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PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE

REPORT ON-

CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC PETITION NO. 32 OF 2023 REGARDING THE
URGENT TARMACKING OF THE KIGANJO-MUGUTHA-GWAKAIRU LINK ROAD
IN JUJA AND RUIRU CONSTITUENCIES



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THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY PAPERS LAID	
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DAY: Wednesday	
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TABLED BY:	Hon. Muchangi Karemba chair, Public Petitions
CLERK-AT-TABLE:	Mado Miniam

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CHAIRPERSON'S FOREWORD

On behalf of the Public Petitions Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 227, it is my pleasant privilege and honour to present to this House the Report of the Committee on the Public Petition No. 32 of 2023 regarding the urgent tarmacking of the Kiganjo -Mugutha - GwaKairu Link Road in Juja and Ruiru Constituencies. The petition was presented to the House pursuant to Standing Order No. 225 (2) (b) by the Speaker on behalf of a consortium of petitioners from Juja and Ruiru Constituencies, led by Mr. Lewis Gichini.

The Committee considered the Petition and heard from the State Department for Roads that the matter was under the purview of Kiambu County Government.

The Committee recommends that the petitioner submits the matter to the Senate and the Kiambu County Government.

The Committee appreciates the Offices of the Speaker and Clerk of the National Assembly for providing guidance and necessary technical support without which its work would not have been possible. The Chairperson expresses gratitude to the Committee Members for their devotion and commitment to duty during the consideration of the Petition.

On behalf of the Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 199, I now wish to lay the Report on the Table of the House.

HON. MUCHANGI KAREMBA, CBS, M.P.

CHAIRPERSON, PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE

PART ONE

1. PREFACE

1.1 Establishment and mandate of the committee

1. The Public Petitions Committee is established under the provisions of Standing Order 208A with the following terms of reference:
 - a) considering all public petitions tabled in the House;
 - b) making such recommendations as may be appropriate with respect to the prayers sought in the petitions;
 - c) recommending whether the findings arising from consideration of a petition should be debated; and
 - d) advising the House and reporting on all public petitions committed to it.

1.2 Committee Membership

2. The Public Petitions Committee was constituted in October 2022 and comprises the following Members:

Chairperson

Hon. Muchangi Karemba, CBS, M.P.
Runyenjes Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Vice Chairperson

Hon. Janet Jepkemboi Sitienei, M.P.
Turbo Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Patrick Makau King'ola, M.P.
Mavoko Constituency

**Wiper Democratic Movement-Kenya
(WDM-K)**

Hon. Edith Vethi Nyenze, M.P.
Kitui West Constituency

**Wiper Democratic Movement-Kenya (WDM-
K)**

Hon. Ntwiga Patrick Munene, M.P.
Chuka Igambang'ombe Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Maisori Marwa Kitayama, M.P.
Kuria East Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Joshua Chepyegon Kandie, M.P.
Baringo Central Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, M.P.
Dagoretti North Constituency

Orange Democratic Movement (ODM)

Hon. Bernard Muriuki Nebart, M.P.
Mbeere South Constituency

Independent

Hon. Biego Paul Kibichy, M.P.
Chesumei

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, M.P.
Kangema Constituency

Maendeleo Chap Chap Party (MCCP)

Hon. John Bwire Okano, M.P.
Taveta Constituency

**Wiper Democratic Movement-Kenya (WDM-
K)**

Hon. Peter Mbogho Shake, M.P.
Mwatate Constituency

Jubilee Party (JP)

Hon. Sloya Clement Logova, M.P.
Sabatia Constituency

United Democratic Alliance (UDA)

Hon. Suzanne Ndunge Kiamba, M.P.
Makueni Constituency

**Wiper Democratic Movement-Kenya
(WDM-K)**

1.3 Committee Secretariat

3. The Public Petitions Committee is facilitated by the following members of the secretariat:

Lead Clerk
Mr. Victor Weke
Principal Clerk Assistant II

Ms. Miriam Modo
First Clerk Assistant

Mr. Benard Toroitich
Third Clerk Assistant

Ms. Kafuyai Wamae
Third Clerk Assistant

Mr. Clinton Sindiga
Legal Counsel II

Ms. Nancy Akinyi
Research Officer III

Mr. Arkan Mumin
Research Officer III

Ms. Roselyne Njuki
Principal Serjeant-at-Arms

Mr. Paul Shana
Serjeant-at-Arms

Mr. Pascal Valerian
Hansard Officer III

Mr. Collins Mahamba
Audio Officer III

Ms. Felistus Muiya
Public Communication Officer

Mr. Calvin Karungo
Media Relations Officer III

PART TWO

2. BACKGROUND OF THE PETITION

2.1 Introduction

4. Public Petition No. 32 of 2023 regarding the urgent tarmacking of the Kiganjo -Mugutha - GwaKairu Link Road in Juja and Ruiru Constituencies was presented to the House on 13th June, 2023 by the Speaker of the National Assembly on behalf of a consortium of petitioners from Juja and Ruiru Constituencies, led by Mr. Lewis Gichini.
5. The Petitioners comprise management, employees, students, and stakeholders' stakeholders of the Nairobi Institute of Business Studies, Rexol-Mart Supermarket, Sahara Ridge Estate, Kimbo Nebz Village, Wembley Queen Gardens, Rays Gardens, Spur Mall, Lizzie Wanyoike Preparatory School, the G.S.U Recce Office in Ruiru, and St. Thomas Catholic Church.
6. The Petitioners decried the sorry state of the Kiganjo-Mugutha-GwaKairu Link Road, which is a critical access road for business operators, students, pupils, homeowners, tenants, transporters, the general public as well as the G.S.U. Recce squad that utilizes it for emergency movements and operations in the area.
7. The Petitioners averred that they have regularly teamed up to upgrade the one-and-a-half-kilometre road to murrum status at their own costs, but these short-term interventions are always proven futile during rainy seasons and additionally on account of the massive traffic that wears off the link road.
8. The Petitioners were additionally concerned about perennial health hazards caused by dust emanating from the road that makes over 15,000 students and residents vulnerable to health complications.

2.2 Petitioners' prayer

9. The Petitioners prayed that the National Assembly through the Public Petitions Committee;
 - i. To facilitate the tarmacking/ upgrading to bitumen standards of the Kiganjo-Mugutha-GwaKairu Link Road inclusive of the Railways/ Thika Superhighway underpass that borders Kenyatta University's Ruiru Campus in order to create an alternative access to and exit from the Superhighway in light of the perennial heavy traffic jams at the Ruiru Kimbo underpass.

PART THREE

3. STAKEHOLDERS' SUBMISSIONS

3.1 The Petitioner

The Director, NIBS Technical College, Mr. Alan Jenga Njenga, appeared before the Committee on Thursday 30th September, 2025 and submitted additional information regarding the petition as follows -

10. He highlighted the poor state of the road linking the Thika Superhighway to Mugutha, noting that during rainy seasons, two dams overflow and flood the lowest points of the road, severely affecting access for over 6,000 students and local traffic. He explained that students rely on the deteriorated road to access the college, which poses safety risks during drop-off and pick-up times. The recent construction of a church in the area has increased traffic volumes, further exacerbating the road's condition.
11. Despite concerted efforts by the institution, the local community, and religious groups such as CITAM Church to patch potholes and improve drainage through the construction of culverts, the heavy usage of the road has rendered these maintenance efforts unsustainable.
12. The petitioner further highlighted that political disputes between the local Member of Parliament and the Governor of Nairobi were identified as key obstacles hindering progress on road maintenance. The Petitioner reported stalled government support, citing a breakdown in cooperation that has affected the delivery of road works

3.2 Ministry of Roads and Transport State Department of Roads

The Ministry of Roads and Transport through the State Department of Roads vide a letter NA/DAA&GPC/PPC/2025/028 dated 6th September, 2025 submitted as follows –

13. The Ministry acknowledged the petitioners' concerns, agreeing that the road serves as a critical link to various public and private amenities, it clarified that the road in question is unclassified and therefore falls under the jurisdiction of the County Government of Kiambu. As a result, the Ministry stated that it lacks the authority to directly address the matter.

PART FOUR

4. COMMITTEE OBSERVATIONS

Upon hearing from the Petitioner and other stakeholders, the Committee observed that—

14. The Kiganjo-Mugutha-Gwakairu Link Road is unclassified and therefore falls under the jurisdiction of the County Government of Kiambu.
15. That despite a formal request for written submissions issued to the Kiambu County Government on 13th February 2026, through a letter referenced NA/DAA&GPC/PPC/2026/018, the County Government did not respond.

PART FIVE

5. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

16. The Committee recommends that –

Prayer 1: To facilitate the tarmacking/ upgrading to bitumen standards of the Kiganjo – Mugutha - GwaKairu Link Road inclusive of the Railways/ Thika Superhighway underpass that borders Kenyatta University’s Ruiru Campus in order to create an alternative access to and exit from the Superhighway in light of the perennial heavy traffic jams at the Ruiru Kimbo underpass. **The Committee recommends that the petitioner refers the matter to the Senate and the Kiambu County Government.**

Signed: _____



Date: _____

01/04/2026

HON. MUCHANGI KAREMBA, CBS, M.P.

CHAIRPERSON, PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE

ANNEXURES

- Annex 1: The Adoption List
- Annex 2: Public Petition No. 32 of 2023 regarding the urgent tarmacking of the Kiganjo -Mugutha - GwaKairu Link Road.
- Annex 3: Minutes of proceedings



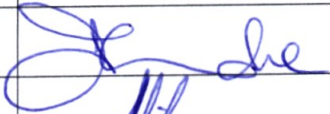

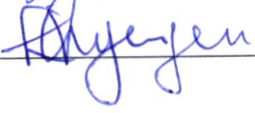
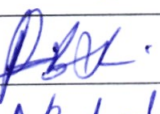
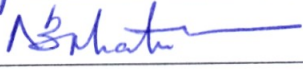


PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE

ADOPTION LIST

(i) **Consideration and adoption of the Report on Public Petition No. 32 of 2023 by Mr. Lewis Gichini on tarmacking of Kiganjo-Mugutha- Gwakairu link road**

We, the undersigned, hereby affix our signatures to this Report to affirm our approval:

DATE: 17/3/2026

	HON. MEMBER	SIGNATURE
1.	Hon. Muchangi Karemba, CBS, M.P. (Chairperson)	
2.	Hon. Janet Jepkemboi Sitienei, CBS, M.P. (Vice Chairperson)	
3.	Hon. Patrick Makau King'ola, M.P.	
4.	Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, CBS, M.P.	
5.	Hon. Joshua Chepyegon Kandie, M.P.	
6.	Hon. Maisori Marwa Kitayama, M.P.	
7.	Hon. Edith Vethi Nyenze, M.P.	
8.	Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.	
9.	Hon. Paul Biego Kibichy, M.P.	
10.	Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Muriuki Nebart, M.P.	
11.	Hon. Peter Mbogho Shake, M.P.	
12.	Hon. Suzanne Ndunge Kiamba, M.P.	
13.	Hon. John Bwire Okano, M.P.	
14.	Hon. Sloya Clement Logova, M.P.	
15.	Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, M.P.	



ANNEX (1)

REPUBLIC OF KENYA
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (SECOND SESSION)

CONVEYANCE OF PUBLIC PETITION


(No. 32 of 2023)

REGARDING TARMACKING OF KIGANJO-MUGUTHA-GWAKAIRU
LINK ROAD

- 1. Honourable Members,** Article 119 of the Constitution accords any person the right to petition Parliament to consider any matter within its authority. Further, Standing Order 225(2)(b) requires the Speaker to report to the House any Petition other than those presented by a Member.
- 2.** In this regard, **Honourable Members,** I wish to report to the House that my office has received a petition from a consortium of petitioners from Juja and Ruiru Constituencies, calling for *urgent tarmacking of the Kiganjo-Mugutha-GwaKairu Link Road that traverses the two constituencies.*
- 3. Honourable Members,** the Petitioners are composed of the management, employees, students and stakeholders of the Nairobi Institute of Business Studies, Rexol-Mart Supermarket, Sahara Ridge Estate, Kimbo Nebz Village, Wembley Queen Gardens, Rays Gardens, Spur Mall, Lizzie Wanyoike Preparatory School, the G.S.U Recce Office in Ruiru, and St. Thomas Catholic Church, petitioning through one Mr. Lewis Gichini of P.O. Box 4364 Nairobi.
- 4.** The Petitioners decry the sorry state of the Kiganjo-Mugutha-GwaKairu Link Road, which is a critical access road for business operators, transporters, the general public as well as the G.S.U. Recce Squad that utilizes it for emergency movements and operations in the area.

5. The Petitioners aver that they have regularly teamed up to upgrade the one-and-a-half kilometre road to murrum status at their own costs, but these short-term interventions are always proven futile during rainy seasons and additionally on account of the massive traffic that wears off the link road.
6. Additionally, the Petitioners are concerned about the perennial health hazards caused by dust emanating from the road that makes over 15,000 students and residents vulnerable to health complications.
7. **Honourable Members**, in light of these recurrent challenges, the Petitioners seek the urgent intervention of the National Assembly in facilitating the upgrading to bitumen standards of the Kiganjo-Mugutha-GwaKairu Link Road inclusive of the Railways and Thika Superhighway underpass that borders Kenyatta University's Ruiru Campus in order to create an alternative access to and exit from the Superhighway in light of the perennial heavy traffic jams at the Ruiru Kimbo underpass.
8. **Honourable Members**, having established that the matter raised in the Petition is well within the authority of this House; and further, that the matters raised in this Petition are not pending before any court of law, constitutional or legal body, I hereby commit the Petition to the Public Petitions Committee for consideration pursuant to Standing Order 208A.
9. The Committee is required to consider the Petition and report its findings to the House and to the Petitioner in accordance with Standing Order 227(2).

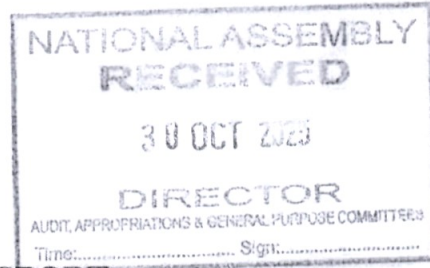
I thank you.


THE RT. HON. MOSES WETANG'ULA, EGH, MP
SPEAKER OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Date:

ANNEX(2)

(i) D/AAGPC
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STATE DEPARTMENT OF ROADS**

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Ref. No. MOR&T/R.24.04 /Vol.III (106)

Date: 28th September, 2025

Samuel Njoroge, CBS
Clerk of the National Assembly
P.O Box 41842-00100
NAIROBI

Dear *Clerk,*

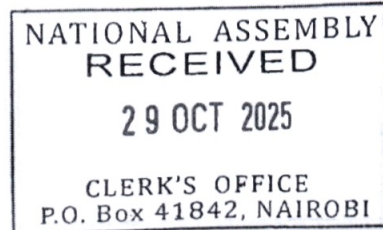
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Whereas we concur with the petitioners that the road provides a critical link to the listed public and private amenities, we wish to inform the House that the road, which is unclassified, falls under the jurisdiction of the County Government of Kiambu and as such we are not in a position to intervene directly in the matter as raised.

Yours *Sincerely,*
[Signature]

Eng. Joseph M. Mbugua, CBS,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY



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Please deal.
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Date: 28th September, 2025

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Clerk of the National Assembly
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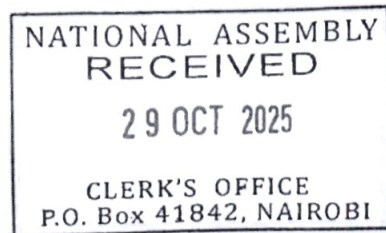
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Yours Sincerely,

**Eng. Joseph M. Mbugua, CBS,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY**



MINUTES OF THE 16TH SITTING OF THE PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON TUESDAY, 17TH MARCH, 2026 IN FRANGAPINI CONFERENCE ROOM, SERENA HOTEL, MOMBASA COUNTY AT 2.30 P.M.

PRESENT

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| 1. Hon. Eric Muchangi Karemba, CBS M.P. | - | Chairperson |
| 2. Hon. Janet Jepkemboi Sitienei, CBS, M.P. | - | Vice-Chairperson |
| 3. Hon. Joshua Chepyegon Kandie, M.P. | | |
| 4. Hon. Maisori Marwa Kitayama, M.P. | | |
| 5. Hon. Edith Vethi Nyenze, M.P. | | |
| 6. Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P. | | |
| 7. Peter Mbogho Shake, M.P. | | |
| 8. Hon. Suzanne Ndunge Kiamba, M.P. | | |
| 9. Hon. Paul Biego Kibichiy, M.P. | | |
| 10. Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, M.P. | | |
| 11. Hon. Sloya Clement Logova, M.P. | | |

APOLOGIES

1. Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, CBS, M.P.
2. Hon. Patrick Makau King'ola, M.P.
3. Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, CBS, M.P.
4. Hon. John Bwire Okano, M.P.

IN-ATTENDANCE

SECRETARIAT

- | | | |
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| 1. Mr. Victor Weke | - | Principal Clerk Assistant II |
| 2. Ms. Miriam Modo | - | Clerk Assistant I |
| 3. Mr. Bernard Toroitich | - | Clerk Assistant III |
| 4. Ms. Kafuyai Wamae | - | Clerk Assistant III |
| 5. Mr. Clinton Sindiga | - | Legal Counsel II |
| 6. Ms. Nancy Akinyi | - | Research Officer III |
| 7. Mr. Arkan Mumin | - | Research Officer III |
| 8. Mr. Collins Mahamba | - | Audio Officer |
| 9. Mr. Calvin Karungo | - | Media Relations Officer III |
| 10. Ms. Felistas Muiya | - | Public Communications Officer |
| 11. Mr. Paul Shana | - | Serjeant at Arm |

MIN./PPC/2026/084:

PRELIMINARIES

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 2:30 pm and said a word of prayer.

MIN./PPC/2026/085:

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The proposed agenda was adopted having been proposed by Hon. Hon. Suzanne Ndunge Kiamba, M.P and seconded by, Hon. Maisori Marwa Kitayama, M.P

AGENDA

1. Prayer and Preliminaries
2. Adoption of the Agenda

3. Confirmation of previous Minutes
4. Matters Arising
5. **Consideration and adoption of the following Public Petition Reports:**
 - i. P/No.32/2023 regarding tarmacking of Kiganjo-Mugutha-Gwakairu link road by Mr. Lewis Gichini;
 - ii. P/No.80/2023 regarding release of the free day secondary education capitation deficit for the academic year 2019 and Financial Years 2020/2021 to 2022/2023 by the National Treasury; and
 - iii. P/No.35/2023 regarding the compensation for compulsorily acquired land properties along Kibwezi-Kitui Road by Mr. Ibrahim Nthitu Makwattah.
6. Any Other Business
7. Adjournment.

MIN./PPC/2026/086: CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

This agenda item was deferred to the next sitting.

MIN./PPC/2026/087: CONSIDERATION AND ADOPTION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

1. **P/No.32/2023 regarding tarmacking of Kiganjo-Mugutha-Gwakairu link road by Mr. Lewis Gichini**

The Committee considered the draft report and it recommended that the petitioner refers the matter to the Senate and the Kiambu County Government.

2. **P/No.80/2023 regarding release of the free day secondary education capitation deficit for the academic year 2019 and Financial Years 2020/2021 to 2022/2023 by the National Treasury**

The committee recommended that the Ministry of Education ensures all students are registered on NEMIS to reduce the mismatch between the number of students in the system and the actual number of students enrolled.

3. **P/No.35/2023 regarding the compensation for compulsorily acquired land properties along Kibwezi-Kitui Road by Mr. Ibrahim Nthitu Makwattah**

The Committee considered the draft report and recommended that the Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development in collaboration with the National Land Commission and the County Government of Lamu initiates within three months of adoption of the reports the process of survey, demarcation and registration of the land on which three four Aweer Villages are situated as a community land under Article 63 of the Constitution.

Adoption

The Committee unanimously adopted the following reports having been proposed by Hon. Paul Biego, M.P and seconded by Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, M.P:

- i. P/No.32/2023 regarding tarmacking of Kiganjo-Mugutha-Gwakairu link road by Mr. Lewis Gichini;

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- iii. P/No.35/2023 regarding the compensation for compulsorily acquired land properties along Kibwezi-Kitui Road by Mr. Ibrahim Nthitu Makwattah.

MIN./PPC/2026/088: ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Sign:
HON. MUCHANGI KAREMBA, CBS, M.P.
CHAIRPERSON, PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE

Date **01/04/2026**

to the National Security Council, the Department of Justice, and the Department of State. The information was obtained from a confidential source who has provided reliable information in the past.

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REPUBLIC OF KENYA
THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MINUTES OF THE 37TH SITTING OF THE PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2025, IN ROOM 12, 2ND FLOOR BUNGE TOWER, PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS AT 11:30 AM

PRESENT

1. Hon. Eric Muchangi Karemba, M.P. Chairperson
2. Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, CBS, M.P.
3. Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.
4. Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P.
5. Hon. Joshua Chepyegon Kandie, M.P.
6. Hon. Peter Irungu Kihungi, M.P.
7. Hon. Peter Mbogho Shake, M.P.

APOLOGIES

1. Hon. Janet Jepkemboi Sitienei, CBS, M.P. Vice-Chairperson
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3. Hon. Maisori Marwa Kitayama, M.P.
4. Hon. Patrick Makau King'ola, M.P.
5. Hon. Bidu Mohamed Tubi, M.P.
6. Hon. Sloya Clement Logova, M.P.
7. Hon. John Bwire Okano, M.P.

IN ATTENDANCE

1. Mr. Allan Njenga – Director NIBS College/ Petitioner

SECRETARIAT

1. Mr. Leonard Machira Principal Clerk Assistant II
2. Mr. Bernard Toroitich Clerk Assistant III

3. Mr. Clinton Sindiga	Legal Counsel II
4. Ms. Nancy Akinyi	Research Officer III
5. Mr. Arkan Mumin	Research Officer III
6. Ms. Roselyn Ndengi	Senior Serjeant at Arms I
7. Mr. Calvin Karungo	Media Relations Officer III
8. Ms. Felister Muiya	Public Communications Officer
9. Mr. Peter Mutethia	Audio Officer

MIN./PPC/2025/186: PRELIMINARIES

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 11:50pm followed with a word of Prayer.

MIN./PPC/2025/187: ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The Committee then adopted the agenda as listed hereunder on the proposed by Hon. Peter Kihungi, M.P and Seconded by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P.

AGENDA

1. Prayer & Preliminaries;
2. Adoption of the Agenda;
3. Confirmation of the previous minutes (22nd – 35th sittings);
4. Matters Arising;
5. **Meeting with Petitioner on Public Petition P /No. 32 of 2023 by Mr Lewis Gichini regarding the tarmacking of Kiganjo Mugutha Gwakairu Link Road**
6. Any Other Business; and
7. Adjournment

MIN./PPC/2025/188: CONFIRMATION OF THE PREVIOUS MINUTES OF 22ND TO 35TH SITTING

- i. The minutes of the 27th Sitting held on Wednesday, 6th August, 2025 at 03:00 p.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P and seconded by Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, M.P.
- ii. The minutes of the 28th Sitting held on Tuesday (morning sitting), 16th September, 2025 at 10:00a.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed

by Hon. Beatrice Kadeveresia Elachi, M.P., and seconded by Hon (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki M.P.

- iii. The minutes of the 29th Sitting held on Tuesday (afternoon sitting), 16th September 2025 at 02:00 p.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P., and seconded by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.
- iv. The minutes of the 30th Sitting held on Wednesday (morning sitting), 17th September 2025, at 10:00 a.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P. and seconded by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.
- v. The minutes of the 31st Sitting held on Wednesday (afternoon sitting), 17th September 2025 at 02:00 p.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P. and seconded by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.
- vi. The minutes of the 32nd Sitting held on Thursday (morning sitting), 18th September 2025 at 10:00 a.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P. and seconded by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P.
- vii. The minutes of the 33rd Sitting held on Thursday (afternoon sitting), 18th September 2025 at 02:00 p.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P. and seconded by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P.
- viii. The minutes of the 34th Sitting held on Tuesday, 23rd September 2025 at 11:30 p.m. were confirmed as the true record of the proceedings, having been proposed by Hon. (Eng.) Bernard Nebart Muriuki, M.P. and seconded by Hon. Patrick Ntwiga Munene, M.P.

MIN./PPC/2025/188: MEETING WITH PETITIONER ON PUBLIC PETITION P /NO. 32 OF 2023 BY MR LEWIS GICHINI REGARDING THE TARMACKING OF KIGANJO MUGUTHA GWAKAIRU LINK ROAD

Mr. Alan Jenga Njenga, director at NIBS Technical College, appeared before the Committee and submitted additional information regarding the petition as follows:

1. He highlighted the poor state of the road linking to Thika Super Highway and Mugutha, noting that during rains, two dams overflow and flood the lowest points, severely affecting access for over 6,000 students and local traffic.
2. He explained that the students rely on the deteriorated road to access the college, which poses a safety risk during drop-offs and pick-ups.
3. The recent construction of a church in the area has increased traffic, further stressing the road's condition.
4. Despite efforts by the institution, local community, and religious groups such as CITAM Church to patch potholes and improve drainage by building culverts, the road's heavy use has rendered maintenance unsustainable.
5. The petitioners further highlighted that the political disputes between the local Member of Parliament and the Governor of Nairobi were identified as key obstacles blocking progress in maintenance. The Petitioner reported stalled government support, citing a breakdown in cooperation affecting the delivery of road works.

Committee Observations

The Committee made the following observations:

1. The Members noted that the road in question connected to a major highway and needed to be improved to facilitate access for the residents. In this regard, the Committee resolved to seek the Ministry of Roads and Transport's submissions on the issues raised by the petitioners.
2. The Members observed that the petitioners had sought the intervention of the county government and relevant national government agencies since 2023 without success, underscoring the need for greater accountability from the relevant authorities. The Committee further acknowledged the commendable efforts by the community to maintain the road but emphasized the urgency of formal government intervention to provide a sustainable, long-term solution.

Committee Resolution

The Committee resolved to write to the Ministry of Roads and Transport to obtain the official classification of the petitioned road, to determine the responsible authority (e.g., KURA or KERRA) and to guide the Committee's response to the petitioners' prayers.

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PENDING BUSINESS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

The Committee was informed of the pending business before the Committee and approved the schedule of meetings as contained in the table below:

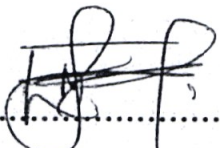
Date	Agenda	Stakeholder
Thursday 2 nd October, 2025	Mismanagement of Nandi Teachers Sacco and ownership of Mwalimu Plaza Building in Kapsabet Town, Nandi County – P/No. 20 of 2024	Meeting with the CEO SASRA
Tuesday 7 th October, 2025	The Failure of the Insurance Regulatory Authority to protect public transport operators on insurance claims - P/No. 17 of 2024	Insurance Regulatory Authority Matatu Owners' Association
Wednesday 8 th October, 2025	Delayed adjudication and settlement of squatters after the expiry of the lease of Macalder Mines Ltd Land – P/No. 04 of 2023	Cabinet Secretary Ministry of Environment , Climate Change and Forestry
Thursday 9 th October, 2025	Ineligible incurred but not reported (IBNR) claims of over Kenya shillings 21 billion, captured in the Financial Year ending 30 th June 2022 - P/No. 78 of 2023	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Health and the Chief Executive Officer Social Health Authority
Tuesday 14 th October, 2025	Recognition of the Chuka Community as a tribe in the Republic of Kenya -P/ No. 9 of 2025 Recognition Pare of people as a tribe in	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Interior and National Administration

	Kenya -P/No. 1/2025	
Thursday 16 th October, 2025	Discrimination by the Teachers Service Commission on career progression guidelines for Special Needs Education Teachers in Kenya - P/No. 76 of 2023	Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Public Service, Human Capital Development and Special Programmes
	Report Writing Retreat 27th Oct – 1st Nov, 2025	
Tuesday & Wednesday	During the retreat, a meeting with stakeholders	The Ministry of Lands The National Land Commission
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. P/No. 69 of 2023 - Resettlement of squatters in Koibem Village, Chepkumia Location, Nandi County. 2. P/No. 58 of 2023 - Amendment to the Estate Duty Act to entrench taxation equality; 3. P/No. 65 of 2023 - Enactment of proposed Geophysical Professionals bill 4. P/No. 75 of 2023 - Enactment of the Kenya Robotics and Artificial Intelligence Society Bill, 2023 5. P/No. 1 of 2024 - Enactment of legislation on the development of Irrigation Infrastructure 6. P/No. 76 of 2023 - Discrimination by the Teachers Service Commission on career progression guidelines for Special Needs Education Teachers in Kenya 	

Committee members deliberated and agreed as follows;

1. The Committee resolved to hold a retreat from 27th October to 1st November 2025 for report writing and to engage with the Cabinet Secretary for Lands and the National Land Commission to clear the backlog of petitions related to land matters.
2. The Committee further agreed that the venue of the retreat shall be a hotel in Machakos/Kiambu Counties.

The Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 01:15 p.m. The date of the next meeting will be on Tuesday 11th November, 2025 at 11:30 a.m.

Sign: Date..... 11/11/25.....

HON. MUCHANGI KAREMBA, CBS, M.P.
CHAIRPERSON, PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE