

Monday, 11 April 2022

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FIFTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MONDAY, 11 APRIL 2022

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

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

2. **URGENT QUESTIONS:**

- (i) Mr. Vries (PDM) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Water and Land Reform (No. 31) *Replied to*.
- (ii) Mr. Muharukua (PDM) asked the Minister of Gender Equality, Poverty Eradication and Social Welfare (No. 32) *Should be put in writing*.
- (iii) Mr. Martin (PDM) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Water and Land Reform (No. 33) *Replied to*.
- (iv) Mr. Martin (PDM) asked the Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 34) Replied to.
- (v) Mr. Murorua (UDF) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 35) *Replied to*.

3. Mr. Hambyuka moved without notice:

That the proceedings on Votes 1, 2, 4, 7 and 26 of the *Appropriation Bill* be, in terms of Rule 103(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, not interrupted if still under consideration at 17:45.

Agreed to.

4. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Committee Stage – *Appropriation Bill* [B. 3 – 2022]

The Minister of Finance moved, seconded by the Deputy Minister of Defence and Veterans Affairs: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

Vote 1 – President: Introduced by the Minister in the Presidency.

Vote 2 – Prime Minister: Introduced by the Prime Minister.

Vote 4 – Auditor-General: Introduced by the Minister in the Presidency.

Vote 26 – National Planning Commission: Introduced by the Minister in the Presidency.

Vote 7 – International Relations and Cooperation: Introduced by the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of International Relations and Cooperation.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED:

Progress reported and leave given to sit again.

5. **SECOND ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on the conditions of Local Authorities and why many of them fail to execute their mandates.

Question before the Assembly on Monday, 11 April 2022, as moved by Mr. Kauandenge (page 28): That the Motion be adopted.

On the motion of the Minister of Mines and Energy, seconded by Ms. Elago, debate adjourned until Tuesday, 12 April 2022.

6. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:46 until Tuesday, 12 April 2022.

MS. L. KANDETU

Secretary of the National Assembly

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