

EIGHTH SESSION, FIFTH NATIONAL COUNCIL



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 10 May 2017 (09:30 - 13:00) No.6 - 2017

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

- 1.0 The Chairperson took the Chair.
- 2.0 The Chairperson recited the Prayer and Affirmation.
- 3.0 NOTICE OF MOTION(S)

Hon. Boois moved a motion without notice: That leave of absence be granted by the August House in terms of Rule 36(4) of the National Council Standing Rules and Orders, to Hon. Kuushomwa for the period 14 February 2017 to 30 June 2017 due to illhealth.

4.0 DEBATE ON SECOND READING

4.1 FIRST ORDER READ

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – Appropriation Bill [B.7 – 2017]

The Council suspended business at 10:35 and resumed at 11:10.

On the motion of Hon. Kandjii, seconded by Hon. Shiimi, the debate was adjourned until Thursday, May 11, 2017.

4.2 SECOND ORDER READ

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Nature Conservation Amendment Bill* [B.22 – 2016].

The Chairperson put the question: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

Agreed to:

The Secretary then read the Bill a Second Time.

The Bill stood referred to **Committee Stage**.

4.3 DEBATE ON COMMITTEE STAGE

THIRD ORDER READ

Debate on Committee Stage – Access to Biological and Genetic Resources and Associated Traditional Knowledge Bill [B.4 – 2017].

The Chairperson put the question: That she leaves the Chair.

Agreed to.

The Chairperson then called upon the Vice-Chairperson of the Committee of the Whole Council to take the Chair.

The Vice-Chairperson then took the Chair.

Council in Committee:

Clauses 1 to 24 were put and agreed to.

Clause **25**, the **Short Title**, was put and agreed to.

Council resumed:

The Vice-Chairperson of the National Council and the Chairperson of the Committee of the Whole Council reported the Bill **without amendments.**

The Bill stood referred to Third Reading.

5.0 Hon. Boois seconded by Hon. Kalipi adjourned the Council at 12:10 until Thursday, May 11, 2017 at 09:30.

Emilia Mkusa

Secretary of the National Council