

**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF SAMBURU**



**THE HANSARD**

**Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2020**

**The Assembly met at the County Assembly chambers at 2:30 p.m.**

*The Speaker, County Assembly of Samburu, (Mr. Lempere Solomon) in the Chair*

**PRAYER**

## **PAPERS**

**Leader of Majority**, (Hon. Christopher Lentukunye): Thank Hon. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I stand to table the County Budget 2020/2021 financial year.

**The Speaker**, (Mr. Lempere Solomon): Hon. Members, I wish to commit the budget estimates for the financial year 2020/2021 to the Committee on Budget and Appropriation in consultation with other sectoral Committees. The Committee to interrogate the budget and give a report to this House within the stipulated time as provided as per the Standing Orders.

I know these are unique times and may have a challenge in undertaking public participations. And all that requires processing of budget estimates and going by the timeline. We know we have a presidential directive in regard to our conduct, the conduct of members of public in matters that were stipulated in the presidential directives.

The Committee clerks together with the Committee to ensure that the budget is uploaded to the County Assembly website and invite proposals through the platform. Copies to be also deposited at the Sub-County and Ward offices so that various proposals can be given through those offices as we look into ways of processing the budget going by the situation that is there in the country.

So in the meantime those are the channels that we are going to use in trying to process the budget and to get views from the public. The necessary officers to prepare enough copies for processing and dispatch to the respective offices. So the budget stand committed to the Committee.

## **QUESTIONS AND STATEMENT**

**MCA Wamba East Ward**, (Hon. Lucas Lekwale): Thank you Hon. Speaker. Hon. Speaker, I had sought a statement last time from department of Education on ECD foods supplementary feeding. Although Mr. Speaker, we know the schools have closed. So I would like to know what became of that statement because I have asked. Last time I checked probably the procurement was almost done. So I just want to know whether the food was procured. Because we might even

divert the food to give people who are in need given situation with COVID-19. Thank You Mr. Speaker.

**The Speaker,** (Mr. Lempere Solomon): When was the statement supposed to be answered?

**MCA Wamba East Ward,** (Hon. Lucas Lekwale): It is actually overdue. It was supposed to be answered probably the last two weeks. Thank you.

**MCA Suguta Marmar Ward,** (Hon. Shadrack Lesoipa): Thank you Hon. Speaker. Hon. Speaker, I am very sorry for my colleague Hon. Lekwale for the statement he sought patterning the feeding program. Basically I just want to inform the Hon. Member although I have not received the response of the statement as per now but the bottom line the food is in the stores. It was already procured and it is in stores as per now.

**The Speaker,** (Mr. Lempere Solomon): I want to direct that the statement should be formally answered and provided to the House on 12<sup>th</sup> next week Tuesday at 2:30 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT MOTION.**

**The Speaker,** (Mr. Lempere Solomon): Hon. Members, the time being 13 minutes to 3 o'clock and there being no other business this Assembly now adjourns until Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 at 2:30 pm.