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

MONDAY, 18 MARCH 2024

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **Announcement by the Speaker in terms of Rule 20(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders:**

The Speaker reported that he has been reliably informed about the passing on of Mr. Nama Goabab on Thursday, 14 March 2024. Mr. Goabab served as the Secretary of the National Assembly between November 2006 and January 2009. The Speaker said the National Assembly will remember Mr. Goabab as a man with a brilliant mind and a relentless pursuit for excellence.

On behalf of the entire Membership of the National Assembly and the Secretariat, the Speaker expressed heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family and friends of Mr. Nama Goabab.

3. **The Minister of Information and Communication Technology laid upon the Table:**

Integrated Annual Report of the Communications Regulatory Authority of Namibia (CRAN) for the year 2023.

4. **The Minister of Justice laid upon the Table:**

Annual Report of the Office of the Judiciary for the financial year 2022 – 2023.

5. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Appropriation Bill* [B. 1 – 2024].

Question before the Assembly on Wednesday, 13 March 2024, as moved by the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises (page 15): That the Bill be read a Second Time.

On the motion of the Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises, seconded by Hon. Karondo, debate adjourned until Tuesday, 26 March 2024.

6. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:47 until Tuesday, 26 March 2024.

MS. L. KANDETU
Secretary of the National Assembly

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