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[The Speaker (Hon. Mohamed Roba) in the Chair]

PRAYERS

Hon. Speaker: Order Clerk.

PAPERS LAID

Hon. Nicholas Lorot (Burat): Thank you, Honorable Speaker. I stand to lay the Papers. Honorable Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 183 of the County of Isiolo Standing Orders, I beg to lay on the table the report of the Select Committee investigating the proposed revocation of the appointment of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha, the Clerk of County Assembly of Isiolo.

(Paper laid)

Hon. Speaker: Next Order

NOTICES OF MOTION

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE PROPOSED
REVOCATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. SALAD BORU GURACHA,
CLERK OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

(BY HONORABLE NICHOLAS LOROT)

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Hon. Nicholas Lorot (Burat): Honorable Speaker, I beg to give Notice of Motion; that Pursuant to Section 23 (7) of the County Assembly Services Act 2017, This Assembly considers and approves the Report of the Select Committee investigating revocation of the appointment of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha, the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo.

Hon. Speaker: Next Order

MOTION

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE INVESTIGATING THE PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. SALAD BORU GURACHA, CLERK OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

(BY HONORABLE NICHOLAS LOROT)

Hon. Nicholas Lorot (Burat): Honorable Speaker, that pursuant to Section 23 (7) of the County Assembly Services Act 2017, this Assembly considers and approves the Report of Select Committee investigating the revocation of the appointment of the Mr. Salad Boru Guracha, the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo.

Hon. Speaker, the County Assemblies Service Board is established under Section 12 of the County Governments Act, 2012 and Part III of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017.

The powers and functions of the County Assembly Service Board are outlined under Section 12(2) and (7) of the County Governments Act, 2012 read together with Section 11 and 12 of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017.

Pursuant to the resolution of the Board in a meeting held on 15th July, 2025 and in accordance with the provisions of Section 22 of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017 as read together with Section 23 of the Act and other applicable Laws, the Board initiated the process for the removal of the Clerk from office on the grounds of: -

- I. Gross misconduct or misbehavior
- II. Incompetence and inaction

III. Violation of the Provisions of the Constitution and other Laws of Kenya

The Board through its letter dated 18th July, 2025 containing charges and its particulars, invited the Clerk, Salad Boru Guracha to appear before the Board, either in person or with an advocate on 25th July, 2025 at 10: 00 a.m to exculpate himself in line with the requirements of Section 23(1) of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017.

Hon. Speaker, Section 23(2) of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017 dictates that if the Clerk does not furnish reply to the charges within a specified period, or if in the opinion of the Board the Clerk fails to exculpate him or herself, the Board shall submit a Notice of Motion to the Speaker seeking that the County Assembly revokes the appointment of the Clerk.

Pursuant to Section 23(2) of CASA, 2017, a Notice of Motion seeking the County Assembly revokes the appointment of the Clerk was tabled before the County Assembly by Hon. Peter Losu Loyan on 29th July, 2025. Thereafter, the House approved a Motion recommending the constitution of a Select Committee of the Assembly constituting of Eleven Members to investigate the proposed removal from office of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha as the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo and report back to the House within Ten days.

Pursuant to the requirement of Section 23(6) of CASA, 2017, the Clerk was invited to appear or be represented before the Select Committee to respond to the charges vide letter ref: **CAI/SC/INV/07/004** dated 30th July, 2025. However, the Clerk did not appear or be represented before the Committee nor make any written responses within the specified timeline.

Hon. Speaker, due to the time limit provided in law to conclude this matter, the Committee held Four (4) sittings at the County Assembly precincts during which Members considered all the material evidence on this matter that culminated to this report. Minutes of the Committee's sittings and the submissions presented/reviewed are annexed to this report.

General Committee Findings

Upon evaluation of the evidence, the Committee finds that the Clerk engaged in conduct that constitutes gross misconduct or misbehavior; incompetence or inaction and Violation of the Provisions of the Constitution and other Laws of Kenya as follows:-

- a. The Clerk failed rendering of expert, non-partisan and impartial advise to the Members of the County Assembly on the Legislative process, and Parliamentary procedure and practice in accordance with Section 20(1) of CASA, 2017 resulting to procedural impropriety which exposed the Assembly to legal liability and bringing the integrity of the office into dispute during the Impeachment process of the Governor.
- b. The Clerk intentionally sabotaged the Impeachment process by failing to issue Notice of Public Participation within the legally set timelines and later issued Cancellation of Notice(s) of Public Participation on 17th June, 2025 and 20th June, 2025 without any lawful authority in breach of Section 20(3) of the CASA, 2017.
- c. The Clerk tendered documents procured illegally, fraudulently and unprocedurally purporting to legitimize the election of one Abdullahi Jaldesa Banticha as Speaker in breach of the Article 178 of the Constitution, Section 9A and 11 of the County Governments Act, 2012, Section 21(5) of the Elections Act, 2011 and Standing Order 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 of the County Assembly of Isiolo Standing Orders.
- d. The Clerk without lawful authority and due process reconstituted the County Assembly Service Board (CASB) and administered Oath of Office in blatant disregard for Procedure and Law as provided in Section 12(3)(c) and (5)(a) of County Governments Act (CGA), 2012.
- e. The Clerk intentionally and willingly failed to call for Management Committee meeting for One and half years to discharge their mandate as assigned under Section 28 and 29 of County Assembly Services Act (CASA), 2017 negating the effective and efficient discharge of the functions and powers of the Board under Sections 12 (2) and (7) of CGA, 2012 read together with Section 11 and 12 of CASA, 2017.
- f. The Clerk persistently delayed Monthly remittance to the Car Loan and Mortgage account while deducting the same through check-off system from beneficiaries' Monthly salary contrary to Regulation 12(2) of The Public

Finance Management (Isiolo County Assembly Car Loan and Mortgage Scheme Fund) Regulations, 2021 and expending illegitimate charges such as Salary advance, Ward office staff salary and Members Car Grant from the account contrary to Section 116(4), 147(a) and (d) of the PFMA, 2012.

- g. The Clerk used his office to secure unauthorized benefits to himself including assigning himself an official Motor Vehicle Registration No. 11CG029A while withholding information to enjoy monthly commuter allowance of kshs. 20,000 besides having two other motor vehicles Registration 11CG003A and 11CG004A believed to be on errand for his private use.
- h. The Clerk persistently failed to remit Statutory deductions over the years resulting to huge outstanding Members' contributions and accrued penalties owed to LAPFUND (Kshs. 176,566,286.43) and NSSF (Kshs.10, 785, 068) in breach of NSSF Act and Retirement Benefits Act. Further, remittances to Third parties such Political Parties, Insurance Companies and SACCOs remain in arrears.
- i. The Clerk consistently failed to present to the County Assembly Financial and Expenditure Report in contravention of Section 166 of the PFM Act, 2012.

Committee Recommendations

In view of the above findings, the Committee recommends:

- That the appointment of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha be revoked with immediate effect pursuant to Section 23 of the County Assembly Services Act (CASA), 2017;
- That the relevant bodies, including the EACC and the Directorate of Criminal Investigations, be notified for further investigation and possible prosecution;
- That, in the meantime, due to the centrality of the Office of the Clerk in the operations of the County Assembly, the CASB to designate another Officer within the Assembly Service to act in the position of the Clerk in accordance with Section 21 of the County Assembly Services Act, 2017.

- That, the Auditor General be engaged to conduct a special audit on the Car Loan and Mortgage account to ascertain the accountability of the public funds under the scheme.
- That the County Assembly Service Board attach his benefits to recover double benefits he earned by assigning himself an official Motor Vehicle while earning Commuter Allowance as well as use of the other two Motor Vehicles for private use over 3 years;
- That the CASB to repossess all Motor Vehicles and assets at his disposal courtesy of being the Clerk to the County Assembly; and
- That the office be declared vacant and recruitment of a new Clerk be commenced in line with applicable laws.

Acknowledgement

Hon. Speaker, the Committee wishes to take this opportunity to thank the Offices of the Speaker and the Office of the Clerk for the services extended to facilitate the technical and administrative work of the Committee. I also wish to register my appreciation to fellow Honorable Members of the Committee for their utmost commitment and delivering this task despite the short period. The Committee also thanks witnesses who presented either oral or written submissions.

Finally, the Committee appreciates the support of the Secretariat Staff that assisted and facilitated the process of preparing this report.

Hon. Speaker, this Report therefore contains an objective investigation of the Select Committee on the subject matter in strict adherence to the requirements of the Constitution and Applicable Laws. It is therefore my pleasant duty and privilege to present to the County Assembly, the Report of the Select Committee investigating the proposed Removal from Office of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha as the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo for considerations and adoption.

Hon. Abubakar Godana (Sericho): I stand to Second and support the Motion on revocation of the appointment of the Clerk of County Assembly of Isiolo, Salad Boru Guracha.

(Question Proposed)

Hon. Speaker: The floor is open for debate.

Hon. Halima Gole (Cherab): I stand to support the Motion on on revocation of the appointment of the Clerk of County Assembly of Isiolo, Salad Boru Guracha. Honorable Speaker I thank the Committee for the job well done, they have really brought all the points home and the report is very clear for adoption and it is my wish and belief that Salad Boru Guracha was for the last one and half month, has really made us suffer as the County Assembly of Isiolo. He blocked our services and he swiftly changed to the Executive side while he is still the employee of the County Assembly. Definitely he is expecting this. For me, I thank the Committee and the Chairman for the good work and I welcome the adoption of the report and the revocation of the appointment. Thank you.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Abubakar.

Hon. Abubakar Godana (Sericho): I stand to support the Motion on the same and I have a few contributions to make. That the removal of Salad is long overdue. He is the problem of the County and the County Assembly itself. From the sabotage he has been doing since the 10th of June, 2025, this person needs to go to jail, not only to be removed from office, because of the mess he has created around the Assembly. He has turned this Assembly into his home, which it is not; this is a public utility where once you are employed here, you don't take it as your personal belonging. And for the matter of corruption, he is a top corrupt guy, who has done several fraudulent activities about Impeachment. He is the same one who said that the election of the purported Speaker was on 26th of June, while at the same time he stated that there was no Sitting on the 26th of June in the Senate. This is indeed a National mess; and for this reason and many more, I support the removal and adoption of the report about the same and let Salad go. Thank you.

Hon. Speaker: Yes, Hon. Kamila.

Hon. Kamila Warsame (Nominated): Mr. Speaker, I stand in support the adoption of the report on the on the revocation of the appointment of Mr. Salad Boru

Guracha, the Clerk of County Assembly of Isiolo. Mr. Speaker, as I stand am the Vice Chair to this Committee and I stand to confirm to the Members that the report has really originated from us and Mr. Speaker without dwelling much on the report, we have opted to remove and support the revocation of his appointment because of so many reasons which are discussed in this report, which is lengthy, but to highlight on some of the issue Mr. Speaker, as we have been sworn in to this position on 20th September, 2022, we are from different background, we really wanted the capacity building for the Members and staff, we wanted to interrogate the Asset register for this premises, Assembly, we were never provided with. We continued ahead to inquire much but the Asset which were there, we could not find it, it was under his custody, personally used by the Clerk, it is not his personal property, this is an Institution property Mr. Speaker and we don't know why he is using it as his private property. Then there is issue of of Statutory deduction by the Members, it is not remitted Mr. Speaker, the report has really shown the amount which we need to remit and they are not remitted Mr. Speaker. There are issues of Finance Mr. Speaker, whereby a good number of Millions of money which Members are supposed to benefit as their welfare in terms of Car Grants, Car Loans and Mortgages Mr. Speaker, they are not there, the money cannot be accounted for Mr. Speaker. With all those reasons which have been highlighted in this report, I stand and strongly support the revocation of Salad Boru Guracha as the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo. Thank you.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Dekha.

Hon. Dekha Bonja (Nominated): Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Pia mimi ninaweza kuunga hii ripoti kuamua Salad Boru Guracha kama Clerk wetu aondoke. Mheshimiwa Spika siwezi ongea mengi kwa sababu ripoti ambayo tumetengeneza kwa sababu niko mmoja kwa hii Kamati imetosha Mheshimiwa Spika, kuitangaza na vile Mwenyekiti amesoma hio ripoti. Mheshimiwa Spika, kitu cha kwanza tarehe 26 Mwezi wa sita, tulifanya *Impeachment* ya Gavana na tulikuwa kwa hii Bunge tukiwa na Clerk wetu, alitoka akisema yeye ameshikwa ametekwa nyara Mheshimiwa Spika, mpaka familia yake walikuwa kwa runinga wakisema amekosekana Mheshimiwa Spika. Huyo Clerk hafai kuwa kwa hii Assembly, hafai kabisa Mheshimiwa Spika. Tulikuwa hapa karibu wiki mzima tukijaribu kuangalia ni shida gani ako nazo. Tukijaribu kuangalia hapa ndani kuna

mmoja wetu ameenda *retire*, Mheshimiwa Spika, na ni wa kwanza tangu ugatuzi ambaye alikuwa ameajiriwa na Kaunti Assembly ya Isiolo 2014. Mheshimiwa Spika, huyo mzee ameenda retire mpaka saa hii hajapata haki yake. Mheshimiwa Spika, tunahofia huyo mtu akibaki hapa, wale staff wote wako hapa na pia sisi viongozi hatuwezi pata haki yetu hapa Mheshimiwa Spika.

Huyu mtu anafaa kuondoka Mheshimiwa Spika, Salad amekuwa ugonjwa kwa hii Assembly. Mheshimiwa Spika, wale vijana tuliwaajiri kama Clerks, Secretariat na Finance wote Mheshimiwa Spika, wamekosa kazi ya kufanya kwa sababu amewakataza kufanya kazi. Hapa hakuna kitu inaendelea. Yeye ndiye analeta *goons* Mheshimiwa Spika, ofisi zetu zinavunjwa saa hii hatuna mahali ya kukaa. Hiyo yote ilikuwa mpango yake Mheshimiwa Spika. Huyu hafai kuwa hapa hivi na hata si nje anafaa kuwa, huyo angefaa kushikwa akuwe ndani Mheshimiwa Spika. Sheria ichukuliwe ndio aweze kushikwa Mheshimiwa Spika na nina hakika hii Wiki atashikwa Mheshimiwa Spika, kwa sababu Serikali haiwezi kubali mali yetu ichezewe. Kwa hivyo mimi naunga hii ripoti mkono nikisema Salad Boru Guracha aondoke kwa Isiolo County Assembly Mheshimwa Spika. Ahsante.

Hon. Speaker: Mheshimiwa Kiambi.

Hon. Salesio Kiambi (Wabera): Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika, Mimi kama *Member* wa hii Kamati naona tumeandika ripoti kamili ya makosa yale yote ambayo Clerk wetu alikuwa amefanya, ambayo kwa yote amefanya, hafai awe nje, anafaa awe jela. Kwa sababu yeye hawajibiki kwa County Assembly. Hafanyi kazi ya County Assembly pia anafanya kazi ya Executive na sisi ndio tumeajiri yeye hapa. Mheshimiwa Spika, huyu Clerk amekaa hapa Miaka Kumi na Tatu na ile kazi yote amefanya ni mbovu. Kila baada ya Miaka Tano members wanalalamika kwa sababu zile pesa Waheshimiwa wanakatwa kwa mishahara haipelekwi pale kwa LAPFUND, pia kwangu hata mimi anakula Eflu Kumi yangu kwa kila Mwezi. Na hata nikienda kortini nitawaonyesha *evidence* ya vile yeye anaikata na vile inapelekwa kwa LAPFUND. Kwa sababu huko inapelekwa Eflu Thelathini na mimi nimesema niwe nakatwa Eflu Arobaini.

Kwa hivyo huyu mtu hafai akae hapa, wacha atoke tuokoe Isiolo County Assembly hata hiyo Miaka ingine itakuja, kwa vile kazi yake ni mbovu. Pesa ya *office*

maintenance hatoi anakula. Mishahara ya wale vijana wetu wa ofisi ile pesa yao wanakatwa wapewe baada ya miaka tano, hapeleki, yetu yenyewe hapeleki. Kwa hivyo huyu Clerk, ningependa EACC ichunguze hii maneno iweze kupeleka yeye Kotini. Kwa vile amezidi na maneno. Ukiangalia kama hii shida iko Isiolo, ni yeye ameweka hii shida yote katika Isiolo. Kwa sababu yeye alikaa pekee yake ofisi akachagua Spika wake ambaye anaitwa Banticha alimchagua na kalamu na akaandika majina yetu sisi ndio tulimchagua yeye, na hiyo ni uongo na tukaenda tukatoa *affidavit* sisi wote 16 MCAs tukasema sisi hatukuhusika na hiyo, hicho kikao alikaa pekee yake. Pia Bajeti alikaa tena peke yake akaipoleka kwa Kenya Gazette; unajua wale watu wa Kenya Gazette hawajui kama ni mambo ya uongo ama ni ya ukweli, hao wanafuata *procedure* wakasoma wakaona kwamba iko sawa, kwa sababu hawakujua; wakagazeti Bajeti, na hiyo Bajeti ni *fake* ni watu wawili yeye na hiyo “*bonoko*” yake huyo ndio waliandika alafu ikagazetiwa na hiyo ni makosa lakini tumepata *court order*, hiyo tutajua mambo yake baadaye tutafanya kesi na wao. Kwa hivyo sasa huyu Clerk hafai kabisa kukanyanga hii Assembly, anafaa awe jela, na *investigation* ifanywe na vitengo yote ya Serikali ifanye uchunguzi vizuri ili huyu Clerk aweze kupelekwa Kotini. Ahsante sana naunga hii ajenda mkono.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Meja.

Hon. Meja Golicha (Chari): Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me this opportunity. I stand to support the Motion brought by Hon. Lorot. The Clerk has been a problem to the whole County as a whole. I therefore support this removal. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Nura.

Hon. Nura Mohamed (Nominated): Ahsante sana Bwana Spika kunipa hii nafasi. Ya kwanza Spika, huyu Clerk ndiye ameua hii Assembly kwa njia nyingi sana. Tarehe Ishirini na Sita baada ya kumuondoa Gavana na tukiwa Machakos, yeye alisema ametengeneza Spika wake wakiwa na Waheshimiwa wawili. Hiyo yenyewe ni makosa kubwa sana. Huyo mtu anafaa kuwa korokoroni, kutengeneza Spika na watu wawili hayo ni makosa kubwa sana. Ni kitu ambacho hakijawahi tendeka Kenya hii. Nyingine alidaganya familia yake kwamba ametekwa nyara na sisi tulikuwa na yeye kazi kama Assembly, tulikuwa upande wa Nakuru lakini

yeye alisema ameshikwa. Kwa hivyo huyu mtu mwenyewe tayari ni kama hakuwa anataka kufanya kazi na sisi. Na kama hakuwa anataka angekaa nyumbani hangetufuata. Ametukosea na amekosea watu wa Isiolo wote. Hiyo inatosha kuwa huyu mtu afutwe kazi aende nyumbani. Hafai kuwa na sisi hata kidogo. Ni mtu ambaye anafaa kuwa Kamiti. Kitu nyingine ya ajabu ambayo huyu mtu amefanya ni ameenda upande ya *Executive* yeye si mfanyakazi wa Gavana, yeye ni mfanyakazi wa County Assembly ya Isiolo anafaa kuhudumia sisi kama wana MCAs na Clerk lakini yeye ameamua kufanya kazi na Gavana. Hiyo ni dhibitisho kamili ya kwamba huyu mtu amejiondoa kaitka Kaunti Assembly ya Isiolo na kufanya kazi na Gavana inatosha ajiondoe kabisa, afutwe kazi kabisa hafai kuwa na sisi, hata kidogo. Ahsante sana Bwana Spika.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Losu.

Hon. Peter Losu (Ngaremara): Thank you the Hon. Speaker for giving me this opportunity. Ho. Speaker, I will start by apologizing because I myself brought the name of Salad to this Assembly, during the First Assembly; I moved the Motion of the approval of Salad as the Clerk. So Mr. Speaker I need to first apologize to the people of Isiolo because of that. Secondly Mr. Speaker, I was waiting fro Members to that Committee to contribute, so that we understand what they have really encountered during their investigation. People need to know that the Clerk is just a staff of the Assembly, who is supposed to work under the guidance of County Assembly Service Board as per the Act. Mr. Speaker, any staff available in this compound on this precinct Mr. Speaker is for the support of Members and Mr. Speaker, it is very unfortunate that the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo decided not to work for us; and Mr. Speaker, even with that, I'm here to uphold the grounds that the Committee has encountered and investigated thoroughly, which Mr. Speaker have a lot of reference.

Mr. Speaker, even by the virtue that Salad Boru chose not to work with the Assembly and crossed the other side to work with the Governor, that was an automatic way of exiting the Assembly. I suspect Mr. Speaker that Salad Boru Guracha has been appointed by the Governor or whichever person in that Executive wing and that is why he has chosen not to work for us Mr. Speaker. Coming down to the grounds; it is not the first Mr. Speaker that we have attempted to remove Salad from the office. Simply because we have many allegations, we

have many grounds. And Mr. Speaker, I remember we as the MCAs, this is the fourth time, we have attempted to remove Salad three times in the office, Mr. Speaker. And you defended him, maybe without knowing, Mr. Speaker. But at this point, Mr. Speaker, all of us have known who Salad is. And to this, Mr. Speaker, even now, I have a letter from my Party that requires me to pay more than Two Hundred Thousand Shillings Mr. Speaker of which it is deducted from my pay slip, my salary Mr. Speaker, but Salad Boru failed to remit that money to the Party; yet now am being sanctioned by the Party to pay that money, whereas my salary, the same amount is being deducted.

The other thing Mr. Speaker, after the Impeachment of the Governor Mr. Speaker, Salad Gazetted a new Speaker with two MCA's Mr. Speaker; that's a total sabotage to the County Assembly Service Board of Isiolo Mr. Speaker. That qualifies for Salad to cease today to be the Clerk of the County Assembly. Mr. Speaker, another thing, Publishing a Budget of Kshs. 8.8 Billion. Forging our signatures to purport that we removed you as the Speaker, forging our signatures in the Hansard. That's an Economical crime, that's criminal. Mr. Speaker, if I read the Constitution of Kenya 2010, Chapter 6 no. 73. One, authority assigned to a State officer; Number one, Public Trust. We as the Assembly, as the MCAs, if you cannot trust the person working for us Mr. Speaker, that person ceases to be our employee, because we don't trust him. The other thing Mr. Speaker is; demonstrate the respect for the people. By that person choosing not to work for us, the people who employed him that's an act of disrespect Mr. Speaker, so he ceases to be our Clerk. Another thing is; to bring honour to the Nation and dignity to the Office. Salad Boru has even embarrassed the Government Printer, he has embarrassed the Attorney General because of giving false information, contradicting evidences and submissions that Salad is making now and then.

On the other hand, Mr. Speaker, Salad is electing a Speaker on 26th June and on the same date, he is swearing an affidavit that there was no Sitting. It is contradicting; he is not promoting honour to the Nation Mr. Speaker. He is not working in a dignified manner, so that person does not even qualify to hold a public office Mr. Speaker. The other thing is to; promote public confidence. Mr. Speaker, if you go around this County and you mention the name Salad Boru, people will run away from you as if you have mentioned an animal or Lucifer, a devil. That means you

don't have the confidence of the people and he is working for this County Government. Mr. Speaker. By the virtue of working for MCAs, he is working for the entire County Mr. Speaker. But now Mr. Speaker, as you go around, even across all the Social Media, nobody wants to hear the word Salad Boru, Mr. Speaker. So he has no confidence to work for us Mr. Speaker as our Clerk.

Mr. Speaker, the issue of even bringing a Budget, without even tabling Mr. Speaker, that Budget was never tabled in this House Mr. Speaker. Secondly, the Committee has not done the scrutiny. Mr. Speaker, if a public servant can do that, he must be a horrible person Mr. Speaker, a very dangerous one. Another issue is that there was no even the report of the Committee to the House, that you have undertaken Public Validation, that you are bringing the report, then you approve the Budget Mr. Speaker, whereby, the views of the public has been considered and incorporated. All of this Mr. Speaker, Salad just chose to close his eyes Mr. Speaker and do all these illegalities. So he ceases to be a good person to even work for us, he is a dangerous man.

Mr. Speaker, even when it comes to the Board issues, I know most of the time Mr. Speaker, we have pushed Salad even to bring the reports; there are no reports Mr. Speaker even to be approved by the County Assembly Service Board, I being a Member Mr. Speaker, none. Even tabling of the County Assembly Budget to the County Assembly Service Board, it has never been done Mr. Speaker for the time that I have been there Mr. Speaker; and you have been asking him to bring now and then; he has just been colluding with the Executive, then from there the rest of the Budget is brought in the House Mr. Speaker, without us as an Assembly owning our own Budget knowing what is in our Budget Mr. Speaker. So this is not the person to work for us Mr. Speaker. And so, Mr. Speaker, considering the report that the the Select Committee Members have brought, Mr. Speaker, I propose that this Motion be voted. So that, Mr. Speaker, we declare this vacant position, for us to look for someone qualified, trusted, respectful to hold this office. As we continue, if we can have such kind of characters in this Country, it will go down Mr. Speaker. if somebody will just run around with money now and then and then you go and even bribe some Government Agencies Mr. Speaker, you are destroying the Country, you are even portraying bad picture to the Government Mr. Speaker.

So, I support the adoption of the report that Mr. Salad Boru Mr. Speaker should go. The other thing Mr. Speaker is about the Statutory deductions Mr. Speaker. The three County Assemblies, which I was apart of the First one, and even the Second one, some of the Members have not received their Gratuities, their Voluntary deductions that were remitted to the LAPFUND or LAPTRUST, I don't know Mr. Speaker. At the same time, as much as we are considering the money those agencies are owing us Mr. Speaker, it is a lot of money and we are only remaining with one Budget, where can we get all that money Mr. Speaker? that is the case of the MCAs, what about the Staff? Mr. Speaker, our Staff are suffering a lot, their deductions are not remitted; the guy is diverting the deductions. And the moment we ask Mr. Speaker, they just go and talk to these people and they bring some documentation showing that he is remitting, but is not. So, Mr. Speaker, if we remove Salad today as our Clerk, there will be a lot of rejoicing in this County, people will rejoice, our Staff will be relieved, they will work; because Mr. Speaker, these people have no space to work. Even the Management meetings that is supposed to be conducted by the Clerk, is not there. The Clerk is always a chronic absentee. The guy will only come when the Supplementary is there Mr. Speaker. I have already marked that one. If you want Salad to appear in this House, just bring the Supplementary Mr. Speaker, he will appear himself. And whenever we are de-whipping a Member in the House, when maybe the Governor has given the direction that maybe so and so be de-whipped from Majority Leader or even a certain Committee Mr. Speaker, I know that is the time for Salad to appear in Isiolo to be seen that he is around Mr. Speaker. out of maybe 365 days, I suspect maybe, its only ten days in a Year that the guy will appear in Isiolo. Is that an employee that will work for us? The answer is no. So, Mr. Speaker, there is need for us to get a qualified person, a Clerk for us to continue as the Assembly.

Mr. Speaker, I understand that all of us are not technical, myself, you and the rest. But these are technical people, they are supposed to give you advice, impartial advice, a technical one Mr. Speaker. But all that has been in vain Mr. Speaker. he is running this Assembly as his own apartment and even I heard I don't know if he has the Title deed, the rumors around is that he has one Mr. Speaker. So, getting a new Clerk for us will save the situation we are facing in this County Assembly. Mr. Speaker, I understand that people outside are saying that this Assembly is not working. How can you work when you have the head of the entire Assembly

sabotaging the working of the Assembly? How do you expect the other Staff to work when Salad is not working for us Mr. Speaker? Who is the CEO Mr. Speaker? We are supposed to pass some Bills Mr. Speaker, he is nowhere. The Executive are complaining that we have like Sixteen Bills Mr. Speaker, and none of them has been tabled in this House Mr. Speaker, simply because there is a disconnect between the Clerk, the Executive and the Assembly; because he just hangs around here Mr. Speaker looking for something to eat, nothing else. But when it comes to doing his job, to discharge his mandates, he is nowhere to be seen Mr. Speaker. So, I support the removal of Salad as the Clerk of the County Assembly. I thank you.

Hon. Speaker: Thank you. Hon. Lorot you can reply.

Hon. Nicholas Lorot (Burat): Thank you, Honorable Speaker. I want to take this opportunity to thank Members for contributing to this removal of Salad Boru Guracha, a rogue Clerk. Honorable Speaker, for Isiolo people to get freedom, this Assembly to get independence, the rogue Clerk must be removed. This Clerk has done evil things in this Assembly. Hon. Speaker the Clerk used Members' names to forge your removal. Those things have never happened in this Country; it has happened only in Isiolo. So, Hon. Speaker we support removal of this rogue Clerk. He has failed to remit Statutory deductions of the Members and Staff of the County Assembly. He has assigned himself an official motor vehicle while enjoying commuter allowance. So, Hon. Speaker I support the removal of this Clerk.

I thank you Members for contributing to this Motion. Thank you, Honorable Speaker.

Hon. Speaker: Thank you Honorable Members. I now put the question, Motion; Adoption of the report of the Select Committee on the revocation of the appointment of Mr. Salad Boru Guracha, the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo. Honorable Speaker, that pursuant to Section 23 (7) of the County Assembly Services Act 2017, this Assembly consider and approve the report of Select Committee investigating the revocation of the appointment of Mr. Salad Buru Guracha, the Clerk of the County Assembly of Isiolo.

(Question Put and Agreed to)

ADJOURNMENT

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Members, the House remains adjourned until tomorrow Wednesday August 6th, 2025 at 9.00 a.m.

The House rose at 4.10 p.m.