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SECOND SESSION, EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, 29 OCTOBER 2025

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:**
 - (i) Hon. Iipumbu (NEFF) to ask the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 268).
 - (ii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) to ask the Minister of Defence and Veterans Affairs, and Interim Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 269).
 - (iii) Hon. Jonas (SWAPO) to ask the Minister of Works and Transport (No. 270).
 - (iv) Hon. Likando (IPC) to ask the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 271).
 - (v) Hon. Nashinge (IPC) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 272).
3. **Ministerial Statements in terms of Rule 136 of the Standing Rules and Orders:**
 - (i) The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform informed the assembly of two important developments affecting our agricultural sector. One is concerning cross-border horticultural trade, and the other is about a locust outbreak threatening food security in the Zambezi Region.
(Full Statements up-loaded on the Telegram of the National Assembly)

- (ii) The Minister of Finance shared some news with the Assembly that Namibia has just paid off its biggest-ever international loan, known as the Eurobond, worth 750 million US dollars, approximately N\$12.8 billion (USD/NAD 17.15).

4. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Appropriation Amendment Bill* [B. 11 – 2025].

Question before the Assembly on Tuesday, 28 October 2025, as moved by the Minister of Finance (page 170): That the Bill be read a Second Time.

- 5. **SECOND ORDER** deferred by Hon. Jonas to Thursday, 30 October 2025.
- 6. On the motion of the Right Hon. Prime Minister, seconded by the Minister of Works and Transport, the Assembly adjourned at 17:42 until Thursday, 30 October 2025.

MS. E. N. KAAPANDA
Secretary: National Assembly

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