

THIRD SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY, 22 APRIL 2021

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

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

2. **Ms. Katjingsua laid upon the Table for consideration:**

Report of the Parliamentary Select Committee of the National Assembly on the drought situation in the Kunene Region.

3. **ORAL QUESTIONS:**

(i) Mr. Venaani (PDM) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 34) –
Replied to.

(ii) Mr. Kauandenge (NUDO) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 35) –
Replied to.

(iii) Mr. Shixwameni (APP) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 36) –
Replied to.

(iv) Ms. Dienda (PDM) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 37) –
Replied to.

(v) Dr. Aupindi (SWAPO) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 38) –
Replied to.

(vi) Mr. Muharukua (PDM) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 39) –
Replied to.

4. **Ms. Kafula moved without notice:**

That the proceedings on Votes 9, 10, 13, 14, 18, 27, 29 and 32 of the *Appropriation Bill* be, in terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, not interrupted if still under consideration at 17:45, but not later than 20:45.

Agreed to.

5. The Minister of Finance laid upon the Table:

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

- (i) Office of the President for the financial year ended 31 March 2019;
- (ii) Office of the Prime Minister for the financial year ended 31 March 2019;
- (iii) Town Council of Ongwediva for the financial year ended 30 June 2019;
- (iv) Town Council of Oshakati for the financial year ended 30 June 2018; and
- (v) Game Products Trust Fund for the financial year ended 31 March 2019.

6. FIRST ORDER READ:

Resumption of Committee Stage – *Appropriation Bill* [B. 5 – 2021].

The Minister of Finance moved, seconded by the Minister of Works and Transport: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

The Deputy Chairperson of the Whole House Committee stated that when progress was reported yesterday, 21 April 2021, Votes 9, 14, 27 and 29 had been introduced and Votes 3, 7, 11, 28 and 30 had been agreed to.

Vote 10 – Education, Arts and Culture: Introduced by the Minister.

Vote 13 – Health and Social Services: Introduced by the Minister.

Vote 18 – Environment, Forestry and Tourism: Introduced by the Minister.

Vote 32 – High Education, Training and Innovation: Introduced by the Minister.

Vote 9 – Finance: Discussed and agreed to.

Vote 14 – Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment Creation: Discussed and agreed to.

Vote 27 – Sport, Youth and National Service: Discussed and agreed to.

Vote 29 – Information and Communication Technology: Discussed. Minister to reply tomorrow.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED:

Progress reported and leave granted to sit again.

7. In terms of Rule 90(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 20:50 until Friday, 23 April 2021.

MS. L. KANDETU
Secretary of the National Assembly

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