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FOURTH SESSION, EIGHTH PARLIAMENT

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

**THURSDAY, 24 SEPTEMBER 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. Mulunga (IPC) to ask the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No. 697).
  - (ii) Hon. Thomas (BCP) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 698).
  - (iii) Hon. Hengombe (IPC) to ask the Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 699).
  - (iv) Hon. Lukato (NDP) to ask the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 700).
  - (v) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) to ask the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 701).
  - (vi) Hon. Kambala (AR) to ask the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 702).
  - (vii) Hon. Kangulu (IPC) to ask the Minister of Justice and Labour Relations (No. 703).

3. **URGENT ORAL QUESTIONS:**

- (i) Hon. Kandorozi (NUDO) asked the Minister of Finance (No. 339) – *Replied to.*
- (ii) Hon. Mbundu (RP) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 340) – *Replied to.*
- (iii) Hon. Amukoto (IPC) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 341) – *Replied to.*
- (iv) Hon. Hengari (PDM) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 342) – *Replied to.*
- (v) Hon. Amupanda (AR) asked the Minister in the Presidency (No. 343) – *Replied to.*
- (vi) Hon. Nashinge (IPC) asked the Minister of Finance (No. 344) – *Replied to.*
- (vii) Hon. Manombe-Ncube (SWAPO) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 345) – *Replied to.*

4. **Hon. Eigub moved without Notice:**

That leave of absence be granted to Hon. Bernadus Swartbooi, in terms of Rule 124(h) read with Rule 76(1)(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, until further notice, due to illness.

5. **QUESTIONS DEALT WITH:**

- (i) Hon. Lukato (NDP) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 146) – *Replied to.*
- (ii) Hon. Ipumbu (NEFF) asked the Minister of Urban and Rural Development (No. 167) – *Replied to.*
- (iii) Hon. Cloete (IPC) asked the Minister of International Relations and Trade (No. 181) – *Replied to.*
- (iv) Hon. Likando (IPC) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No. 198) – *Replied to.*
- (v) Hon. Kumbwa (APP) asked the Minister of Works and Transport (No. 206) – *Stands over.*
- (vi) Hon. Ihemba (IPC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 213) – *Stands over.*
- (vii) Hon. Nashinge (IPC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 215) – *Stands over.*

- (viii) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) asked the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 220) – *Stands over*.
- (ix) Hon. Nghifikwa (IPC) asked the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 233) – *Replied to*.
- (x) Hon. Nashinge (IPC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 234) – *Stands over*.
- (xi) Hon. Likando (IPC) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No 238) – *Stands over*.
- (xii) Hon. Hishoono (IPC) asked the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 241) – *Replied to*.
- (xiii) Hon. Brinkman (IPC) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 243) – *Replied to*.
- (xiv) Hon. Mwashindange (IPC) asked the Minister of Finance (No. 244) – *Replied to*.
- (xv) Hon. Likando (IPC) asked the Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism (No 245) – *Replied to*.
- (xvi) Hon. Venaani (PDM) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No 246) – *Stands over*.
- (xvii) Hon. Kandorozu (NUDO) asked the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries, Water and Land Reform (No. 247) – *Stands over*.
- (xviii) Hon. Lizazi (IPC) asked the Right Honourable Prime Minister (No. 248) – *Stands over*.
- (xix) Hon. Lizazi (IPC) asked the Minister of Justice and Labour Relations (No. 249) – *Stands over*.
- (xx) Hon. Nanyeni (SWAPO) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 250) – *Replied to*.
- (xxi) Hon. Hengombe (IPC) asked the Minister of Industries, Mines and Energy (No. 251) – *Stands over*.
- (xxii) Hon. Thomas (BCP) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 252) – *Replied to*.
- (xxiii) Hon. Susiku (IPC) asked the Minister of Health and Social Services (No. 253) – *Replied to*.

6. In terms of Rule 155(1) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 17:57 until Tuesday, 29 September 2026.

**MS. E.N KAAPANDA**

*Secretary : National Assembly*

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