

**NOTICE OF QUESTION**

BY

Hon. Nico Smit (PDM)

Signature:



I hereby give notice that on **Thursday, 01 April 2021**, I shall ask the **Minister of Health and Social Services, Dr Kalumbi Shangula**, the following:

In the media of the 24/25th March a report appeared regarding the awarding of a tender for the purchase of unlicensed medicine valued at about NS7 million three years ago. From the reports it would seem that there is a clear case of corruption involved in the transaction. It would also seem that the same Ministry (yours) that was involved in the apparently corrupt transaction investigated it and found no fault with it.

I now ask:

1. Will you please give this august house an assurance that an independent investigation will be launched into the whole transaction and that steps will be taken to recover any losses to your Ministry
2. Will you please assure this august house and the Namibian people that criminal charges will be brought against any persons who may be found to have been involved in corruption?

I so move.