



SIXTEENTH SESSION, SIXTH NATIONAL COUNCIL



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, May 13, 2025

(09:30 - 13:00)

No. 2 – 2025

The Council met pursuant to adjournment.

1.0 The Vice-Chairperson took the Chair.

2.0 The Vice-Chairperson asked Honourable Tebele in terms of Rule 23(2), to pray and Honourable Tebele read the Prayer.

3.0 The Vice-Chairperson read the affirmation.

4.0 ANNOUNCEMENT(S)

4.1 The Vice-Chairperson informed the Members that there will be an information session immediately after the Chamber in Conference Room G4.

4.2 The Vice-Chairperson further announced that there will be a meeting of the Implementation and Coordination Committee, to follow after the information session in the Conference Room G4.

4.3 The Vice-Chairperson further reminded the Members to submit their financial and business interests' disclosure forms, in terms of Article 74(3) of the Namibia Constitution. Members were also informed that the Committee of Privileges has

decided, in terms of section 9(4) of the National Council Code of Conduct, that 30th June 2025, be the due date for the submission of the disclosure forms.

5.0 DEBATE ON SECOND READING

5.1 FIRST ORDER READ

Debate on Second Reading – *Appropriation Bill* [B.6 – 2025].

The Council suspended business at 10:30 and resumed at 11:05.

The Vice-Chairperson put the question: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

Agreed to:

The Acting Secretary then read the Bill a Second Time.

The Bill stood referred to **Committee Stage**.

5.2 SECOND ORDER READ

Debate on Second Reading – *Judiciary Amendment Bill* [B.1 – 2025].

The Vice-Chairperson put the question: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

Agreed to:

The Acting Secretary then read the Bill a Second Time.

The Bill stood referred to **Committee Stage**.

5.3 THIRD ORDER READ

Debate on Second Reading – *Public Procurement Amendment Bill* [B.3 – 2025].

The Vice-Chairperson put the question: That the Bill be read a Second Time.

Agreed to:

The Acting Secretary then read the Bill a Second Time.

The Bill stood referred to **Committee Stage**.

6.0 ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Shiimi adjourned the Council at 12:49 until Wednesday, May 14, 2025
at 09:30.

Adv. Tousy Namiseb
Secretary to the National Council
