

**SIXTH ASSEMBLY OF THE SECOND REPUBLIC
2022 LEGISLATIVE YEAR
FOURTH ORDINARY SESSION
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
Monday, 14th November 2022**

The Assembly convened *thirty-one* minutes after ten o'clock in the morning. Prayers were read, and the Hon. Speaker, Fabakary Tombong Jatta, took the Chair.

ORDER PAPER

1. PRAYERS

2. Communication from the Chair

3. Correction and Approval of Record of Votes and Proceedings of the National Assembly Sitting of Wednesday 26th October 2022.

4. MOTION

Section 152(1) of the Constitution and Order 86(1)

Laying of the 2023 Estimates of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Republic of The Gambia, 01st January – 31st December 2023 (both dates inclusive)

(By: Hon. Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs)

The following Honourable Members were **present**:

1. Hon. Fabakary Tombong Jatta	-	Speaker
2. Hon. Seedy SK Njie	-	Deputy Speaker
3. Hon. Billay G. Tunkara	-	Kantora (Majority Leader)
4. Hon. Alhagie S. Darbo	-	Brikama North (Minority Leader)
5. Hon. Abdoulie Ceesay	-	Old Yundum (Deputy Majority Leader)
6. Hon. Madi M.K. Ceesay	-	Serekunda West (Deputy Minority Leader)
7. Hon. Modou Lamin B. Bah	-	Banjul North
8. Hon. Fatoumata Njai	-	Banjul South
9. Hon. Assan Touray	-	Bakau
10. Hon. Musa Cham	-	Serekunda
11. Hon. Musa Badjie	-	Tallinding Kunjang
12. Hon. Kebba K. Barrow	-	Kombo South
13. Hon. Pa Dembo Sanneh	-	Foni Bondali
14. Hon. Bakary K. Badjie	-	Foni Bintang Karanai
15. Hon. Fatou Cham	-	Sanimentereng
16. Hon. Muhamed Kanteh	-	Busumbala
17. Hon. Tamsir Cham	-	Lower Niumi
18. Hon. Kemo Gassama	-	Lower Baddibu
19. Hon. Alhagie Babou Ceesay	-	Sabach Sanjal

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20. Hon. Alieu Baldeh	-	Jarra West
21. Hon. Kebba Jallow	-	Jarra Central
22. Hon. Abdou Sowe	-	Kombo East
23. Hon. Haruna Barry	-	Jarra East
24. Hon. Omar Jammeh	-	Janjanbureh
25. Hon. Gibbi Mballow	-	Lower Fulladu West
26. Hon. Bakary Kora	-	Upper Fulladu West
27. Hon. Essa Conteh	-	Jimara
28. Hon. Saikou Bah	-	Basse
29. Hon. Kebba Lang Fofana	-	Nominated Member
30. Hon. Nfally M. Kora	-	Tumana
31. Hon. Nfamara Sabally	-	Wuli West
32. Hon. Yahya Sanyang	-	Latrikunda Sabiji
33. Hon. Birom J.S. Sowe	-	Niamina West
34. Hon. Amadou Camara	-	Nianija
35. Hon. Yunusa N. Bah	-	Kiang Central
36. Hon. Fatou K. Jawara	-	Nominated Member
37. Hon. Sulayman Saho	-	Central Baddibu
38. Hon. Alhagie Mbow	-	Upper Saloum
39. Hon. Dawda Jeng	-	Niamina East
40. Hon. Suwaibou Touray	-	Wuli East
41. Hon. Sheriff S. Sarr	-	Jeshwang
42. Hon. Samba Jallow	-	Niamina Dankunku
43. Hon. Lamin J. Sanneh	-	Brikama South
44. Hon. Maimuna Ceesay	-	Nominated Member
45. Hon. Almameh Gibba	-	Foni Kansala
46. Hon. Lamin Ceesay	-	Kiang West
47. Hon. Amie Colley	-	Foni Brefet
48. Hon. Sankung Dampha	-	Illiassa
49. Hon. Salifu Jawo	-	Jokadu

The following Members were absent with **permission**.

50. Hon. Sainey Jawara	-	Lower Saloum
51. Hon. Abdoulie Njai	-	Banjul Central
52. Hon. Sulayman Jammeh	-	Bundungka Kunda
53. Hon. Kebba Toumanding Sanneh	-	Foni Jarrol
54. Hon. Yaya Gassama	-	Kiang East

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55. Hon. Omar Darboe	-	Upper Niumi
56. Hon. Omar Jobe	-	Niani
57. Hon. Alfusainey Ceesay	-	Sami
58. Hon. Ebrima Jaiteh	-	Sandu

2. Communication from the Chair

The Hon. Speaker delivered a statement.

**3. Correction and Approval of Record of Votes and Proceedings of the National Assembly
Sitting of Wednesday 26th October 2022.**

Hon. Alieu Baldeh, Member for Jarra West, moved the motion for the correction and approval of the Record of Votes and Proceedings, and it was seconded by Hon. Yunusa N. Bah, Member for Kiang Central.

The Record of Votes and Proceedings was approved with amendments.

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(By: Hon. Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs)

At the invitation of the Hon. Speaker, the Hon. Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs, Seedy Keita moved the motion.

Hon. Billay G. Tunkara, Majority Leader and Member for Kantora, seconded the motion.

Question put and accordingly agreed to:

The Assembly agreed to consider the Motion.

ADJOURNMENT

In accordance with Order 86(6) of the Standing Orders, the Hon. Speaker intimated that the debate on the Estimates shall be adjourned to Wednesday 23rd November, 2022 to allow members time to study the important document.

At *fourteen* minutes after *eleven* o'clock in the morning, the Assembly was adjourned *until Wednesday 23rd November, 2022.*