



Wednesday, 28 February 2024

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NINTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

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

WEDNESDAY, 28 FEBRUARY 2024

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **URGENT ORAL QUESTIONS:**
 - (i) Hon. McHenry Venaani (PDM) asked the Deputy Minister of Mines and Energy (No. 5) – *To be put in writing.*
 - (ii) Hon. Murorua (UDF) asked the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (No. 6) – *To be put in writing.*
3. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:**
 - (i) Hon. Kauandenge (NUDO) to ask the Minister of Gender Equality, Poverty Eradication and Social Welfare (No. 17).
 - (ii) Hon. Shekupakela (RDP) to ask the Minister of Education, Arts and Culture (No. 18).
4. **FIRST NOTICE OF A MOTION:**

The Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises moved, seconded by the Deputy Minister of Education, Arts and Culture:

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 2025.

Agreed to.

Appropriation Bill [B. 1 – 2024] 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 the Minister in the Presidency: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

On the motion of Hon. Dienda, at the request of Hon. Smit, seconded by Hon. Katjimune, debate adjourned until Thursday, 7 March 2024.

5. The Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 16:24 until Thursday, 29 February 2024.

MS. L. KANDETU
Secretary of the National Assembly

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