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KENYA NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
EIGHTH PARLIAMENT - FOURTH SESSION

**DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION,
RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY**

REPORT ON

THE MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL, 2000

PREFACE

Mr. Speaker Sir,

On behalf of the Members of the Departmental Committee on Education, Research and Technology, I beg to present to the House the Report containing Recommendations and Minutes of the Committee on The Maseno University Bill, 2000.

Mr. Speaker,

This Departmental Committee was appointed pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No.151(1) and it comprises the following Members:-

1. The Hon. Owino Acholla, M.P. - **(Chairman)**
2. The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.
3. The Hon. Mrs. Tabitha J. Seii, M.P.
4. The Hon. John B. Munyasia, M.P.
5. The Hon. Jonesmus M. Kikuyu, M.P.
6. The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
7. The Hon. Mrs. G.M. Mwewa, M.P.
8. The Hon. Justin B.N. Muturi, M.P.
9. The Hon. Kipruto arap Kirwa, M.P.
10. The Hon. K.M. Sang', M.P.
11. The Hon. Ramadham Kajembe, M.P.

Mr. Speaker Sir,

Let me begin by sincerely thanking the members of the Committee for their cooperation and dedication in pursuing the objectives for which the Committee was established and making the production of this Report possible.

Mr. Speaker Sir,

The terms of reference for this Committee are set out in Standing Order No.151(4) which states that the Committee is supposed to:-

- (a) Investigate, inquire into and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management, activities, administration, operations and estimates of the assigned ministries and departments;
- (b) Study the programme and policy objectives of the Ministries and departments and the effectiveness for the implementation;
- (c) Study and review all legislation after First Reading subject to the exemptions under Standing Order 101A(4);
- (d) Study, assess and analyse the relative success of the Ministries and departments as measured by the results obtained as compared with its stated objectives;

- (e) Investigate and inquire into all matters relating to the assigned Ministries and departments as they may deem necessary and as may be referred to them by the House or a Minister; and
- (f) Make reports and recommendations to the House as often as possible including recommendation of proposed legislation.

Mr. Speaker the Committee held a total of seven sittings during which time the members went through the Maseno University Bill, 2000 clause by clause.

The Minister for Education, Research and Technology appeared before the Committee accompanied by members of his Ministry and the administration of Maseno University.

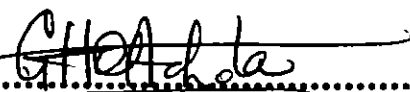
I wish to thank the Minister for the able manner in which he responded to all questions put to him by the Committee.

I also wish to express our appreciation for the invaluable information the Committee received from the following:-

Professor William Ochieng	-	Permanent Secretary, Policy Analysis and Research, Office of the President
Professor Francis Gichaga	-	Vice-Chancellor, University of Nairobi
Ms Kavetsa Adagala	-	Lecturer, University of Nairobi
Mr. Humphrey Ojwang'	-	Research Fellow, Institute of African Studies, University of Nairobi

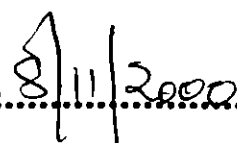
My gratitude also goes to the office of the Clerk whose officers made the production of this report possible.

The Minutes of the sittings of the Committee as well as the Committee's proposed amendments to the Bill are included for ease of reference.

Signed.....

HON. OWINO ACHOLLA, M.P.
(CHAIRMAN)

**DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION RESEARCH &
TECHNOLOGY**

Date:.....

COMMITTEE'S PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

- Clause 2** - That Clause 2(1) be amended by inserting the following new definitions immediately after the definition of Vice Chancellor.
- Academic Staff Union means a union of academic staff recognized by the Council and registered under the Trade Unions Act.
- "College"** means a College established within the University under Section 6(1).
- "Head of Department"** means head of a teaching department appointed by the University under the regulations.
- "Dean"** means the dean of a faculty elected by academic members of the faculty or Institute in accordance with the regulations.
- "Professor"** means a professor of the University and includes an associate professor.
- Clause 4 & 5** - Agreed to
- Clause 6** - That Clause 6 be amended by deleting sub-clause (2).
- Clause 7** - Agreed to
- Clause 9** - That Clause 9(c) be amended by appending letter '**S**' after the word **"Chancellor"**.
- Clause 10** - Agreed to
- Clause 11** - That Clause 11 be amended by deleting sub-clause (3) and substituting thereof the following new sub-clause.
- (3)** The Vice-Chancellor shall hold office for a period of five years, but shall be eligible for re-appointment for one further term.
- Clause 12** - That Clause 12 be amended
- (a) In sub-clause (1) by deleting the word **"three "** and substituting thereof the word **"two"**.
- (b) In sub-clause (1) by inserting the words **"from among the professors"** immediately after the words Deputy **"Vice-Chancellors"**.

- Clause 13** - Agreed to
- Clause 14** - That Clause 14 be amended
- (a) In sub-clause (1)(c) by appending 's' after the words **"Deputy Vice Chancellor"**.
 - (b) In sub-clause (1) (i), by deleting the word **President** and substituting thereof the word **"Chancellor"**
 - (c) In sub-clause (1) (k) by deleting the word **"four"** and substituting thereof the word **"two"**.
 - (d) In sub-clause 1(L) by inserting the word **"union"** immediately after the word **"staff"**.
 - (e) In sub-clause (1)(o) by deleting the word **"two"** and substituting thereof the word **"one"**.
- Clause 15** - That Clause 15 be amended in sub-clause (2)(g) by deleting the symbol (,) appearing in the sub-clause.
- Clause 16,17** - Agreed to
- Clause 18** - That Clause 18 be amended
- (a) In sub-clause 3(b) by deleting the symbol (.) and substituting in place thereof with the symbol (;) followed by the word **"or"**
 - (b) by introducing a new sub-clause (c) as follows

In case of an academic member of staff upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed on between the Council and the Union from time to time.
- Clause 19** - That Clause 19 be amended in sub-clause (3) by inserting the words **"in consultation with the council"** immediately after the word **"appoint"**.
- Clause 20-24-** Agreed to
- Clause 25** - That Clause 25 be renumbered Clause 26 and a new Clause 25 be introduced to read as follows:-
- Clause 25** - There shall be an academic staff union which Union shall comprise of academic staff of the University as provided for in

Clause 18(1)

Clause 26 - That Clause 26 as renumbered be amended as follows:-

In sub-clause (1)(f) by inserting the word "**qualifications**" immediately before the word "**appointment**", appearing on the second line.

**MINUTES OF THE TWENTY NINTH SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN
COMMITTEE ROOM SECOND FLOOR, COUNTY HALL ON THURSDAY 20TH
APRIL 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.**

PRESENT: The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.

ABSENT: The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. K.A. Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Jonesmus Kikuyu, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.
The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Seli, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kajembe, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE: **NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Mrs. C.W. Munga - Clerk Assistant

MINUTE 108/2000 **CONFIRMATION OF THE PREVIOUS MINUTES**

The Minutes of the 25th and 26th Sitzings of the Committee were confirmed by the Members present and signed by the Chairman.

MINUTE 109/2000 **CONSIDERATION OF THE MASENO UNIVERSITY
BILL, 2000**

The Members considered the Memorandum of Objects and Reasons of the Bill. Apart from the word fledged (appearing on the fourth line of the first sentence) which was misspelt, the Members agreed with the Memorandum.

The Committee deliberated on the Bill and proposed the following.

PART 1 - PRELIMINARY

Clause 1 - Agreed to

Clause 2 - The Committee proposed that Clause two be amended as follows:-

- (i) By deleting the definition of the words **"Vice-Chancellor"** appearing at the end of sub-clause (i) and inserting the said definition immediately after the definition of the word **"Dean"** appearing on the **"third"** and **"fourth"** lines of Page 3.
- (ii) That the words Associate Professor appearing at the end of Page 3 should be defined.

The Committee also resolved that the Minister for Education should appear before it and explain the circumstances under which a person would qualify to be referred to as a University student.

MINUTE 110/2000

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the Chairman adjourned the meeting.

CONFIRMED:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

**MINUTES OF THE THIRTIETH SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN
COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 7 (PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS) ON WEDNESDAY
26TH APRIL 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.**

PRESENT: The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.

ABSENT: The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. K.A. Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Jonesmus Kikuyu, M.P.
The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Seii, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kajembe, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE: **NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

Ms P.M. Mirungu - Clerk Assistant

MINUTE 111/2000 **CONSIDERATION OF MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL,
2000**

The Members deliberated on the Bill and recommended that the University Act Cap 210B be amended by updating it to include Maseno University and other universities established after 1986. The Members further agreed on the following:-

Clause 2 - agreed to

Clause 4(2) to be amended by deleting the word 'sex' appearing in the sub-clause

Clauses 5-9 agreed to

Clause 10(1) To be deleted

(2) To be deleted

10(5) To be amended in sub-clause (5) by deleting the words "or any person authorised by him in that behalf".

Clause 11	Agreed to
Clause 12	The Minister to explain the need for 3 Vice Chancellors.
Clause 13(1)	To be amended by including Deputy Principal and the duties assigned to him.
Clause 14(1)	(c) To append 's' after the word chancellor (j) To be deleted (l) To be amended by adding the word 'union' after the word academic. (n) delete 'from among themselves and substitute with union at the end of the sub-clause. (3) (e) To be amended by deleting 'three' appearing in the sub-clause and substitute with six in place thereof.
Clause 15 (2) (g)	delete the Symbol (,) appearing in the sub-clause.
Clause 16 1 (i)	The Minister to explain the need for co-opting more professors.
	(2) The Minister to explain the need for the posts of both the Registrar and the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (academic).
Clause 17 (1)	The Minister to explain the need for such other members as may be prescribed by the Regulations.
Clause 18	Agreed to
Clause 19	The Minister to explain how the Vice-Chancellor will appoint his deputy when in clause 12(1) the powers lie with the Council in consultation with the Chancellor.

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| Clause 20 | Agreed to |
| Clause 21 (2) | To be amended by inserting the following words at the end of the sub-clause, subject to the approval of the Treasury. |
| Clause 22-23 | Agreed to |
| Clause 25 (i) | To be amended by inserting the word qualifications appearing immediately after the word appointment appearing on the second line. |
| | The clause to be amended further by introducing a sub-clause making provision for a Union for the members of academic staff and other staff and that Union(s) be represented in the Senate and university council, respectively. |

MINUTE 112/2000

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Members deliberated on the Committee Programme and agreed on the following:-

- (i) That discussions on Taru Secondary School be postponed until discussions on the Bill before the Committee are finalized.
- (ii) That the various stakeholders be summoned to brief the Committee on Friday 28th April 2000 at 10.00 a.m.
 - Ms Kavetsa Adagala Chairperson, UASU and the Secretary Mr. Onyango.
 - Prof. William Ochieng, Permanent Secretary Policy Analysis and Research, Office of the President
 - Professor Gichaga, Vice Chancellor, University of Nairobi.
- (iii) That the Minister be summoned to appear on Thursday 4th May, 2000 at 10.00 a.m. with his team.

MINUTE 113/2000

DATE FOR THE NEXT SITTING

It was agreed that the next sitting be held on Friday 28th April, 2000 at 10.00 a.m.

MINUTE 114/2000

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the Chairman adjourned the meeting.

CONFIRMED:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY FIRST SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 7 (PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS) ON WEDNESDAY 28TH APRIL, 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.

PRESENT:

The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.

ABSENT:

The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. Kipruto arap Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Seil, M.P.
The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.
The Hon. Jonesmus Kikuyu, M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kajembe, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Ms P. Mirungu - Clerk Assistant

MINUTE 115/2000

CONSIDERATION OF THE MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL, 2000

Ms Kavetsa Adagala, a Lecturer in the Department of Literature and Mr. Humphrey Ojwang of the Institute of African Studies in the University of Nairobi appeared before the Committee and highlighted various issues on the Bill.

General Remarks

The Committee was informed as follows:-

- (1) That there was need for the Bill to provide a less top heavy University with the main focus on academic matters. This is in line with liberalization whereby stakeholders - students, lecturers and administrators- all have to be seen to participate in decision making in the Universities.

In light of the above, such posts as Dean ought to be elective posts since they are non-academic;

- (ii) There is need for more empowerment of the academic staff which the Bill has had no mention of.

The Committee requested a written submission from the witnesses who further undertook to provide a copy of the Academic freedom document for perusal by the Committee.

MINUTE 116/2000

DATE FOR THE NEXT SITTING

It was agreed that the next sitting be held on Tuesday 2nd May, 2000 at 10.00 a.m.

MINUTE 117/2000

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the Chairman adjourned the meeting.

CONFIRMED:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY SECOND SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 7 (PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS) ON TUESDAY 02 MAY, 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.

PRESENT:

The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY:

The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.

ABSENT:

The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. Kipruto arap Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Sell, M.P.
The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.
The Hon. Jonesmus Kikuyu, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kalembe, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Ms P. Mirunga - Clerk Assistant

MINUTE 118/2000

UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

Prof. Francis Gichaga - Vice Chancellor

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Prof. William Ochieng' - Permanent Secretary

MINUTE 119/2000

CONSIDERATION OF THE MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL 2000

Professors Gichaga and Ochieng' discussed various issues to do with the Bill and suggested the following amendments:-

Clause 2 Dean Definition

To be amended by deleting "appointed" and replacing it with "elected".

To be amended by introducing the word **College** and defining it as follows:-

College - College established within the University pursuant to an order.

Clause 4(2) To be amended by inserting a proviso on affirmative action at the end of the Clause.

Clause 11(1) To be amended by inserting the following immediately after the word "council" **and who shall be the academic and administrative head of the University and shall have such powers and duties as may be provided by the regulations.**

(3) To be amended by deleting the words "upon such terms and for such period as may be provided by the Regulations" **and replace with the following "for a period of five years".**

Clause 12(1) To be amended by inserting the words '**from among Professors**' immediately after the word '**Vice-Chancellors**' appearing on the second line of the sub-clause.

(2) To be amended by deleting the words '**for one further term**' appearing at the end of the sub-clause.

Clause 16(1)(i) To be amended by inserting the word "**full**" immediately before the word "**Professor**".

16(1)(j) To be amended by merging j and k.

To be amended by inserting the following immediately after the word examinations **"disciplinary and confidential matters"**;

To be amended further by deleting numeral (l) and renumbering it (k).

Clause 21(2) To be amended by inserting **"subject to approval by Treasury"** at the end of the sub-clause.

Clause 25(1)(f) To be amended by inserting the word **"qualifications"** immediately before the word **"appointment"**.

MINUTE 120/2000

DATE FOR THE NEXT SITTING

It was agreed that the next Sitting be held on Wednesday 03 May, 2000 at 4.30 p.m.

MINUTE 121/2000

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the Chairman adjourned the meeting.

CONFIRMED:

DATE:

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY THIRD SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 7 ON WEDNESDAY 3RD MAY, 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.

PRESENT:

The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kajembe, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY:

The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.

ABSENT:

The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. Kipruto arap Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Seii, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Ms P. Mirungu - Clerk Assistant

MINUTE NC.122/2000

CONSIDERATION OF THE MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL, 2000

The Members considered the various amendments proposed by stakeholders and agreed as follows.

Clause 2 (1) To be amended by inserting the following definition:

Academic Staff Union means a Union of academic staff recognised by the Council and registered under the Trade Unions Act.

'College' means a College established within the University pursuant to an order.

'Head of Department' means head of a teaching department elected by academic staff under regulations.

To be amended further in the definitions as follows:-

Clause 2 Dean - Definition to be amended by deleting **appointed** and inserting in place thereof **elected by academic members of the faculty or institute.**

Institute - definition to be amended by deleting words an 'Institute' and inserting the words **a research department in place thereof.**

Clause 3 - Agreed to

Clause 4(2) The Minister to explain how affirmative action would be dealt with in the admission of the disadvantaged students.

Clauses 5 and 6 The Minister to explain the difference between **constituent colleges , colleges within universities and campus college.**

Clauses 7 and 8 Agreed to

Clauses 9c To append 's' after the word Chancellor.

Clauses 10 Agreed to

Clause 11(1) To be amended by inserting the following immediately after the word 'council' **and who shall be the academic and administrative head of the University and shall have such powers and duties as may be provided by the regulations.**

(3) To be amended by deleting the words **'upon such terms and for such period as may be provided by the Regulations'**

and inserting the following **'for a period of five years'** in place thereof.

Clause 12(1)

To be amended by inserting the words **'from among Professors'** immediately after the word **'vice-chancellors'** appearing on the second line of the sub-clause.

- (2) To be amended by deleting the words **'for one further term'** appearing at the end of the sub-clause.

The Minister to explain the need for the University to have 3 vice-chancellors.

Clause 13(1)

To be amended by including ~~Deputy Principal and the duties assigned to the post and how he is appointed.~~

Clause 14(1)

To append "s" after the word Chancellor (i) To be amended by inserting the word academic

- (j) To be amended by deleting **'from among themselves'** and inserting the word **union** at the end of the sub-clause.

- (n) To be amended by deleting **'from among themselves'** and inserting **union** at the end of the sub-clause

- (3) (e) To be amended by deleting the word **'three'** and inserting **'six'** in place thereof.

Clause 15 (2) (g) Delete the Symbol (,) appearing in the sub-clause.

Clause 16(1) (i) The Minister to explain the need for co-opting more professors in the senate.

(2) The Minister to explain the need for the post of the Registrar and the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (academic).

Clause 17(1) The Minister to explain the need for such other members as may be prescribed by the Regulations.

Clause 18 Agreed to

Clause 19 (3) The Minister to explain how the Vice-Chancellor will appoint his deputy when in Clause 12(1) the powers lie with the Council in consultation with the Chancellor.

Clause 20 Agreed to

Clause 21(2) To be amended by inserting the following words at the end of the sub-clause, subject to the approval of the Treasury.

Clause 22-24 Agreed to

Clause 25(i) To be amended by inserting the word **qualifications** immediately before the word **appointment**, appearing on the second line.

The Clause to be amended further by introducing a sub-clause making provision for a Union for the members of the academic staff and other staff and that the Union(s) be represented in the Senate and the University Council respectively.

MINUTE NO.123/2000

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

It was agreed that the next sitting be held on Thursday 25th May, 2000.

MINUTE NO.124/2000

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business the Chairman adjourned the meeting.

CONFIRMED:

SIGNATURE:

DATE.....

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY FOURTH SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM 1ST FLOOR, COUNTY HALL ON THURSDAY 22ND JUNE, 2000 AT 10.00 A.M.

PRESENT:

The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P. (**Ag. Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY:

The Hon. Owino Achola, M.P.
The Hon. P.K.M. Sang', M.P.
The Hon. Grace Mwewa, M.P.

ABSENT

The Hon. Cyrus Jirongo, M.P.
The Hon. Ramadhan Kajembe, M.P.
The Hon. Kipruto arap Kirwa, M.P.
The Hon. Tabitha Seii, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Mrs C.W. Munga - Clerk Assistant
Ms P. Mirungu - Clerk Assistant

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, RESEARCH & TECHNOLOGY

Hon. Kalonzo Musyoka - Minister for Education

Prof. Japheth Kiptoon - Permanent Secretary

Amb. P.K. Mathanjuki - Deputy Secretary

Mr. C.K. Thuku - Assistant Director of Education

Prof. David Serem - Ag. Principal Maseno University

Prof. Richard Musangi - Chairman of Council

Dr. Rachel Masaka - Vice-Chairman of Council

Prof. B.A. Ogot - Director, IRPS, Maseno University and Member of Council.

Prof. A.I. Luvai - Deputy Principal (Academic Affairs)

Prof. O. Obura - Deputy Principal Planning,
Development and Student Administration

Mr. Auma Kapere - University Registrar

MINUTE 125/2000

**CONSIDERATION OF THE MASENO UNIVERSITY
BILL, 2000**

Clause 2 - That Clause 2(1) be amended by inserting the following new definitions immediately after the definition of Vice-Chancellor.

"Staff Association" means an Association of the staff of the University recognised by the Council as being an Association representative of the staff of the University.

"College" means a College established within the University under Section 6(1).

"Head of Department" means head of a teaching department appointed by the University under the regulations.

"Dean" means the dean of a faculty elected by academic members of the faculty or Institute in accordance with the regulations.

"Professor" means a professor of the University and includes an associate professor.

Clause 6 - That Clause 6 be amended by deleting sub-clause (2).

Clause 9 - That Clause 9(c) be amended by appending letter 's' after the word **"Chancellor"**.

Clause 11 - That Clause 11 be amended by deleting sub-clause (3) and substituting thereof the following new sub-clause:-

- (3) The Vice-Chancellor shall hold office for a period of five years, but shall be eligible for re-appointment for one further term.

Clause 12 - That Clause 12 be amended

- (a) In sub-clause (1) by deleting the word "**three**" and substituting thereof the word "**two**".
- (b) In sub-clause (1) by inserting the words "**from among the professors**" immediately after the words Deputy "**Vice-Chancellors**".

Clause 14 - That Clause 14 be amended

- (a) In sub-clause (1) (k) by deleting the word "**four**" and substituting thereof the word "**two**".
- (b) In sub-clause (1)(L) by deleting the word "**two**" and substituting thereof the word "**one**".
- (c) In sub-clause (1)(o) by deleting the word "**two**" and substituting thereof the word "**one**".

Clause 19 - That Clause 19 be amended in sub-clause (3) by inserting the words "**in consultation with the council**" immediately after the word "**appoint**".

MINUTE NO.126/2000

ADJOURNMENT/DATE OF THE NEXT SITTING

There being no other business the Chairman adjourned the meeting until Friday 7th July, 2000.

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MINUTES OF THE FORTY FOURTH SITTING OF THE DEPARTMENTAL COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 9 ON TUESDAY 7TH NOVEMBER, 2000 AT 3.00 P.M.

PRESENT:

The following Members of Committee were present:-

The Hon. Owino Acholla, M.P. (**Chairman**)
The Hon. John Munyasia, M.P.
The Hon. Justin Muturi, M.P.
The Hon. Matu Wamae, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Ms Phyllis Mirungu - Clerk Assistant

MIN. NO.172/2000

ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE REPORT ON MASENO UNIVERSITY BILL, 2000

The Committee adopted the report with amendments to clauses 18 and 25 as follows:-

Clause 18 - That Clause 18 be amended

- (a) In sub-clause 3(b) by deleting the symbol (.) and substituting in place thereof with the symbol (;) followed by the word "**or**".
- (b) by introducing a new sub-clause (c)

18 (c) In the case of an academic member of staff upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed on between the council and the union from time to time.

Clause 25 - That Clause 25 be renumbered Clause 26 and a new Clause 25 be introduced to read as follows:-

Clause 25 - There shall be an academic staff union which Union shall comprise of academic staff of the University as provided for in Clause 18(1)

Clause 26 - That Clause 26 as renumbered be amended as follows:-

In sub-clause (1)(f) by inserting the word **'qualifications'** immediately before the word **"appointment"**, appearing on the second line.

MIN. NO.173/2000 **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no other business, the Chairman adjourned the sitting.

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DATE:

