

Disgruntled Mombasa Parents Members,
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The Nyali School,
Mombasa

13th November 2019

Mr. Paul Munyao
Club Secretary
The Mombasa Parents Club
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MOMBASA

Dear Mr. Munyao,

RE: SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING (SGM)

Reference is made to the above captioned and your letter dated 11th November 2019 on the same.

We, the disgruntled Mombasa Parents Club members would like to respond as follows:

1. Our demand for the agenda of the SGM to be "Club affairs" is very necessary considering the situation surrounding the need for the subject. Article 42 (c) of the club constitution states that, "No matter shall be discussed other than as stated in the request". Your notice for the SGM had only one main agenda as the "report by the Board of Management on the School bus scandal". Please note that, we Mombasa Parents shall not accept any other agenda apart from the "Club affairs".
2. Our demand for the Head teacher to stay away from the venue of the meeting still remains and must be effected:
 - a. Our legal interpretation of Article 17 (d) of the club constitution is that the Head teacher is an ex-officio member of the management committee and not ex-officio of the club. Hence he shall attend all meetings of the club management committee and NOT the Club meetings. Additionally, the same Article allows the head teacher to delegate her/his duties to the Deputy Head teacher. In the context of the reasons calling for the subject, we demand that the Head teacher delegates his deputy to attend the subject and have him on stand by for a call up only when needed.
 - b. We are in agreement that most of the agenda revolves operational issues which may require the input of the head teacher. However, the Board of management must also be well familiar with all those issues, lest they are asleep in their work, and which they shall respond and only be assisted by the principal when the need arises.

- c. Our demand for the head teacher to stay away from the venue of the subject is justifiable considering that he is not a member of the club and that all the agenda raised surround his involvement in massive corruption and abuse of office. Most members feel they need a free environment to raise matters touching the conduct of the Head teacher.
 - d. Indeed, I served in the Board of Management for four years all of which the Head teacher attended the Meetings. I wish to remind you that during that time not a single Mombasa parent raised allegations of Massive corruption and abuse of office against the head teacher. My about-turn has been brought up by accusation by club members of Massive corruption and abuse of office by the head teacher.
 - e. Additionally, your advice to have the constitution amended to bar the head teacher from attending the subject is not done with good intention and has openly been used to protect the accused head teacher. I wish to remind you that Article 25 (d) of the club constitution states that, "Members of the Management Committee shall serve a maximum of **TWO** terms but will be eligible thereafter to vie for the post of Chairman". Please note that yourself have served the club as a secretary for two terms and that there was no constitutional amendment that allowed you to serve a third term. Based on your argument, you are therefore in office illegally and you are not legally allowed to transact any matter as the Secretary of the Club.
3. We are surprised to learn that several members whose names, telephone numbers and signatures attached to our letter dated 25th October 2019 are not genuine. Kindly note that, all members whose details appear in the attached list voluntarily appended their signatures and put their details. We however, have reliable intelligence that the head teacher has been calling some of these members to intimidate and have them disown their own signatures.

Lastly, we want to remind you that this club belongs to the Members and that the subject shall go on with or without verified numbers of the people who signed the attached list.

Please note that, we the disgruntled parents, shall NOT accept anything less than acceptance of our demands. However, in the failure that our demands are not met we shall review the situation and make our next course action known to you.

Yours

Hussein Shariff Alwy

FOR: MOMBASA PARENTS CLUB MEMBERS:

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