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**REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA**  
**MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**  
**OF THE**  
**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**THURSDAY, 20 APRIL 2023**

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **In compliance with Section 6(3) of the Ombudsman Act No. 7 of 1990; the Speaker laid upon the Table:**

Report by the Office of the Ombudsman on the Public Hearings on Discrimination and other Challenges faced by Persons with Albinism in Namibia.

3. **ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER:**

The Speaker announced that the initial consignment of the 13 *Bills* that were being expected from the Executive have been received. Those that have been submitted to the National Assembly's Secretariat are the *Financial Intelligence Act Amendment Bill*, *Trust Administration Bill*, and the *Virtual Asset and Initial Token Offering Services Bill*, along with their respective summaries.

As a result, the first comprehensive workshop covering all three *Bills* is scheduled to take place on Monday, 24 April 2023 and Tuesday, from 09:00 to 14:00 in the C.1 Conference Room.

The Speaker appealed to all Members to attend this crucial workshop, which aims to prepare Members for the consideration of these important *Bills*.

4. **QUESTIONS DEALT WITH:**

- (i) Hon. Hengari (PDM) asked the Deputy Minister of Sport, Youth and National Service (No. 32) – *Replied to.*

- (ii) Hon. Iipumbu (NEFF) asked the Deputy Minister of Sport, Youth and National Service (No. 33) – *Replied to.*
  - (iii) Hon. Dr. Iijambo (SWANU) asked the Prime Minister (No. 15) – *Replied to.*
  - (iv) Hon. McHenry Venaani (PDM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 24) – *Re-directed.*
  - (v) Hon. Smit (PDM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 25) – *Re-directed.*
  - (vi) Hon. Dienda (PDM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 34) – *Replied to.*
  - (vii) Hon. McHenry Venaani (PDM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 37) – *Replied to.*
  - (viii) Hon. Smit (PDM) asked the Prime Minister (No. 42) – *Replied to.*
  - (ix) Hon. Hamata (PDM) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 45) – *Replied to.*
  - (x) Hon. Dienda (PDM) asked the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 49) – *Replied to.*
  - (xi) Hon. Hengari (PDM) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 51) – *Stands over.*
  - (xii) Hon. Hamata (PDM) asked the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 59) – *Replied to.*
5. On the motion of the Prime Minister, seconded by Hon. Witbooi, the Assembly adjourned at 17:45 until Tuesday, 25 April 2023.

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

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