

Honorable Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(c), I hereby request for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Education and Vocational Training regarding Bursary disbursement and administration of the bursary fund

Hon. Speaker, It has come to my attention that students studying in Secondary Schools outside Samburu have not received their bursary disbursements for the Financial Year 2023/2024, contrary to expectations.

Hon. Speaker, The Samburu County Bursaries Act, 2015, Section 5(3)(a),(b) and

(c), specifies the qualifications required for the position of Bursary Coordinator, which plays a critical role in ensuring that the bursary funds are managed properly and disbursed timely to all eligible students.

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Hon. Speaker, in the statement the Chairperson should inquire into and report on;

1. Failure to Disburse Bursaries:

- Why did the Department fail to disburse bursaries to all secondary school students studying outside Samburu County for the FY 2023/2024?
- 2. Current Bursary Coordinator:
 - Who is the current Bursary Coordinator responsible for administering the bursary funds, and what are his/her qualifications as per the requirements of the Samburu County Bursaries Act, 2015?

3. Financial Information:

- Highlight the total amount the bursary account received from the County Treasury for the FY 2023/2024.
- Provide a breakdown of the amounts disbursed to schools, including the current balance in the bursary account, supported by the relevant bank statement.

SIGN..... HON. PHELIX K LENAMPARASIO, MEMBER OF COUNTY ASSEMBLY LOSUK WARD, DATE.....