



**FIFTH PARLIAMENT  
OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE  
FOURTH SESSION, 2021/2022  
FIRST MEETING OF PARLIAMENT  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE TWENTY-NINTH SITTING**



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**WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 2021**

**The House met at 10:20 a.m.**  
**The Acting Speaker, Hon. Segepoh Solomon Thomas, Presided.**

**I. ATTENDANCE:**

**THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE PRESENT:**

<b>NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>PARTY</b>	<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>CONST</b>
1.	<i>Hon. Abdulai Osman Charles</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bo</i>	<i>079</i>
2.	<i>Hon. Alhadi Lihadi</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>123</i>
3.	<i>Hon. Alu-Conteh Alusine Kainde</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>125</i>
4.	<i>Hon. Bah Alpha Amadu</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>115</i>
5.	<i>Hon. Bah Chernor R.M.</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>126</i>
6.	<i>Hon. Bangura Cecilia Mabinty</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Karene</i>	<i>065</i>
7.	<i>Hon. Bangura Ibrahim Aziz</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Pot Loko</i>	<i>076</i>
8.	<i>Hon. Bangura Mohamed</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Karene</i>	<i>066</i>
9.	<i>Hon. Banya Sarty</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>004</i>
10.	<i>Hon. Bhendu Francis Saa</i>	<i>C4C</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>027</i>
11.	<i>Hon. Braima Zainab Kama</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>010</i>
12.	<i>Hon. Bockarie Momoh</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kenema</i>	<i>012</i>
13.	<i>Hon. Bubu Ngbak IV P.C. Bai Farama Tass</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Kambia</i>	<i>-</i>
14.	<i>Hon. Charles Sahr</i>	<i>C4C</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>028</i>
15.	<i>Hon. Conteh Abdul S. Marray</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>130</i>
16.	<i>Hon. Conteh Emmanuel Saidu</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Urban</i>	<i>129</i>
17.	<i>Hon. Conteh Ibrahim</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Tonkolili</i>	<i>053</i>
18.	<i>Hon. Conteh John Charles</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Bombali</i>	<i>031</i>
19.	<i>Hon. Conteh Samba Paul</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Bombali</i>	<i>035</i>
20.	<i>Hon. Davies Kadijatu</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Rural</i>	<i>110</i>
21.	<i>Hon. Edwin Moses Andrew</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Bonthe</i>	<i>090</i>
22.	<i>Hon. Fabbah Habib Keifa</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>BO</i>	<i>078</i>
23.	<i>Hon. Fefegula Simeon</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Moyamba</i>	<i>096</i>
24.	<i>Hon. Finnoh III P. C. Kandeh</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Bombali</i>	<i>-</i>
25.	<i>Hon. Fofanah Abu Bakarr</i>	<i>APC</i>	<i>Western Rural</i>	<i>107</i>
26.	<i>Hon. Fofanah Musa</i>	<i>C4C</i>	<i>Kono</i>	<i>023</i>
27.	<i>Hon. Gberek III P. C. Bai Shebora Sehba</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Port Loko</i>	<i>-</i>
28.	<i>Hon. Gondor II P. C. Foray Cyril</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>Kailahun</i>	<i>-</i>
29.	<i>Hon. Hafiju Maada Kanja</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Kenema</i>	<i>018</i>
30.	<i>Hon. Jabbie Alpha Fode Madie</i>	<i>SLPP</i>	<i>Falaba</i>	<i>040</i>



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31.	<i>Hon. Jalloh Osman Wurie</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Rural</i>	109
32.	<i>Hon. Jalloh Timbo Wurroh</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	119
33.	<i>Hon. Jorkie Moses Baimba</i>	SLPP	<i>Bonthe</i>	091
34.	<i>Hon. Juana Sahr</i>	SLPP	<i>Kailahun</i>	002
35.	<i>Hon. Kabba Lamin Foday</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	044
36.	<i>Hon. Kaisamba Amara Francis</i>	SLPP	<i>Kenema</i>	020
37.	<i>Hon. Kalokoh Mark Mahmoud (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	032
38.	<i>Hon. Kamanda Komba Mansamayao</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	024
39.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Joseph Bash</i>	SLPP	<i>Bo</i>	084
40.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Kambia</i>	059
41.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	069
42.	<i>Hon. Kamara Abdul Titus</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	061
43.	<i>Hon. Kamara Allieu Ibrahim</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	122
44.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Bash</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	067
45.	<i>Hon. Kamara Alusine Osaio</i>	APC	<i>Kambia</i>	058
46.	<i>Hon. Kamara Bai Sama</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	060
47.	<i>Hon. Kamara Foday Mario</i>	NGC	<i>Kambia</i>	057
48.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	063
49.	<i>Hon. Kamara Ibrahim Bun (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	068
50.	<i>Hon. Kamara Rebecca Yei</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	029
51.	<i>Hon. Kamara Saidu Babah</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	071
52.	<i>Hon. Kanu Ahmed Joseph</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Rural</i>	108
53.	<i>Hon. Kanu Amadu</i>	APC	<i>Moyamba</i>	093
54.	<i>Hon. Kanu Rugiatu Rosy</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	113
55.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Abdul</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	077
56.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Ibrahim Ben</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	034
57.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Papa Abdulai</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	047
58.	<i>Hon. Kargbo Roland Foday (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Karene</i>	064
59.	<i>Hon. Kassegbama Aiah David Shek</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	026
60.	<i>Hon. Kawalleh II P. C. Alhaji Kandeh Paria</i>	-	<i>Karene</i>	-
61.	<i>Hon. Koroma Aaron Aruna</i>	APC	<i>Tonkolili</i>	048
62.	<i>Hon. Koroma Abdul Karim</i>	APC	<i>Port Loko</i>	070
63.	<i>Hon. Koroma Daniel Brima</i>	APC	<i>Koinadugu</i>	046
64.	<i>Hon. Koroma John Telson</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	127
65.	<i>Hon. Koroma Manuel Allieu</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	036
66.	<i>Hon. Koroma Meama Kajue IV P. C. F. H. Bintu</i>	-	<i>Moyamba</i>	-
67.	<i>Hon. Koroma Peter Yamba</i>	APC	<i>Bombali</i>	033
68.	<i>Hon. Koroma Unpha Sorie Gbassay (Dr.)</i>	APC	<i>Western Urban</i>	114
69.	<i>Hon. Kumabeh Jebbeh Alice</i>	SLPP	<i>Bonthe</i>	092
70.	<i>Hon. Lamina Emerson Saa</i>	C4C	<i>Kono</i>	030
71.	<i>Hon. Lansana Abdul Muniru</i>	SLPP	<i>Western Urban</i>	121



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73.	Hon. Lebbie Nenneh	SLPP	Bo	086
74.	Hon. Lebbay Ambrose Maada	SLPP	Bo	083
75.	Hon. Macavoray P. C. Kangbai Joe (Prof.)	-	Bo	-
76.	Hon. Mackery Yusuf	SLPP	Bo	087
77.	Hon. Manly-Spain Ajibola Emmanuel	APC	Western Urban	124
78.	Hon. Mansaray Abu	APC	Port Loko	074
79.	Hon. Mansaray Brima	SLPP	Kenema	017
80.	Hon. Mansaray Hamidu Holla	APC	Koinadugu	043
81.	Hon. Marah III P.C. Alie Balansama	-	Koinadugu	-
82.	Hon. Marah Alusine	APC	Falaba	041
83.	Hon. Marrah III P. C. Fasalie Kulako Demba	-	Falaba	-
84.	Hon. Marah Lahai	APC	Falaba	042
85.	Hon. Mbriwa II P. C. Sahr Youngai Kontanday	-	Kono	-
86.	Hon. Moigua Peter Musa	SLPP	Kenema	011
87.	Hon. Pewa P. C. Prince Mambu	-	Kenema	-
88.	Hon. Rogers Alex Mattia	SLPP	Pujehun	102
89.	Hon. Rogers Dickson Momoh	SLPP	Pujehun	100
90.	Hon. Salia-Konneh Quintin	INDEPENDENT	Kailahun	007
91.	Hon. Sam Paul Saa	C4C	Kono	025
92.	Hon. Sandy Ishmail Sama	SLPP	Bo	080
93.	Hon. Sandy Tennyson Hindolo	SLPP	Western Urban	120
94.	Hon. Sanka III P. C. Bai Kurr Kanagbaro	-	Tonkolili	-
95.	Hon. Sankoh Hassan	APC	Tonkolili	049
96.	Hon. Sellu Mustapha Musa	SLPP	Moyamba	095
97.	Hon. Sesay Abdul Latif	APC	Port Loko	075
98.	Hon. Sesay Daniel Abdulai (Dr.)	APC	Tonkolili	052
99.	Hon. Sesay Kusan	APC	Koinadugu	045
100.	Hon. Sesay Osman Sallieu	APC	Bombali	038
101.	Hon. Sesay Veronica Kadie	SLPP	Moyamba	094
102.	Hon. Shaw Mohamed Billoh	SLPP	Falaba	039
103.	Hon. Sheriff P. C. Alie Badara	-	Bonthe	-
104.	Hon. Silikie Bashiru	SLPP	Bo	082
105.	Hon. Songa Wuyatta Bernadette	SLPP	Kailahun	008
106.	Hon. Tarawalie Issac	APC	Western Urban	118
107.	Hon. Tarawally Zainab Catherine	APC	Bombali	037
108.	Hon. Thomas Segepoh Solomon	SLPP	Bonthe	089
109.	Hon. Tholley James Ozan	APC	Tonkolili	054
110.	Hon. Tucker Tom Issic	APC	Kono	022
111.	Hon. Turay Abdul	APC	Western Rural	105
112.	Hon. Turay Alhaji Sorieba	APC	Tonkolili	051



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113.	Hon. Turay Benjamin	SLPP	WesternUrban	128
114.	Hon. Turay Sheku Munirr (Dr.)	SLPP	Pujehun	099
115.	Hon. Williams- Lamin Joseph	SLPP	Bo	081
116.	Hon. Yumkella Kandeh Kolleh (Dr.)	NGC	Kambia	062

**THE FOLLOWING HONOURABLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT WERE ABSENT WITH EXCUSE:**

1.	Hon. Amara Haja Miatta	APC	Western Rural	112
2.	Hon. Ansumana Aloysious Bockarie	SLPP	Kailahun	005
3.	Hon. Aruna Massay Ngahinteh	SLPP	Bo	085
4.	Hon. Bangura Rosemarie	APC	Tonkolili	055
5.	Hon. Conteh Ibrahim Tawa	SLPP	Western Urban	132
6.	Hon. Fofanah Abubakarr	SLPP	Kenema	016
7.	Hon. Gbekie Emmanuel Sahr	SLPP	Western Urban	116
8.	Hon. George Edward	SLPP	Moyamba	097
9.	Hon. Gevao Moiwo Hindolo	SLPP	Kailahun	003
10.	Hon. Jalloh Musa Bamba Foray	SLPP	Tonkolili	056
11.	Hon. Kabia Mohamed	APC	Western Rural	106
12.	Hon. Kanneh Alusine	SLPP	Kenema	013
13.	Hon. Kanneh Mohamed	SLPP	Kailahun	006
14.	Hon. Kanu Alimamy Brun	APC	Port Loko	072
15.	Hon. Kemokai Abu	SLPP	Pujehun	103
16.	Hon. Lahai Musa	SLPP	Kailahun	009
17.	Hon. Lansana Festus Mohamed	SLPP	Kenema	015
18.	Hon. Lavalie-Tshombe Dominic Jaybeh	SLPP	Moyamba	098
19.	Hon. Makieu Josephine	SLPP	Kenema	014
20.	Hon. Munda Boston	SLPP	Kenema	021
21.	Hon. Nyuma Mathew Sahr	SLPP	Kenema	019
22.	Hon. Rahman-Coker Mohamed Sheriff	SLPP	Western Urban	131
23.	Hon. Sama Musa Shiaka	INDEPENDENT	Pujehun	104
24.	Hon. Samura Hajaratu Faith	APC	Western Urban	117
25.	Hon. Sesay Abdoul Hassan	APC	Tonkolili	050
26.	Hon. Tongi Lolloh Emilia	INDEPENDENT	Kailahun	001
27.	Hon. Tunis Sidie Mohamed	SLPP	Pujehun	101
28.	Hon. Turay Ahmed Samba	APC	Port Loko	073
29.	Hon. Vandy Christopha Keikura	SLPP	Bo	088
30.	Hon. Vincent Horace E.	SLPP	Western Rural	111



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1. Prayers were read by *Mrs. Fatmata Bintu Weston (Table Clerk)*.
  
2. **Suspension of Standing Order 5(2) at 10:25 a.m.**  
**Hon. Dickson M. Rogers of Constituency 100, Pujehun District** moved a motion for the suspension of S.O. 5(2) at 10:25 a.m. for the commencement of proceedings. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Moses Baimba Jorkie of Constituency 091, Bonthe District** and approved by the House.
  
3. **The Adoption of The Record of Votes and Proceedings for Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2021:**  
The motion for the adoption of the Record of Votes and Proceedings for **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2021** was moved by **Hon. Moses Baimba Jorkie of Constituency 091, Bonthe District**. It was seconded by **Hon. Ishmael Sama Sandy of Constituency 080, Bo District** and adopted by the House.
  
4. **Mr. Speaker's Announcement:**  
The Acting Speaker, **Hon. Segepoh Solomon Thomas**, reminded the House that he had ruled a few weeks ago that a joint Committee on Trade and Industry, Finance and Transparency be constituted to look into the concern raised by **Hon. Ibrahim Tawa Conteh** on some agreements that were ratified by the House wherein some waivers on agreements were done.

The Chairman on Transparency Committee, **Hon. Dickson M. Rogers**, confirmed to the House that they had indeed invited the companies involved to a meeting but the General Managers of the respective companies were out of the jurisdiction of Sierra Leone. He assured the House that upon their return, they would be summoned again and the meeting would be held upon which the Committee would report to the House as so dearly needed.

The Acting Leader of Government Business, **Hon. Bashiru Silikie of Constituency 082, Bo District** advised that the Chairman of the Transparency Committee should invoke Section 93 sub-sections (3) and (6)(a) of the Constitution of Sierra Leone (Act No. 6 of 1991) to summon those companies and to enforce their attendance.

**Hon. Mohamed Bangura of Constituency 066, Karene District** also reminded the House that Mr. Speaker had ruled on the concern he raised few weeks ago about the Sierra Leoneans that had stranded in Germany.

**Mr. Speaker's Response:**

The Acting Speaker, **Hon. Segepoh S. Thomas**, requested that the Hon. Member should write a letter to the Chairman of the Committee of Foreign Affairs and the Chairman of the Committee on Internal Affairs on the issue.



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The Leader of the Opposition (**Hon. Chernor R.M. Bah of Constituency 126, Western Urban**) informed the House that he had also forwarded a Question to the Minister of Development and Economic Planning through the office of the Clerk and those Questions were yet to have seen the light of day. He pleaded that the rulings of Mr. Speaker should be respected because the rulings of the Speaker should be law.

He also vented his disappointment about the poor attendance of his colleague Hon. Members of Parliament. He said that the Chamber was empty, and that it was an embarrassment for them to invite Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs) while Hon. Members themselves were not in full attendance.

The Acting Leader of Government Business (**Hon. Bashiru Silikie of Constituency 082, Bo District**) agreed with the Leader of Opposition and added that it was the responsibility of Hon. Members of Parliament to attend Parliamentary sittings but that MDAs should not use that as an excuse for not witnessing the Parliamentary sittings on the budgetary debate of "The Appropriation Act, 2022." He further requested that Parliament should summon all Permanent Secretaries so that they could listen to the concerns raised by Hon. Members about their various Ministries.

**Mr. Speaker's Response:**

The Acting Speaker, **Hon. Segepoh S. Thomas**, informed the House that the first allotted day of the debate was a grace period. He ruled that the allocations to some MDAs would not be considered by the House if they failed to witness the Second and Third Allotted Day of the budgetary debate on "**The Appropriation Act, 2022.**"

**5. Bill: The Appropriation Act, 2022 by the Minister of Finance.**

**(FIRST ALLOTTED DAY)**

**Being an Act to authorize expenditure from the Consolidated Fund for the services of Sierra Leone for the year 2022 and for other related matters.**

The Table Clerk, **Mr. Ismaila Kabba**, called upon the Minister of Finance to proceed with the **Second Reading of the bill.**

**Second Reading:**

The Deputy Minister II of Finance, **Mr. Sheku Fantamadi Bangura**, moved that the bill entitled "**The Appropriation Act, 2022**" be read the **Second Time.**



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**Mr. Speaker proposed the question for debate.**

**Hon. Francis Amara Kaisamba of Constituency 020, Kenema District** rose on S.O. 63(3) and moved a motion for the debate on “The Appropriation Act, 2022” to be shortened to three (3) allotted days instead of five allotted days. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Lahai Marah of Constituency 042, Falaba District** and approved by the House.

**The following Hon. Members contributed to the debate.**

No	Names of Honourable Members	Constituency	District
1.	Hon. Francis Amara Kaisamba	020	Kenema
2.	Hon. Salieu Osman Sesay	038	Bombali
3.	Hon. Sahr Charles	028	Kono

**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. Dickson M. Rogers of Constituency 100, Pujehun District** for the proceedings to continue during lunch. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Daniel B. Koroma of Constituency 046, Koinadugu District** and approved by the House.

No	Names of Honourable Members	Constituency	District
	Hon. Sahr Charles	028	Kono
4.	Hon. Joseph Williams-Lamin	081	Bo
5.	Hon. Abdul Muniru Lansana	121	Western Urban
6.	Hon. Abdul karim Kamara	059	Kambia
7.	Hon. Dr.Unpha Sorie Gbassay Koroma	114	Western Urban
8.	Hon. Dr. Sheku Munirr Turay	099	Pujehun
9.	Hon. Musa Fofanah	023	Kono
10.	Hon. Moses Andrew Edwin	090	Bonthe
11.	Hon. Ibrahim Aziz Bangura	076	Port Loko
12.	Hon. Abdul Karim Kamara	069	Port Loko
13.	Hon. Veronica K. Sesay	094	Moyamba

**Adjournment:**

- Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.
- The House rose at 2:45 p.m.