

REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES

FRIDAY, 15 MAY 2026

1. The Council met at 09:55.
2. The Chairperson took the Chair and requested members to observe a moment of silence for prayers or meditation.
3. The Chairperson announced that the physical sitting constituted a sitting of the National Council of Provinces.
4. [10:02] Address of the President of the Republic of South Africa to the National Council of Provinces and the debate thereon: **“Ensuring a people-centred local government towards building better communities.”**

Debate concluded.

5. The Council adjourned at 14:38.

Xolile George
Secretary to Parliament