



THIRD PARLIAMENT
OF
THE SECOND REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE
FIFTH SESSION, 2011/2012
SECOND MEETING OF THE HOUSE
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

NO.116/2011/2012

THURSDAY

28TH JUNE, 2012

THE HOUSE MET AT 10:00 A.M.

MR.SPEAKER IN THE CHAIR – HON. JUSTICE ABEL N.B.STRONGE

ATTENDANCE:

I. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were Present

1. HON.ALPHA-LAVALIE ELIZABETH T.
2. HON.BABONJO EMMANUEL T.
3. HON.BANGURA BENNEH
4. HON.BANGURA IBRAHIM M.
5. HON.BANGURA KANDE C.
6. HON.BANNISTER MALCOLM S.
7. HON.BETTS-PRIDY MANIE
8. HON.BOYAH KES
9. HON.BUNDU IBRAHIM R.
10. HON.CONTEH DAVID B.
11. HON.CONTEH KONDEH YAPOH
12. HON.CONTEH MOININA
13. HON.CUFFIE JULIUS NYE
14. HON.DARAMY ALHAJI A.O.
15. HON.DUMBUYA DAUDA
16. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU B.B.
17. HON.DUMBUYA SHEKU GIBRIL
18. HON.FATORMA SAHR
19. HON.FASULUKU SAHR N.

20. HON.FEIKA SOLOMON W.
21. HON.FOYAH ALICE M.
22. HON.HASSAN SHERIFF B.
23. HON.JALLOH MARIE M.
24. HON.JOHNSON VICTOR C.
25. HON.JONES RAYMOND M.
26. HON.JUMU ERIC B.
27. HON.KAIKAI ANSUMANA JAIA
28. HON.KAIGBANJA TAMBA E.
29. HON.KAISAMBA JAMES A.
30. HON.KALAWA CHARLES H.
31. HON.KAMANDA CLAUDE D.M.
32. HONKAMARA ABDUL R.
33. HON.KAMARA ALHAJI BUYA
34. HON.KAMARA KOMBOR
35. HON.KAMARA KOYA KALLA
36. HON.KAMARA MOMORIE MADUSU
37. HON.KAMARA MORLAI B.S.
38. HON.KAMARA PAUL
39. HON.KAMARA PHILIPSON H.
40. HON.KANGOVA II P.C. JEREMIAH SINNAH-YOVONIE
41. HON.KANU AMADU
42. HON.KANU KHALIL MOHAMED
43. HON.KARGBO ALIMAMY G.
44. HON.KARGBO KEWULAY M.
45. HON.KARGBO MOHAMED S.
46. HON.KARGBO PATRICK L.M.
47. HON.KASANGA II P.C. BAI SEBORA
48. HON.KEMOKAI LANSANA I.
49. HON.KING EUSTACE A.
50. HON.KOEDOYOMA KOMBA E.
51. HON.KONDEH DANDA M.
52. HON KONTEH ABU
53. HON.KOROMA ABU B.
54. HON.KOROMA JACOB I.
55. HON.KOWA EMMA
56. HON KPOSOWA FRANK
57. HON.LAHAI BERNADETTE DR.
58. HON.LAVALIE JOLLY-BOY M.
59. HON.LEBBIE NENNEH
60. HON.LEWALLY ALPHA BABATUNDE
61. HON.MACARTHY SAM-MAY L.
62. HON.MAC-BAILEY ALBERT
63. HON.MANLY-SPAIN AJIBOLA EMANUEL
64. HON.MANSARAY JUSUFU B.
65. HON.MANSARAY THOMAS I.
66. HON.MARAH III P.C.ALIE BALANSAMA

67. HON.MASSAQUOI ALOYSIUS M.K.
68. HON.MOIJUEH EMILIE SAFULA
69. HON.MOMOH SIAFA J.
70. HON.MUNU ALLIEU BADDARA K.
71. HON.MUSA JINA JAMES
72. HON.MUSTAPHA JOSEPH A.
73. HON.MYERS BINTU
74. HON.NYUMA MATHEW S.
75. HON.RADDAR HENNEH HASSAN
76. HON.ROGERS FRANCES
77. HON.SALLU-LUGBU II P.C. BAI BUREH
78. HON.SAMURA UNISA S.
79. HON.SANKOH ALIE SALIEU
80. HON.SANKOH YILLAH NURU DEEN
81. HON.SANKOH IBRAHIM NOX
82. HON.SESAY DAVID A.
83. SESAY VERONICA K.
84. HON.SHERIFF P.C.ALLIEU B.
85. HON.SISAY SULAIMAN M.
86. HON.SOLOKU EDWARD A.
87. HON.SORIE IBRAHIM
88. HON.TARAWALLIE MOHAMED A.
89. HON.TEAMBO MATTHEW M.T
90. HON.THULLAH ALHAJI Y.
91. HON.TOMMY EMMANUEL W.
92. HON.TOMMY HENRY E.
93. HON.TONDONEH PHILIP TETEMA
94. HON.TORTO AUGUSTINE B.
95. HON.TURAY ALLIEU BADARA
96. HON.TURAY ALIMAMY C.
97. HON.YANSANEH REV. MARIE
98. HON.YEK ALHAJI BAI SHEBORA II P.C.
99. HON.YOKIE FODAY RADO

II. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent:

1. HON.BANYA IV P.C. MOHAMED SAMA KAILONDO
2. HON.BENYA V P.C. MOHAMED DHAFFIE
3. HON.FALEY ROBIN E.S.
4. HON.FENGAI P.C. KAIMACHENDE S.K.
5. HON.HALLOWELL LLOYD MAGNUS
6. HON.HINDOWA V P.C. BINDI SAMBA
7. HON.KALLON MARCUS B.
8. HON.KAMARA ALIMAMY A.
9. HON.KONUWA FRANCIS A.
10. HON.KOROMA ISATU G.
11. HON.SAM MUSA T.

12. HON.SAMA SHIAKA M.
13. HON.SANKOH LEGACY
14. HON.SESAY MOSES M.DR
15. HON.SORIBA DAVID G.
16. HON.SUWU THERESA

III. The following Honourable Members of Parliament were absent with Excuse:

1. HON.BAH CHERNOR R.M.
2. HON.FORNAH MABINTY
3. HON.KAMANDA MOURIE B. DR
4. HON.KEBBIE P.C.BRIMA VICTOR SIDI
5. HON.KOMBE-BUNDU FLORENCE
6. HON.OSHO-WILLIAMS BLISS
7. HON.SANKA III P.C. BAI KURR KANAGBARO
8. HON.TURAY SALAMATU

IV. PRAYERS: The Clerk of Legislative Committee, Mr Lamin Yansaneh said the prayers.

V. CORRECTION AND ADOPTION OF VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PARLIAMENTARY SITTING HELD ON TUESDAY 26TH JUNE, 2012

Hon. P.C. Jeremiah Sinnah-Yovonie Kangova II moved a motion for the adoption of the record of Votes and Proceedings of Tuesday 26th June, 2012. The motion was seconded by **Hon. Charles H. Kalawa** and unanimously accepted by Members.

VI. LAYING OF PAPERS:

Hon. Alhaji M. Sufian Kargbo

Third Report of the Committee on Finance and Development.

Laid by Hon.Alhaji M. Sufian Kargbo.

VII. BILL:

The National Pharmaceutical Procurement Unit Act, 2012

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

The Bill was read the first time and unanimously accepted by Members

SECOND READING

The Minister presented the Bill to Members of Parliament.

The following Honourable Members contributed to the Bill at the second reading.

1. **Hon. Julius Nye Cuffie;**
2. **Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai** - on a point of Order, S.O. 32(5);

Continued Debate

- Hon. Julius Nye Cuffie;**
3. **Hon. P.C. Jeremiah Sinnah-Yovonie Kangova II;**
4. **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu;**
5. **Hon. Emmanuel W. Tommy;**
6. **Hon. S.B.B. Dumbuya.**

The Bill was read the second time and was unanimously accepted by Members.

COMMITTEE STAGE

The following Honourable Members contributed to the Bill at the Committee Stage.

1. **Hon. Julius Nye Cuffie;**
2. **Hon. Ibrahim R. Bundu;**
3. **Hon. Dr Bernadette Lahai;**
4. **Hon. Emmanuel W. Tommy;**

The following amendments were made:

1. Under Section 2, Implementation (Part I), the definition of Medical Suppliers was set out as follows: “ Medical Suppliers” means medical consumables including diagnostic and surgical appliances as approved by the Ministry of Health and Sanitation.
2. Part 1 under Implementation, last line, the words” Section 3” amended to read “Section 2”.
3. Part 5, clause 2(f) last line to read: District “Health Management team” instead of District “Health Medical team”.

VIII. STATEMENT BY MR SPEAKER:

Informed Members of Parliament that he had received a written communication from the SLPP Party, informing him of the appointment of a new SLPP Minority Leader in the person of Hon. Emmanuel W.Tommy.

The Speaker requested Hon. Emmanuel W. Tommy to assume his rightful seat which he did.

Secondly, that the new Deputy Minority Leader is Hon. Ansumana J. Kaikai, who was also requested by Mr Speaker to assume his rightful seat next to the Minority Leader.

Thirdly, Mr Speaker requested the Minority Whip, Hon.Komba E. Koedoyoma to assume his rightful seat next after the Deputy Minority Leader.

On behalf of the entire House of Parliament, Mr Speaker congratulated the Minority

Leader and his Deputy on their new positions.

IX. **STANDING ORDER 23:**

The following Honourable Members stood on S.O. 23:

1. **Hon. Sam-May L. Macarthy** - That certain Activities are going on in his constituency which are a breach of the Chieftaincy Act (Overruled as controversial).

He further explained that what transpired was a human rights issue and a breach of the Chieftaincy Act as the procedures to remove a town chief were not followed.

S.O 23 -That the Paramount Chief Prince Metzger Bondo Konneh II of Makpelle Chieftdom Pujehun District was seriously sick (tradition could not permit him to say exactly the thing).

2. **Hon. Solomon W. Feika** - S.O 23 -That the Paramount Chief Prince Metzger Bondo Konneh II of Makpelle Chieftdom, Pujehun District was seriously sick (tradition could not permit him to say exactly the thing).

3. **Hon. Alpha Babatunde Lewally** – That the issue raised last Tuesday in the well of Parliament in connection with the heaps of garbage seen at Fourah Bay road, especially the ones in front of Princess Christian Maternity Hospital (PCMH), has been addressed and that the garbage had been removed.
He thanked the Minister of Local Government for his assistance in clearing the garbage.

4. **Hon. Morlai B.S. Kamara** -That he had a bitter experience at Lungi with a group of youths who called themselves tax collectors, harassing people for the collection of local tax by blockading the road and causing delays on the high way. He said, he was delayed for some time inspite of his self-introduction as a Member of Parliament.

5. **Hon. Emmanuel W. Tommy** - Thanked God for his new position, and his SLPP Colleagues who consented unanimously to allow him the position of Leadership in the House of Parliament.

That he was prepared to cooperate with the ruling Government, but not to compromise with things that would not work for Sierra Leone.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY:

Hon. S.B.B. Dumbuya:

1. That the Appointments and Public Service Committee would meet on Thursday, 5th July, 2012, in Committee Room 1 at 11:00 a.m.
2. That the APC Caucus would meet immediately after sitting in Committee Room 1.
3. That there would be a Pre-Legislative briefing on Friday, 6th July, 2012 on the Bill entitled, "The Constitutional Amendment Act, 2012", at 11:00 a.m. in Committee Room 1.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE CLERK:

Mr. Lamin Yansaneh:

The following Parliamentary Committees would meet immediately after sitting as follows:

1. **Local Government and Rural Development** - Committee Room 1.
2. **Trade and Industry** - Committee Room 1.
3. **All Sierra Leone Female Parliamentary Caucus** – “Validation of the Gender Bill” – Committee Room 1.
4. **Defence and Presidential Affairs** - Selected Agencies have been summoned to appear Before the Committee on Friday, 29th June, 2012 – Meeting Room, New Administrative Building, at 11:00 a.m.

THE HOUSE WAS ADJOURNED TO 10th JULY, 2012 AT 10:00 A.M.

THE HOUSE ROSE AT 11:35 A.M.