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NINTH SESSION, SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 9 JULY 2024

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **Announcements by the Speaker in terms of Rule 20(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders:**
 - (i) The Speaker reported that officials from the Namibia Revenue Agency (NAMRA) will be visiting the National Assembly tomorrow, Wednesday, 10 July 2024 from 08:00 until 17:00 to attend to all tax related matters for both the Members and the Secretariat. They will be located in the court yard, just in front of the Chamber. The Speaker urged the Members to make use of these services to file tax returns as well as enquire about your tax related matters.
 - (ii) Secondly, on behalf of the National Assembly the Speaker expressed best wishes to the national soccer team the “Brave Warriors” for winning the silver prize at the recently concluded COSAFA Cup finals.
 - (iii) Lastly, the Speaker announced the passing on of Mrs. Tungare Kapuuo, wife of Chief Vipuire Kapuuo, who passed on last week and she was laid to rest on Sunday, 7 July 2024.
3. **Hon. Kafula moved without Notice:**

That the Proceeding on the Order Paper on the *Consideration of the Standing Rules and Orders* and *Committee Rules of the National Assembly* be, in accordance with Rule 99 of the Standing Rules and Orders, not interrupted if still under consideration at 17:45.

Agreed to.

4. **SPECIAL SITTING:**

Resumption of Consideration of *Standing Rules and Orders* and *Committee Rules of the National Assembly*.

The Speaker moved, that the Assembly now revisit the *Standing Rules and Orders of the National Assembly*, followed by the *Committee Rules*, as they were earlier proposed for amendments.

Agreed to.

Standing Rules and Orders of the National Assembly as revisited and refined, put and agreed. The remaining Sections of the *Committee Rules* to be brought back to the House for finalization.

5. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 18:25 until Wednesday, 10 July 2024.

MS. L. KANDETU
Secretary of the National Assembly

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