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NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY, 27 JUNE 2024
(14:30 – 17:45)

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

I. Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to regulate the solemnisation of marriages; to provide for the validation and recognition of certain marriages; and to provide for incidental matters.

II. Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to provide for a process for application for acquisition of Namibian citizenship by naturalisation for holders of South West Africa identification documents; to provide for a process for application for acquisition of Namibian citizenship by birth or descent of the descendants of holders of South West Africa identification documents; to provide for a process for application for the acquisition of Namibian citizenship by marriage or customary marriage of foreign spouses of holders of South West Africa identification documents; to provide for a prohibition of retroactive right to benefits of persons who acquire citizenship under this Act; and to provide for incidental matters.

III. Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security:

That leave be given to introduce a Bill to provide for compilation and maintenance of a Civil Register; to provide for the appointment of Registrar-General and Registrars; to determine the age of certain persons recorded in the Civil Register in accordance with this Act; to provide for name changes and other alterations to the Civil Register; to provide for the issue of identity documents to certain persons listed in the Civil Register; to provide for an Appeals Tribunal and incidental matters.

IV. **Minister of Industrialisation and Trade:**

That this Assembly –

Agree to the Ratification of the Kampala Protocol on Voluntary Registration of Copyright and Related Rights within the Framework of the African Regional Intellectual Property Organization (ARIPO).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

- I. Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Regional and Constituency Development Fund Bill* [B. 22 - 2023] – [Deputy Minister of Defence and Veterans Affairs].
- II. Resumption of Debate on the Ratification of the 2012 Cape Town Agreement on the Implementation of the Provisions of the Torremolinos Protocol of 1993 – [Hon. Dienda].
- III. Resumption of Consideration of the Committee Report on the oversight visit to the management of Railway Infrastructure in //Kharas, Hardap, Khomas and Erongo Regions – [Hon. Dienda].
- IV. Resumption of Debate on the accessibility and affordability of alcohol and drug rehabilitation centres in Namibia and the establishment of more State-owned alcohol and rehabilitation centres – [Deputy Minister of Health and Social Services].
- V. Resumption of Consideration of the Committee Report on the Petition on the Management of the Bwabwata Communal Land by the Ministry of Environment, Forestry and Tourism – [Hon. Dr. Aupindi].
- VI. Resumption of Debate to abolish RedForce Debt Management in local authorities and to investigate the true owners of the company – [Hon. Hengari].
- VII. Resumption of Consideration of Report on the National Resettlement Policy for the years 2023 – 2033 – [Deputy Minister of Finance and Public Enterprises].
- VIII. Resumption of Consideration of the Committee Report on the Workshop with Stakeholders of the Justice Cluster – [Hon. Swartbooi].
- IX. Resumption of Debate on merging the National Youth Council (NYC) into the National Youth Service (NYS) into one single body – [Deputy Minister of Sport, Youth and National Service].
- X. Resumption of Consideration of the Committee Report on Oversight visits to Skeleton Coast in Erongo and Kunene Regions focusing on Possible Diamond Deposits – [Deputy Minister of Mines and Energy].
- XI. Resumption of Debate on the legal, social, and economic ramifications of road accidents caused by livestock, especially in communal areas, and further to propose a course of action that will protect both road users and livestock owners – [Deputy Minister of Works and Transport].
- XII. Consideration of Committee Report on the Visit to the Green Schemes in Zambezi, Kavango East and Kavango West – [Hon. Tweya].
- XIII. Consideration of Committee Report on the Visit to the Climate Change Funded Projects – [Hon. Tweya].

- XIV. Consideration of Committee Report on the Motion of Fake Qualifications within the Public Sector – [Hon. Dingara].
- XV. Consideration of Reports of the Select Committee on Budget on the Benchmarking visits to the Parliaments of Zambia, Uganda, Ghana and Zimbabwe – [Hon. Katamelo].
- XVI. Resumption of Debate on foreign music content that diminishes Namibia’s cultural identity and limiting the portrayal of local stories in our media – [Hon. Katjimune].
- XVII. Resumption of Consideration of the Committee Report on the Stakeholder Consultative and Oversight Workshop on the Financial Institutions and Markets Act (FIMA).
- XVIII. Resumption of Debate on government to avail adequate resources for public schools to also excel like private schools – [Hon. Mareka].
- XIX. Consideration of Committee Report on the Oversight Visits to Green Schemes and Agriculture Projects in the //Kharas and Hardap – [Hon. Mareka].

TUESDAY, 2 JULY 2024

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

I. Minister of Health and Social Services:

That leave be given to provide for the establishment, constitution, powers and functions of the Health Professions Council of Namibia; to provide for the establishment of professional boards; to regulate the registration and licensing of persons practising health professions or categories of registration; to prescribe the education, tuition, training and qualifications required for the registration of persons to practise any of the professions, including sub-specialities, specialities, additional qualifications and other subjects and courses; to prohibit the practising of a profession without being registered or licensed; to provide for appeal against decisions of the Council; and to provide for incidental matters.

II. Deputy Minister of Home Affairs, Immigration, Safety and Security:

That this Assembly –

Agree to the Ratification of the Agreement between the Republic of Namibia and the Republic of Cuba on the transfer of convicted persons.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

- I. Resumption of Debate on Second Reading - *Divorce Bill* [B.3 – 2024] – [Hon. Dienda].
- II. Resumption of Debate on Second Reading – *Property Practitioners Bill* [B.2 – 2024] – [Hon. Katjimune].
- III. Resumption of Debate on the Regulations relating to the Terms and Conditions of the Selection Committee and the process for the appointment of the Information Commissioner and the Deputy

Information Commissioner, following the enactment of the *Access to Information Act* – [Minister of Information and Communication Technology].

- IV. Resumption of Debate on the establishment of communal land in the Khomas Region for the /Khomaniin Traditional Authority and for the administration of the said communal by the Khomas Communal Land Board to be established to allocate land rights – [Hon. Dienda].

WEDNESDAY, 3 JULY 2024

ORDER OF THE DAY

Resumption of Debate on the underutilisation of our perennial rivers namely the Zambezi, Kavango, Kunene and Orange Rivers compared to our neighbouring countries – [Hon. Mootu].
