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THURSDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER 2015
(14:30 – 17:45)

NOTICES OF QUESTIONS

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I. Minister of Urban and Rural Development:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to amend the Regional Councils Act, 1992, so as to provide for certain definitions; to provide further requirements for election as members of regional council; to restrict eligibility for election as members of the National Council; to subject the appointment of a person as chief regional officer to the approval of the Minister; to empower the Minister to determine methods of sale, letting, or hypothecation applied by regional councils in respect of immovable properties; to prohibit the sale and acquiring of immovable properties in settlement areas to and by foreign nationals; to provide the regional councils with certain powers in respect of the sale or lease of immovable properties in settlement areas similar to those of local authority councils; to increase certain penalties; and to provide for incidental matters.

II. Minister of Urban and Rural Development:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to amend the Local Authorities Act, 1992, so as to substitute and insert certain definitions; to provide further requirements for election as members of local authority councils; to make the period of office of members of local authority councils more clear; to provide for additional sanctions in the case of members of local authority councils who contravenes or fails to comply with any provisions of a code of conduct; to extend the circumstances under which a member of a local authority council shall vacate office; to subject payment of remuneration, allowances and other benefits of members of local authority councils to the maximum determined by the Minister; to subject the appointment and discharge of town clerks to the approval of the Minister; to further improve the delegation of powers of local authority councils; to improve on the procedure and conduct of disciplinary inquiry; to provide for requirements for a person to qualify as vulnerable person; to provide exemption of vulnerable persons from payment of certain local authority council charges; to provide for respective conditions in respect of the sale of

immovable properties to Namibian citizens and foreign nationals; to provide for the designation of zones in local authority areas for purposes of reservation for acquiring immovable properties; to empower the Minister to prescribe categories and levels of income for the purposes acquiring immovable properties in designated zones and to prescribe certain levies in respect of immovable properties owned by foreign nationals; to add certain functions to local authority councils relating to water works; to increase certain penalties; to improve the provision relating to as interim valuation of rateable properties; to extend the powers of a valuations court with regard to a valuation roll; to provide for the submission of statements of estimated income and expenditure and supplementary statements for adoption by local authority councils and approval by the Minister; to improve the procedure relating to the convening of public meetings; to provide for steps the Minister may take relating to the failure by a local authority council to exercise or perform its powers, functions and duties; to extend the powers of the Minister to take regulations; and to provide for incidental matters.

ORDER OF THE DAY

Resumption of Debate on expanding medical clinics to all tertiary institutions in the country – [Deputy Minister of Health and Social Services].

TUESDAY, 29 SEPTEMBER 2015

ORDERS OF THE DAY

- (i) Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Income Tax Amendment Bill* [B.9 – 2015] – [Ms. Dienda].
 - (ii) Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Public Procurement Bill* [B.8 – 2015] – [Mr. Smit].
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