim Ben</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	034
19.	<i>Hon. Kassegbama Aiah David Shek</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	026
20.	<i>Hon. Kawalleh II P. C. Alhaji Kandeh Paria</i>	-	<i>Karene</i>	-
21.	<i>Hon. Kemokai Abu</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	103
22.	<i>Hon. Manly-Spain Ajibola Emmanuel</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	124
23.	<i>Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	043
24.	<i>Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	100
25.	<i>Hon. Salia-Konneh Quintin</i>	INDEPENDENT	<i>Kailahun</i>	007
26.	<i>Hon. Sama Musa Shiaka</i>	INDEPENDENT	<i>Pujehun</i>	104
27.	<i>Hon. Sankoh Hassan</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	049
28.	<i>Hon. Sesay Kusan</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	045
29.	<i>Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie</i>	SLPP	<i>Moyamba</i>	094
30.	<i>Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	008
31.	<i>Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon</i>	SLPP	<i>Bonthe</i>	089
32.	<i>Hon. Tongi Lolloh Emilia</i>	INDEPENDENT	<i>Kailahun</i>	001
33.	<i>Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	101
34.	<i>Hon. Turay Sheku Munirr (Dr.)</i>	SLPP	<i>Pujehun</i>	099
35.	<i>Hon. Yumkella Kandeh Kolleh (Dr.)</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	062



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1. Prayers were read by *Mrs. Fatmata Bintu Weston (Table Clerk)*.

2. **Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 10:40 a.m.**

The motion for the suspension of S. O. 5 (2) at 10:40 a.m. was moved by **Hon. Neneh Lebbie of Constituency 086, Bo District** for the commencement of proceedings. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Tennyson Hindolo Sandy of Constituency 120, Western Urban District** and approved by the House.

3. **Amendment of Order Paper:**

The Leader of Government Business, **Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma of Constituency 019, Kenema District** moved a motion to amend the Order Paper by replacing the Secunder of the motion (**Motion of Thanks to His Excellency the President Julius Maada Bio**), **Hon. Abdul S. Marray-Conteh** with **Hon. Ishmail Sama Sandy**. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Josephine Makieue of Constituency 014, Kenema District** and approved by the House.

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

The Rt. Hon. Speaker, **Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu**, informed the House that that day's sitting was a special one, and that the regular attendees for the previous sittings would be the first to catch his eyes and be recognized if they would stand up to make a contribution. He said that the records would not only be from the attendance of Hon. Members for that day's sitting but from previous sittings as well.

He also drew the attention of all Hon. Members to the provisions of Standing Order (38) Paragraphs (1) & (3). He recited paragraph (1) of S.O. 38 as quoted: **"Subject to paragraph (2) of this Order, no member shall be entitled to address the House or a Committee of the Whole House for more than thirty minutes on any subject; Provided that the mover of a substantive motion shall be entitled to forty-five minutes for his opening speech."**

He also recited paragraph (3) of S.O. 38 as quoted **"This Order shall not apply to speeches made during the debate on the Presidential Address to Parliament and the debate on the Second reading of the annual Appropriation Bill; Provided that in debates limited to specific allotted days the Speaker may determine and allocate the time of each contribution, such as to accommodate the participation of all those who wish to speak. And the Fifth day of the five days allotted to the debate on the Motion of Thanks to His Excellency the President for his Address to Parliament on the occasion of the State Opening of Parliament shall, pursuant to subsection (2) of Section 107 of the Constitution, be devoted to Ministerial responses to the issues raised by Members on government policies contained in the speech."**

The Rt. Hon. Speaker, **Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu**, further drew the attention of Hon. Members to Standing Order (43) Paragraphs (1) & (10). He recited Paragraph (1) of S.O. (43) as quoted: **"Mr. Speaker, or the Chairman, having called the attention of the House, or of the Committee, to the conduct of a Member who persists in irrelevance, or tedious repetition, either on his own argument, or on the arguments used by other Members in debate, may direct him to discontinue his speech."**



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He also recited Paragraph (10) of S.O. (43) “In exercise of the parliamentary privilege of freedom of speech and debate in the House, which is necessarily constitutively unassailable outside Parliament, Members shall accurately address the empirically verifiable, avoiding destructive conjectures or speculations, and shall conduct themselves honourably and responsibly with an eye to the self-regulatory constitutional provisions in Section 97 and subsections (2)(3)(4) and (5) of Section 99 of the Constitution.”

5. Motion of Thanks to His Excellency the President, Julius Maada Bio: First Allotted Day

Proposer: Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma
Seconder: Hon. Ishmail Sama Sandy

Be it Resolved: “That we the Members of Parliament here assembled wish to thank His Excellency the President for the Address he so graciously delivered on the occasion of the State Opening of the Fifth Session of the Fifth Parliament of the Second Republic of Sierra Leone in the Chamber of Parliament on Tuesday 10th May, 2022.”

Based on the proviso of S.O. 38 (1), The Leader of Government Business (**Hon. Mathew S. Nyuma of Constituency 019, Kenema District**) made his opening speech on the Motion of Thanks to His Excellency the President and called upon the House to constructively debate the Presidential Address.

Mr. Speaker proposed the question for debate:

The following Hon. Members contributed to the debate of the Presidential Address: **First Allotted Day.**

No.	Names of Hon. Members	Constituency	District
1.	Hon. Ishmail Sama Sandy	080	Bo

6. Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 12:00 p.m.

The motion for the suspension of S. O. 5 (2) at 12:00 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Alusine Kanneh of Constituency 013, Kenema District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Brima Mansaray of Constituency 017, Kenema District** and approved by the House.

Continued debate:

	Hon. Ishmail Sama Sandy	080	Bo
2.	Hon. Abdul Karim Kamara	059	Kambia

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House at 1:10 p.m. for lunch

The House resumed at 2:20 p.m.



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Continued debate:

3.	Hon. Paul Saa Sam	025	Kono
4.	Hon. Foday Lamin Kabba	044	Koinadugu

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

The motion for the suspension of S. O. 5 (2) at 3:00 p.m. was moved by **Hon. Alusine Kanneh of Constituency 013, Kenema District** for the proceedings to continue after the said time. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Maada Kanja Hafiju of Constituency 018, Kenema District** and approved by the House.

Continued debate.

5.	Hon. Neneh Lebbie	086	Bo
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Adjournment:

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Wednesday 25th May 2022 at 10:00 a.m.
The House rose at 4:40 p.m.