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SEVENTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 11 JULY 2023

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS FOR 14 SEPTEMBER 2023:**
 - (i) Hon. Mootu (LPM) to ask the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 129).
 - (ii) Hon. Seibeb (LPM) to ask the Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 130).
3. **FIRST ORDER** deferred.
4. **SECOND ORDER READ:**

Committee Stage – *Definition of Spouse Bill* – [2023].

Hon. Ekandjo moved, seconded by Hon. Katoma: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

Arrangement of Sections put and agreed to.
Clause 1 as amended by the Mover. put and agreed to.
Clauses 2, 3 and 4 put and agreed to.
Schedule put and agreed to.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED:

Bill reported with amendments.

Hon. Ekandjo moved, seconded by the Deputy Minister of Works and Transport: That the Bill be read a Third Time.

Agreed to.

Definition of Spouse Bill – [2023] read a Third Time.

5. **THIRD ORDER READ:**

Committee Stage – *Marriage Amendment Bill* – [2023].

Hon. Ekandjo moved, seconded by Hon. Mareka: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

Clause 1 put and agreed to.

Clause 2 as amended by Hon. Karupu, put and agreed to.

Clause 3 and 4 put and agreed to.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED:

Bill reported with amendments.

Hon. Ekandjo moved, seconded by Hon. !Nawases-Taeyele: That the Bill be read a Third Time.

Agreed to.

Marriage Amendment Bill – [2023] read a Third Time.

6. **FOURTH ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on the establishment of a Genocide Memorial Museum for the 1904 genocide perpetuated against the OvaHerero and Nama community.

Question before the Assembly on Tuesday, 4 July 2023, as moved by Hon. Kauandenge. (page 16): That the Motion be adopted.

On the motion of the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security, seconded by Hon. Elago, debate adjourned until Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

7. **FIFTH ORDER** deferred by Hon. !Nawases-Taeyele on behalf of Hon. Kavetuna to Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

8. **SIXTH ORDER** deferred by Hon. Tjirare to Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

9. **SEVENTH ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on the brave deeds of the Late Hompa Kandjimi-Hauwanga of VaKwangali against the racist German and Portuguese imperialists and to have his skull and of other Namibians repatriated from Germany.

Question before the Assembly on Wednesday, 21 June 2023, as moved by Hon. Hambyuka (page 101): That the Motion be referred to a Parliamentary Standing Committee for further scrutiny and report back to this Assembly.

On the motion of Hon. Swartbooi, seconded by Hon. Seibeb, debate adjourned until Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

10. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:46 until Wednesday, 12 July 2023.

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Secretary of the National Assembly

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