



NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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Attention: News Editors/Parliamentary Correspondents

RE: Assembly Resumes Session

1. The National Assembly of the Parliament of Namibia begins its Fourth Session of the 6th Parliament next week Tuesday, **13 September 2016, at 14h30.**

The following are amongst others, some of the Bills that are expected to be dealt with during the session:

- a) Long-Term Insurance Amendment Bill
 - b) Short-Term Insurance Amendment Bill
 - c) Medical Aid Funds Amendment Bill, and
 - d) Unit Trusts Control Amendment Bill
2. During its Third Session (09 February – 28 July 2016), the House debated and passed amongst others the Appropriation Bill; Presidential Remuneration and other Benefits Amendment Bill; Credit Agreements Amendment Bill; Business and Intellectual Property Authority Bill; Namibia Investment Promotion Bill and the Anti-Corruption Amendment Bill. These Bills are already signed by the President and gazzetted as Acts of Parliament.
 3. The House also dealt with the Namibian Citizenship Amendment Bill and the Liquor Amendment Bill, which were referred to the National Council for review before Assembly went on recess on 28 July 2016.

The Citizenship Amendment Bill was however rejected by the National Council, while the Liquor Amendment Bill was referred by Council to its

Standing Committee on Public Accounts and Economy for further public consultations. The Committee is expected to conduct public hearings in the regions from the 16th September 2016.

4. We therefore request your esteemed media houses to cover the parliamentary activities during the session.

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