



Thursday, 24 March 2022

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FIFTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

# REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY, 24 MARCH 2022

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

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

2. **The Deputy Minister of Finance laid upon the Table:**

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

- (i) National Assembly for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (ii) Ministry of Industrialisation, Trade and SME Development for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (iii) Ministry of Safety and Security for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (iv) Ministry of Environment and Tourism for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (v) Municipality of Otjiwarongo for the financial year ended 30 June 2019;
- (vi) National Planning Commission for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (vii) National Road Safety Council for the financial year ended 31 March 2020;
- (viii) Department of Transport of the Ministry of Works and Transport for the financial year ended 31 March 2020; and
- (ix) Social Security Commission, Maternity Leave, Sick Leave and Death Benefit Fund, Employees' Compensation Fund and Development Fund for the financial year ended 29 February 2020.

3. **The Minister of Mines and Energy laid upon the Table:**

Annual Report of the Electricity Control Board for the year 2021.

4. **URGENT QUESTION:**

Mr. Venaani (PDM) asked the Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 24) – *Replied to.*

5. **NOTICE OF A QUESTION:**

Ms. Dienda (PDM) to ask the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 52).

6. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Appropriation Bill* [B. 3 – 2022].

Question before the Assembly on Thursday, 24 February 2022, as moved by the Minister of Finance (page 21): That the Bill be read a Second Time.

7. **SECOND ORDER READ:**

Committee Stage – *Public Procurement Amendment Bill* [B. 4 – 2022].

The Deputy Minister of Finance moved, seconded by Mr. Kasuto: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

Clauses 1 to 12 put.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED in the absence of the prepared Amendments by the Deputy Minister of Works and Transport to table them.

Progress reported and leave given to sit again.

8. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:50 until Tuesday, 29 March 2022.

**MS. L. KANDETU**  
*Secretary of the National Assembly*

*Compiled by I. Nehoya*