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(The House met at 2.37 P.m.)

[The Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai) in the Chair]

PRAYERS

Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai): Good afternoon Hon. Members and welcome to this afternoon session. I think it is around 2.37 p.m. Clerk, Order of Business!

Next!

QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai): I think that we have one statement from the Committee on Labour and Governance. The Chairman Labour and Governance the Hon. Francis Terer, Member for Cheboin Ward!

Hon. Francis Terer (Member for Cheboin Ward): Thank you so much Hon. Speaker for giving me this opportunity to give a status report for the Joint Committee on Governance, Labour and Social Welfare and Justice and Legal Affairs concerning the Petition to the County Assembly of Kericho regarding the recent advertisement of recruitment for persons to various departments in the County Government by the County Public Service Board. Mr. Speaker, Sir. I wish to seek for more time because there are some issues that are still pending and we still need to meet with the County Public Service Board.

Mr. Speaker, Sir, the Joint Committee on Governance, Labour and Social Welfare and Justice and Legal Affairs observed as follows: one that there is a meeting between the County Public Service Board and the Joint Committee has been rescheduled to Tuesday 13th May 2025 and on the request by the County Public Service Board for the reasons that the County Public Service Board Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and the Chairperson are out of the country in Dubai and then number two, we require critical documents on the ongoing recruitment and the past advertisements on the vacant positions in various departments are with the County Public Service Board CEO.

Number three Mr. Speaker, Sir is that more time is required to cross-examine the petitioners as well as adduce evidence from the various stakeholders. So we request for more time so as to get more information on the petition raised by the petitioners. So we request for more days so that we can prepare a very comprehensive report on the same. So thank you so much Mr. Speaker, Sir.

Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai): Thank you so much the Chairman for Labour and Governance. I think it would be prudent if you would be specific on the time that you need for the purposes of record.

Hon. Francis Terer (Member for Cheboin Ward): Since we are yet to get more information, I request for an additional two weeks, time that I think will be enough for the joint committee to conclude this petition.

Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai): That is days. I hope that the Clerk has noted that and will inform the Clerk for the Committee on Labour and Governance that an additional 14 days have been granted to the committee. Thank you!

ADJOURNMENT

Temporary Deputy Speaker (Hon. Philip Mutai): Honourable Members, there being no other Business this House is adjourned until 13th of May 2025, that is, Tuesday at 9.30 a.m. Thank you!

[The House rose at 2.44 p.m.]