



EIGHTH SESSION, SIXTH NATIONAL COUNCIL



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, April 25, 2023

(09:30 - 13:00)

No.13 – 2023

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

- 1.0 The Chairperson took the Chair.
- 2.0 The Chairperson asked Honourable Benson, in terms of Rule 23(2), to pray and Honourable Benson read the Prayer.
- 3.0 The Chairperson read the Affirmation.
- 4.0 ANNOUNCEMENT(S) BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER

Honourable Muha, Chairperson of the National Council announced that, there will be a General Meeting for all Members on Wednesday, April 26, 2023, in G.4 at 14:30.

5.0 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS

Honourable Muha, Chairperson of the National Council acknowledged the presence of Ms Taimi Amaambo, Deputy Executive Director, Ministry of Health and Social Services, who was invited by the National Council to witness debate on **Vote 13**. He further expressed appreciation to Ms Amaambo, for honouring the invitation.

6.0 DEBATE ON COMMITTEE STAGE

ORDER READ

Debate on Committee Stage – *Appropriation Bill* [B.1 – 2023].

[**Votes: 13, 03, 09 and 15**].

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

Agreed to.

The Chairperson then called upon Honourable Kauma, the Vice-Chairperson of the National Council and Chairperson of the Committee of the Whole Council to take the Chair.

Honourable Kauma then took the Chair.

Council in Committee:

The Council suspended business at 10:45 and resumed 11:15.

7.0 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS

Honourable Kauma, Chairperson of the Committee of the Whole Council acknowledged the presence of Officials from the National Assembly, who were invited by the National Council to witness debate on **Vote 03**. She also expressed gratitude to them, for honouring the invitation.

Votes 13, 03, 09 and 15 were put and agreed to.

Council resumed:

Honourable Kauma, the Vice-Chairperson of the National Council and the Chairperson of the Committee of the Whole Council reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

8.0 AUTOMATIC ADJOURNMENT

In the absence of the notice of motion proposing that proceedings not be interrupted in accordance with Rule 31, the Chairperson of the National Council then adjourned the Council in terms of Rule 30(1), without a question being put, at 13:25 until Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 09:30.

Mr Tousy J. Namiseb
Secretary to the National Council
