The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.

2. Announcement by the Speaker in terms of Rule 20(B) of the Standing Rules and Orders:

The Speaker informed the Assembly that from next week 26 – 27 February 2020 a team from GIPF will be sitting in the Constitution Room from 08:00 – 17:00 to engage outgoing Members of the Assembly on their pension benefits.

A list of all the Members will be circulated in the House and is the order that is going to be followed inviting Members in for individual session. The time and names will be posted in front of the door of the Constitution Room.

3. The Minister of Finance laid upon the Table:

The Compliance Audit Report of the Auditor-General on Disaster Risk Management for the Office of the Prime Minister for the financial year ended 31 March 2017 and 31 March 2018; and

Reports of the Auditor-General on the Accounts of the –

(i) Municipality of Windhoek for the financial year ended 30 June 2018;
(ii) Municipality of Tsumeb for the financial year ended 30 June 2018;
(iii) Village Council of Aroab for the financial year ended 30 June 2018; and
(iv) Village Council of Tsandi for the financial year ended 30 June 2018.

4. NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:
(i) Mr. Van Wyk (UPM) to ask the Minister of Agriculture, Water and Forestry (No. 24).

(ii) Ms. Van den Heever (PDM) to ask the Minister of Information and Communication Technology (No. 25).

5. **QUESTIONS DEALT WITH:**

(i) Mr. Muharukua (PDM) asked the Acting Minister of Justice (No. 1) – Replied to.

(ii) Ms. Dienda (PDM) asked the Deputy Prime and Minister of International Relations and Cooperation (No. 8) – Replied to.

(iii) Mr. Auchab (UDF) asked the Minister of Information and Communication Technology (No. 2) – Replied to.

(iv) Mr. Auchab (UDF) asked the Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 3) – Replied to.

(v) Mr. Kavekotora (RDP) asked the Acting Minister of Fisheries and Marine Resources (No. 4) – Stands over.

(vi) Mr. Kavekotora (RDP) asked the Prime Minister (No. 5) – Stands over.

(vii) Mr. Smit (PDM) asked the Acting Minister of Fisheries and Marine Resources (No. 6) – Stands over.

(viii) Mr. Smit (PDM) asked the Prime (No. 7) – Stands over.

(ix) Mr. Van Wyk (UPM) asked the Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 9) – Replied to.

(x) Mr. Van Wyk (UPM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 10) – Stands over.

(xi) Ms. Van den Heever (PDM) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Water and Forestry (No. 11) – Replied to.

(xii) Ms. Van den Heever (PDM) asked the Minister of Safety and Security (No. 12) – Replied to.

(xiii) Ms. Van den Heever (PDM) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 13) – Replied to.

(xiv) Ms. Dienda (PDM) asked the Minister of Higher Education, Training and Innovation (No. 14) – Replied to.

(xv) Mr. Kavekotora (RDP) asked the Minister of Education, Arts and Culture (No. 15) – Stands over.

6. **FIRST NOTICE OF A MOTION:**

The Minister of Finance of Finance moved, seconded by the Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment Creation.
That leave be given to re-introduce a Bill to consolidate and harmonise the laws regulating financial institutions, financial intermediaries and financial markets in Namibia; and to provide for incidental matters.

Agreed to.


The Minister of Finance moved, subject to Rule 32(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, seconded by Ms. Mahoto: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

On the motion of Mr. Van Wyk, seconded by Ms. Dienda, debate adjourned until Wednesday, 26 February 2020.

7. **SECOND NOTICE OF A MOTION** deferred by the Mover to Tuesday, 25 February 2020.

8. The Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:08 until Tuesday, 25 February 2020.

**MS. L. KANDETU**  
*Secretary of the National Assembly*  

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