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SIXTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 11 OCTOBER 2022

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

- 1. The Deputy Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
- 2. Announcement by the Deputy Speaker in terms or Rule 20(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders:

The Deputy Speaker informed the Members that they are all invited to join the Wellness Team of the National Assembly and staff for a 10 km Fun Walk, that will take place on the 14th October 2022, starting at the Daan Viljoen Roadblock at 07:00.

The Fun Walk will be in appreciation of all those who care for cancer patients in support of the Cancer Association of Namibia. A fee of N\$10.00 as a donation will be highly appreciated from each participant.

The Parliament bus will be available to transport Members and staff from Parliament Building to the Roadblock starting point.

3. The Deputy Speaker laid upon the Table in compliance with Section 6(3) of the Ombudsman Act No. 7 of 1990 –

Annual Report of the Office of the Ombudsman for the year 2021/2022.

4. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:**

- (i) Mr. Diergaardt (PDM) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 128).
- (ii) Mr. Mukwilongo (NEFF) to ask the Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment Creation (No. 129).

- (iii) Ms. Tjirare (PDM) to ask the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 130).
- (iv) Mr. Iipumbu (NEFF) to ask the Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment Creation (No. 131).

5. Ministerial Statement in terms of Rule 98 of the Standing Rules and Orders:

The Minister of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment Creation addressed the Assembly on the poor labour relations at B2 Gold Namibia (PTY) Limited that has occupied considerable attention in the media of late, centering on B2 Gold's application to his Office to be designated as a continuous operation.

6. **NOTICE OF A MOTION:**

Mr. Karondo moved, seconded by Mr. Amutse:

That -

In compliance with Section 15 and 116 of the Electoral Act No. 5 of 2014;

That this Assembly –

Consider and *approve* the Performance Assessment and Post-Election Report for the Ncamagoro Constituency by-election, which was held on 17th December 2021.

On the motion of Ms. Hengari, seconded by Mr. Vries, debate adjourned until Wednesday, 12 October 2022.

7. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:50 until Wednesday, 12 October 2022.

MS. L. KANDETU Secretary of the National Assembly

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