

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**MACHAKOS COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

**OFFICIAL REPORT**

**Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2019**

The House met at 10.18 a.m.

*[The Speaker (Hon. (Mrs.) Mwangangi) in the Chair]*

**PRAYERS**

**Hon. Speaker:** Good morning, Hon. Members.

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**  
**START OF THE THIRD SESSION OF THE SECOND ASSEMBLY**

**Hon. Speaker:** Hon. Members, under this Order I have the following communication; first is to welcome you all back to this Third Session of the Second Assembly.

*(Applause)*

We started by thanking God in appreciation of what He has done for us; two months is a long time and a lot of things have happened. Many people have become sick, others disabled, others are no longer with us in this world. Because of God's love and mercy is upon us, we are here and we have every reason to thank God foremost.

*(Applause)*

Hon. Members, Standing Order 24(1) provides that regular Sessions of the Assembly shall commence on the second Tuesday of February. Further Standing Order 27 states that 'unless the Speaker, for the convenience of the House otherwise directs, the House shall meet at 10.00 a.m. and at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays; morning and afternoon sittings.'

Hon. Members, pursuant to the provisions, the Assembly resumes the Third Session today 12th February, 2019 at 10.00 a.m. hence this sitting.

Hon. Members, you also recall that this Assembly, last year on 13th February, 2018 held an Assembly Prayer Day and it was felt that every beginning of a session we need to start with a prayer so that we dedicate ourselves to the Lord for guiding us which we need in the service to the people.

For that reason, today being the beginning of another session, we will have the Assembly Annual Prayer Day after this and it is supposed to start at 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and then in the afternoon at 2.30 p.m. we will have the sitting of the House.

In view of this Hon. Members and pursuant to Standing Order 1, I will adjourn the sitting this time so that we resume the sitting of the Assembly at 2.30 p.m. today 12th February, 2019 so that the members can attend the Annual County Assembly Prayers which are going to be held within the Assembly precincts.

### ADJOURNMENT

**Hon. Speaker:** Hon. Members, consequently, the sitting is adjourned to 2.30 p.m. today 12th February, 2019. Thank you, Hon. Members.

The House rose at 10.23 a.m.