BARINGO COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THE HANSARD

Special Sitting

The House met on Wednesday 19th May 2021 at 3:40 p.m.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo) in Chair

PRAYERS

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): Welcome members for this afternoon session, sergeant ring the bell for five minutes.

(Quorum Bell rung)

We can proceed members, Clerk!

PROCEDURAL MOTION

REDUCTION OF PUBLICATION PERIOD OF A BILL

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): Chairman Budget and Appropriations Committee.

Hon. Kibarar: I move a motion that notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Orders 120 and 121 of the Baringo County Assembly Standing orders, this House resolves to reduce the publication period of the Supplementary Appropriation (No. 02) Bill (Baringo County Assembly Bill No: 03 of 2021) from seven (7) days to one(1) day. I request Hon. Tuwit to second.

Hon. Tuwit: Seconded.

(Question Proposed)

(Question put and agreed to)

BILL

Second Reading

THE BARINGO COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION (No. 02) BILL, 2021 (BARINGO COUNTY ASSEMBLY BILL No: 03 of 2021)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): Chair.

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Speaker I move that the Baringo County Supplementary Appropriation (No. 02) Bill, 2021 (Baringo County Assembly Bill No: 03 of 2021) be now read the second time.

After the approval of the report of the budget and appropriations on second supplementary budget estimates for Baringo County Government for the 2020/2021 financial year by the County assembly, the committee is charged with the responsibility of introducing this Bill in this House pursuant to the relevant laws; ihave my reservations there, I ask Hon. Chepsongol to second.

Hon. Chepsongol: Seconded.

(Question Proposed)

Debate is open,

(Long Silence)

I call the mover to reply because we had debated the motion in the morning.

Hon. Kibarar: Thank you Mr. Speaker this bill merely actualizes what the House passed in the report of the Budget and Appropriations Committee on second supplementary budget estimates for Baringo County Government for the 2020/2021 financial year. Thank you Mr. Speaker

(Question Put and agreed to)

(Applause)

(The Bill was read for a second time and committed to a committee of the Whole House today by leave of the House)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): Next order!

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

(Order of the Committee read)

[The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo) left the chair]

IN THE COMMITTEE

[The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop) took the Chair]

THE BARINGO COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION (No. 02) BILL, 2021 (BARINGO COUNTY ASSEMBLY BILL No: 03 of 2021)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Order members this is the committee of the whole House where rules are little bit relaxed. We proceed and we are being guided with the standing orders 127, 129, 213, 216, 217 and specifically 220 which shall apply and money bill of standing order 210. Let us proceed, Clerk!

Clause 2:

(Question that clause 2 be part of the Bill proposed)

Debate is open, mover!

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chairman I seek to make an amendment to the Baringo County Supplementary Budget Appropriations on clause 2 be amended by substituting the amount Kshs, 7,864,186,959 to read Kshs. 7,192,538,918.

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question of the Amendment put agreed to)

(Question that clause 2 be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

(Applause)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Clerk.

Schedule 1: Recurrent Expenditure vote R3001

(Question that R 3001 be part of the Bill Proposed)

Debate is open, if none mover?

Hon. Kibarar: I do not have any amendment on R 3001 but I have amendment R3002 on general administration, planning and support services be reduced by Kshs. 500,000 from Kshs. 414,139,395, to read Kshs. 413, 639,395.

And the total for the vote be reduced by Kshs 500,000 from Kshs. 422, 236, 497 to read Kshs. 421,736,497.

That allocation for vote R3003 treasury and economic planningbe amended as follows; the general administration and planning services be increased by Kshs. 2, 500,000 that is from Kshs 263, 626, 142 to read Kshs. 266, 126, 142. Total vote be increased by Kshs. 2,500,000 from Kshs. 364, 068,692 to read Kshs. 366,568,692.

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

Question of the Amendment put agreed to)

(Question that R 3001 be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Clerk!

R 3004, R3005, R 3006, R 3007, R 3008, R 3009, R 3010, R 3011 & R 3012

(Question that R3004 to R3012 be part of the Bill proposed)

Debate is open, mover.

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chairman, from the votes read, these are amendments which were made;

that the allocation of vote R3004 transport and infrastructure be amended by reducing Kshs. 2, 900,000 from Kshs. 63, 733, 963 to read Kshs. 60, 833, 963.

On R3005 on trade, industrialization cooperative development and commerce be amended by increasing Kshs. 2,360,000 from Kshs. 78, 405,925 to read Kshs. 80,765,925.

R3005 on education services be amended by increasing Kshs. 500,000 from Kshs. 304, 852,363 to read Kshs. 305, 352, 363.

On R3011 on water and irrigation be amended by increasing Kshs. 2,000,000 from Kshs. 117,925,715 to read Kshs. 119,925,715.

Finally the R.E Class Sub-total be amended by increasing Kshs. 4,000,000 from Kshs. 4,647,467,647 to read Kshs. 4,651,467,647.

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): I now put the question.

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question on amendment put and agreed to)

(Question that R3004 to R3012 be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

(Applause)

Clerk,

Schedule 2: Development Expenditure D3001, D3002, D3003, D3004, D3005 & D3006

(Question that D3001to D3006 be part of the Bill proposed)

Debate is open, mover...

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chairman, these are the amendments of the Development Expenditure;

that capital expenditure for vote D3001 County Assembly be amended by increasing Kshs. 9,500,000 from Kshs. 17,098,192 to read Kshs. 26, 598,192.

That capital expenditure for vote D3004 on transport and infrastructure be amended by increasing Kshs. 29, 209, 040 from Kshs. 890,858, 064 to read Kshs. 920,067,104.

That capital expenditure for vote D3005 department of trade, industrialization, cooperative development and commerce be amended by reducing Kshs. 1,000,000 for Kshs. 82,632, 662 to read Kshs. 81,632,662.

Thank you, Mr. Chair.

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): I put the question

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question on amendment put and agreed to)

(Question that D3001 to R3006 be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

Schedule 2; Development Expenditure D3007 D3008, D3009, D3010, D3011 & D3012

(Question that D3007 to D3012 and a Class Sub-total of Kshs. 3,216,719,312 and a Grand Total of Kshs. 7,864,186,959 be part of the Bill proposed)

Debate is open...Hon. Elizabeth Kipsang

Hon. Elizabeth: Thank you Mr. Chair I have a concern in D3009 department of lands housing and urban development on disaster preparedness. We have a lot of disasters in our county yet they have allocated little money of Kshs.1, 200,000. This is a crucial department and need more funds to mitigate upcoming disasters. In the coming supplementary budget, it needs to be allocated more money. Secondly, the department of civic education is a devolved function to the counties also it needs a lot of funding. Thirdly, we have lost many cases in courts due to minimal allocation of money to county attorney and the budget committee should next time ensure that, that office gets enough money so as to represent the county cases well. Thank you.

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Thank you member I need to clarify something on supplementary budget that if we pass it, its live ends on 30th June 2021 less than three weeks from now. We can only align on what we can spend in the three weeks that are remaining. I followed yesterday with the treasury and there is a probably requisition to be paid next week then we can have the last requisition. The committee is only harmonizing what is due for payment on 30thJune otherwise we will have entire budget. Your allegations are true we should be critical on our budget lines. Mover,

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chairman, I move the following amendments on the votes to read; that the capital expenditure allocation for vote D3008 on health services be amended by increasing Kshs. 12,351,960 from Kshs. 349,727,035 to read Kshs. 362, 078,995.

That capital expenditure allocation for vote D3009 lands, Housing and Urban development department be amended by increasing Kshs. 1,100,000 from Kshs. 112,859,252 to read Kshs. 113, 959,252.

That capital expenditure for vote D3010 department of agriculture, fisheries, veterinary and livestock be amended by increasing Kshs. 856,000 from Kshs. 519,329,330 to read Kshs. 520,185,330.

That the capital expenditure allocation for vote D3011 department of water and irrigation be amended by reducing Kshs. 7,665,040 from Kshs. 694,062,407 to read Kshs. 686,397,367.

That class Sub-total DE be amended by increasing Kshs. 44,351,960 from Kshs. 3,216,719,312 to read Kshs. 3,261,071,272.

Mr. Chairman, Grand Total be amended by increasing Kshs. 48,351,960 from Kshs. 7,864,186,959 to read Kshs. 7,912,538,919. Thank you Mr. Chairman

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question on amendment put and agreed to)

(Question that D3007 to D3012 and Class Sub-total and Grand Total be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Clerk!

Memorandum of Objects and Reasons

(Question that memorandum of objects and reasons be part of the Bill proposed)

Mover

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chairmemorandum of objects and reasons be amended to read Kshs. 7,912,538,919 from Kshs. 7, 864,186,959, thank you.

((Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question on amendment put and agreed to)

(Question that memorandum of objects and reasons be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Clerk!

Long Title

(Question that Long Title be part of the Bill proposed)

Any amendments, mover...

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chair there is no amendment on the long title.

(Question Put and agreed to)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Clerk,

Clause 1 or short title

(Question proposed that clause 1 or the short title be part of the bill proposed)

Mover any amendments...

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chair there is an amendment to read an Act of the County Assembly to issue sums 7,912,538,919 out of the County Revenue Fund for the service of the year ending 30th June 2021 and appropriation of money granted. Thank you...

(Question of the Amendment proposed)

(Question on amendment put and agreed to)

(Question that Clause 1 or short title be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

The Chairman (Hon. Kimosop): Hon. Members that is the end of clauses of moving amendments on the Baringo County Supplementary Appropriation Bill No.02 of 2021 and Baringo Assembly Bill No.003 of 2021. I call the chairman to move the report.

Hon. Kibarar: Thank you I beg to move that the Committee do report to the House its consideration of the Baringo County Supplementary Appropriation No. 02 Bill 2021 and Baringo Assembly Bill 03 of 2021 and its approval thereof with amendments.

(Question Proposed)

(Question put and agreed to)

Order Members!

(The House resumes)

[The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo) took the Chair]

REPORT, CONSIDERATION OF THE REPORT AND THIRD READING

THE BARINGO COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION (No. 02) BILL, 2021 (BARINGO COUNTY ASSEMBLY BILL No: 03 of 2021)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): Pursuant of standing orders 131 I call the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House to give resolutions.

Hon. Kimosop: Mr. Speaker I beg to report that the Committee of the Whole House has considered the Baringo County Supplementary Appropriation No. 2 Bill 2021, Baringo County Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2021 and approved with some amendments. Thank you,

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): I call upon the mover to reply.

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Chair, reply that the Baringo County Supplementary Appropriation No. 2 Bill 2021, Baringo County Assembly Bill No. 3 of 2021 has been approved ready to be read the third time. I urge Hon. Kabon to second.

Hon. Kabon: Seconded

(Question Proposed)

(Question put and agreed to)

(Applause)

Next order!

Hon. Kibarar: Mr. Speaker I beg to move that the Bill be read for the third time and call upon Hon. Kabon again to second.

Hon. Kabon: Seconded

(Question proposed)

(Question put and agreed to)

(The Bill was accordingly read the Third Time and passed)

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Cheboiwo): The Bill has passed and I congratulate you members for passing the Baringo Supplementary Appropriation (No. 02) Bill, 2021 (Baringo County Assembly Bill No. 03 of 2021) and what remains is for His. Excellence the Governor is to assent to it pursuant to No. 24 of the County Governments Act and read together with Standing Order Number 138. Thank you members for passing the Bill I hope the Governor will act quickly for the implementation process to start since it has been delayed.

ADJOURNMENT

Order members! This House stands adjourned and continues with recess until Tuesday 8th June 2021 at 2:30 p.m.

The House rose at 4:35p.m