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Wednesday, 22 February 2023

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SEVENTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, 22 FEBRUARY 2023

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 and Public Enterprises laid upon the Table

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

- (i) Village Council of Kamanjab for the financial year ended 30 June 2020;
- (ii) Education Development Fund for the financial year ended 31 March 2021; and
- (iii) Follow-up Performance Audit Report of the Auditor-General on unemployment amongst the Namibian youth within the Ministry of Sport, Youth and National Service for the financial years 2018/19, 2019/20 and 2020/21.

3. The Deputy Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises further laid upon the Table:

Integrated Annual Report of the Road Fund Administration for the year 2022.

4. The Minister of Justice laid upon the Table:

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

5. NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:

(i) Hon. McHenry Venaani (PDM) to ask the Minister of Fisheries and Marine Resources (No. 23).

- (ii) Hon. McHenry Venaani (PDM) to ask the Prime Minister (No. 24).
- (iii) Hon. Smit (PDM) to ask the Prime Minister (No. 25).
- (iv) Hon. Hengari (PDM) to ask the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 26).
- (v) Hon. Vries (PDM) to ask the Minister of Agriculture, Water and Land Reform (No. 27).
- (vi) Hon. Van den Heever (PDM) to ask the Minister of Industrialisation and Trade (No. 28).
- (vii) Hon. Katjimune (PDM) to ask the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 29).
- (viii) Hon. Mukwiilongo (NEFF) to ask the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 30).

6. **URGENT ORAL QUESTION:**

Hon. Murorua (UDF) asked the Deputy Minister of International Relations and Cooperation (No. 4) – *Replied to*.

7. NOTICE OF A MOTION:

The Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises moved, seconded by Hon. Katoma:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to appropriate amounts of money to meet the financial requirements of the State during the financial year ending 31 March 2024.

Agreed to.

Appropriation Bill [B. 1 – 2023] read a First Time.

The Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises moved, subject to Rule 32(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, seconded by Hon. Ithete: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

On the motion of Hon. Smit, seconded by Hon. Muharukua, debate adjourned until Thursday, 2 March 2023.

8. On the motion of the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security, seconded by the Deputy Minister of Education, Arts and Culture, the Assembly adjourned at 16:43 until Thursday, 23 February 2023.

MS. L. KANDETU Secretary of the National Assembly

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