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REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER 2026

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.

2. **Announcement by the Speaker in terms of Rule 117(b) of the Standing Rules, Orders and Internal Arrangements:**

   The Speaker once again reminded the House of the engagement with the Members of the Namibia-Cuba Friendship Association, scheduled to take place on 17 November 2026, during the tea break in the Courtyard, and encouraged all Honourable Members to attend.

3. **NOTICES OF QUESTIONS:**

   (i) Hon. Thomas (BCP) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security (No. 854).

   (ii) Hon. Mbundu (RP) to ask the Minister of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture (No. 855).

   (iii) Hon. Moongo (PDM) to ask the Minister of Information and Communication Technology (No. 856).

   (iv) Hon. Kangulu (IPC) to ask the Minister of Defence and Veterans Affairs (No. 857).

(v) Hon. Eigub (LPM) to ask the Minister of Works and Transport (No. 858).

(vi) Hon. Lutuhezi (IPC) to ask the Minister of Gender Equality and Child Welfare (No. 859).

(vii) Hon. Amupanda (AR) to ask the Minister of Finance (No. 860).

4. **MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE:**

(i) **Hon. Klazen moved on behalf of Hon. !Naruseb without Notice:**

That leave of absence be granted to Hon. Dr. Sanet Steenkamp, in terms of Rule 124(h) read with Rule 76(1)(d) of the Standing Rules, Orders and Internal Arrangements, for the period 17 to 19 November 2026, due to official business; and Hon. Alpheus G. !Naruseb and Hon. Christine K. Haindaka, in terms of Rule 76(1)(c) of the Standing Rules, Orders and Internal Arrangements, for the period of 18 to 19 November 2026, due to urgent matters.

(ii) **Hon. Nghifikwa moved without Notice:**

That leave of absence be granted to Hon. John-Louw Mouton, in terms of Rule 124(h) read with Rule 76(1)(d) and (f) of the Standing Rules, Orders and Internal Arrangements, for the period 18 to 19 November 2026, due to official business.

5. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Income Tax Amendment Bill* [B.7 – 2025].

Question before the Assembly on Wednesday, 11 November 2026, as moved by the Minister of Finance (page 143): That the Bill be read a Second Time.

On the motion of Hon. Longinus Iipumbu, seconded by Hon. Mwashindange, debate adjourned until Wednesday, 18 November 2026.

6. On the motion of the Right Honourable Prime Minister, seconded by Hon. Mushelenga, the Assembly adjourned at 17:41 until Wednesday, 18 November 2026.

MR. O.S MUYATWA
Acting Secretary: National Assembly

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