



Thursday, 25 June 2026

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THIRD SESSION, EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

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

THURSDAY, 25 JUNE 2026

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Deputy Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:**
 - (i) Hon. Kalola (AR) to ask the Minister of Justice and Labour Relations (No. 584).
 - (ii) Hon. Hangula (AR) to ask the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No. 585).
 - (iii) Hon. Shitana (AR) to ask the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 586).
 - (iv) Hon. Lukato (NDP) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 587).
 - (v) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) to ask the Minister of Finance (No. 588).
3. **URGENT ORAL QUESTIONS:**
 - (i) Hon. Nashinge (IPC) asked the Minister of Works and Transport (No. 279) – *Replied to.*
 - (ii) Hon. Somaeb (UDF) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 280) – *Replied to.*

- (iii) Hon. Amupanda (AR) asked the Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 281) – *Replied to.*

4. **Hon. Kooper on behalf of Hon. !Naruseb moved without Notice:**

That leave of absence be granted to:

- (a) Hon. Dr. Saara Kuugongelwa – Amadhila, Hon. Dr. Elijah Ngurare and Hon. Dino Balloti on the 25 June 2026, while on official business, in terms of Rule 124(h) read with Rule 76(1)(d) of the Standing Rules and Orders.
- (b) Hon. Derek Klazen from 30 June 2026 - 2 July 2026 due to death in the family, in terms of Rule 124(h) read together with Rule 76(1)(b) of the Standing Rules and Orders.

Agreed to.

5. **Hon. Hangula moved without Notice:**

That leave of absence be granted to:

Hon. George Kambala on the 25 June 2026, while on official business, in terms of Rule 124(h) read with Rule 76(1)(d) of the Standing Rules and Orders.

Agreed to.

6. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS DEALT WITH:**

- (i) Hon. Ihemba (IPC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 143) – *Stands over.*
- (ii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 146) – *Stands over.*
- (iii) Hon. Cloete (IPC) asked the Minister of International Relations and Trade (No. 152) – *Stands over.*
- (iv) Hon. Cloete (IPC) asked the Minister of International Relations and Trade (No. 159) – *Stands over.*
- (v) Hon. Cloete (IPC) asked the Minister of International Relations and Trade (No. 165) – *Stands over.*
- (vi) Hon. Ipumbu (NEFF) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 167) – *Stands over.*
- (vii) Hon. Prof. Dr. Amupanda (AR) asked the Minister of Works and Transport (No. 170) – *The Question withdraw by the Member as it has been overtaken by events.*
- (viii) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) asked the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (NO. 174) – *Stands over.*

- (ix) Hon. Susiku (IPC) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 175) – *Replied to.*
- (x) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 177) – *Replied to.*
- (xi) Hon. Mouton (IPC) asked the Minister of Information and Communication Technology (No. 178) – *Stands over.*
- (xii) Hon. Brinkman (IPC) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 180) – *Replied to.*
- (xiii) Hon. Cloete (IPC) asked the Minister of International Relations and Trade (No. 181) – *Stands over.*
- (xiv) Hon. Emvula (LPM) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 182) – *Replied to.*
- (xv) Hon. Likando (IPC) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 183) – *Replied to.*
- (xvi) Hon. Likando (IPC) tasked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 184) – *Stands over.*
- (xvii) Hon. Mbuti (IPC) asked the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 185) – *Stands over.*
- (xviii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (N. 186) – *Replied to.*
- (xix) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) asked the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 187) – *Stands over.*
- (xx) Hon. Ihemba (IPC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 188) – *Stands over.*
- (xxi) Hon. Mootu (LPM) to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No. 189) – *Replied to.*
- (xxii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, immigration, Safety and Security (No. 191) – *Stands over.*
- (xxiii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 192) – *Replied to.*
- (xxiv) Hon. Thomas (BCP) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 193) – *Replied to.*
- (xxv) Hon. Haikola (AR) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 194) – *Stands over.*
- (xxvi) Hon. Kambala (AR) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 195) – *Replied to.*

- (xxvii) Hon. Hishoono (IPC) asked the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 196) – *Stands over*.
- (xxviii) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 197) – *Stands over*.
- (xxix) Hon. Likando (IPC) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 198) – *Stands over*.
- (xxx) Hon. Moongo (PDM) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 199) – *Stands over*.
- (xxxi) Hon. Nghifikwa (IPC) asked the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 200) – *Stands over*.
- (xxxii) Hon. Susiku (IPC) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 201) – *Replied to*.
- (xxxiii) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) asked the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 202) – *Stands over*.
- (xxxiv) Hon. Mbinge – Tjeundo (PDM) asked the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 203) – *Stands over*.
- (xxxv) Hon. Haitota (IPC) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No. 204) – *Replied to*.

7. On the Motion of the Minister of Works and Transport, seconded by Hon. Nawases –Taeylele the Assembly adjourned at 17h43 until Tuesday, 30 June 2026.

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