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PARLIAMENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FRIDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER 2024

MINI-PLenary SESSIONS

Mini-Plenary 1 - Virtual meeting platform: 10:00

MOTIONS:

1. Subject for discussion (Mr S C Sekoati): The developmental role of the financial sector in supporting industrialisation and structural transformation.
 2. Subject for discussion (Mr T B Mabhena): Measures to alleviate the escalating financial strain placed on households due to the Republic's persistent cost of living crisis.
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Mini-Plenary 2 - Virtual meeting platform: 10:00

MOTIONS:

1. Subject for discussion (Mr V G Reddy): The appropriateness of the continued use of the term 'government of national unity' (GNU) within parliamentary and governmental discourse, given the evolving political landscape in South Africa.
2. Draft resolution (Mr J S Malema): That the House -
 - (1) notes that South Africa generally has a pervasive crime problem, and that individuals, households, and businesses are all under the stranglehold of rampant criminals;
 - (2) further notes that the state is showing signs of having lost the fight against criminality, and that citizens themselves have lost

confidence in the ability of the police to prevent and investigate crime;

- (3) acknowledges that criminals are finding new ways of advancing their criminal networks and have now targeted vulnerable groupings in both urban and peri-urban areas;
- (4) further acknowledges that amongst the most vulnerable groupings of people targeted by criminals are small business owners and even informal businesses in townships and villages;
- (5) recognises that the new phenomenon of a “protection fee” in terms of which criminals demand to be paid a certain percentage of the income that businesses make, is extortion—a vile form of crime that destabilizes businesses and endangers lives;
- (6) further recognises that this form of extortion has been cited as the main reason some businesses, such as Beerhouse in Cape Town, have closed down because known gang leaders in Cape Town wanted to forcefully take the ownership of the business through this extortion racket;
- (7) understands that in the townships of Cape Town, many lives have been lost because of this extortion racket, and that the racket has now spread to the Eastern Cape, forcing schools to close because criminals are demanding extortion fees even from teachers;
- (8) believes that if this phenomenon is allowed to continue, no one will ever be able to do business free from criminal persecution in this country; and
- (9) resolves to establish an ad hoc committee in terms of Rule 253(1)(a), the committee to –
 - (a) investigate the impact of this form of criminality in South Africa, with specific focus on the Western Cape, Eastern Cape, and KwaZulu-Natal;
 - (b) conduct public hearings to get the views of ordinary South Africans, small businesses, informal businesses, security experts, policymakers, civil society organizations, and academics about the factors that enable this extortion crime, and measures to be taken to completely eradicate this form of crime phenomenon in society;
 - (c) propose the necessary policy and legislative interventions to be made, including clear oversight mechanisms for Parliament to oversee the implementation of interventions by government aimed at eliminating this form of crime in society;
 - (d) exercise those powers in Rule 167 that may assist it in carrying out its task;

- (e) consist of 11 members, as follows: ANC 4, DA 2, MK 2, EFF 1, and other parties 2; and
- (f) report to the House by 30 November 2024.

FURTHER BUSINESS

ORDERS OF THE DAY:

1. Consideration of **Draft notice and schedule determining the rate, with effect from 1 April 2023, at which salaries, allowances and benefits are payable to members of Commission for Gender Equality annually** (Report of Portfolio Committee on Women, Youth and Persons with Disabilities) (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 4 September 2024, p 5).
2. Consideration of **Draft notice and schedule determining the rate, with effect from 1 April 2024, at which salaries, allowances and benefits are payable to members of Commission for Gender Equality annually** (Report of Portfolio Committee on Women, Youth and Persons with Disabilities) (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 4 September 2024, p 5).

APPENDIXES

BILLS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES

1. **Protection of State Information Bill** [B 6H – 2010] (National Assembly – sec 75) and the President’s reservations on the constitutionality of the Bill as submitted to him (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 12 June 2020, p 7) – (Portfolio Committee on Justice and Constitutional Development – National Assembly).
2. **South African Reserve Bank Bill** [B 26 – 2018] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Standing Committee on Finance – National Assembly).
3. **Transport Appeal Tribunal Amendment Bill** [B 20D - 2020] (National Assembly – sec 76) - (Portfolio Committee on Transport – National Assembly).
4. **Marine Oil Pollution (Preparedness, Response and Cooperation) Bill** [B 10B - 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Select Committee on

Public Infrastructure and Ministries in Presidency - National Council of Provinces).

5. **Older Persons Amendment Bill** [B 11B – 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Select Committee on Social Services - National Council of Provinces).
6. **Independent Municipal Demarcation Authority Bill** [B 14B – 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Select Committee on Cooperative Governance and Public Administration – National Council of Provinces).
7. **Tobacco Products and Electronic Delivery Systems Control Bill** [B 33 - 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Portfolio Committee on Health – National Assembly).
8. **Public Administration Management Amendment Bill** [B 10B – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Select Committee on Cooperative Governance and Public Administration – National Council of Provinces).
9. **Public Service Amendment Bill** [B 13B – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Select Committee on Cooperative Governance and Public Administration – National Council of Provinces).
10. **Merchant Shipping Bill** [B 12 - 2023] (National Assembly – sec 75) - (Portfolio Committee on Transport – National Assembly).
11. **Electoral Commission Amendment Bill** [B 15 - 2023] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Portfolio Committee on Home Affairs - National Assembly).
12. **Public Service Commission Bill** [B 30 – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration – National Assembly).
13. **South African Broadcasting Corporation SOC Ltd Bill** [B 32 – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Portfolio Committee on Communications and Digital Technologies – National Assembly).
14. **Marriage Bill** [B 43 – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 76) – (Portfolio Committee on Home Affairs – National Assembly).
15. **National State Enterprises Bill** [B 1 – 2024] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Portfolio Committee on Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation - National Assembly).
16. **Repeal of South African Airways Bill** [B 2 – 2024] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Portfolio Committee on Public Enterprises – National Assembly).
17. **Immigration Amendment Bill** [B 8 – 2024] (National Assembly – sec 75) – (Portfolio Committee on Home Affairs – National Assembly).

BILL TO BE REFERRED TO MEDIATION COMMITTEE

1. **National Gambling Amendment Bill** [B 27B – 2018] (National Assembly – sec 76).

**BILLS RETURNED TO ASSEMBLY FOR CONSIDERATION OF
PRESIDENT’S RESERVATIONS**

1. **Protection of State Information Bill** [B 6H – 2010] (National Assembly – sec 75).

**BILLS PASSED BY NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AND
TRANSMITTED TO NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES FOR
CONCURRENCE**

1. **Marine Oil Pollution (Preparedness, Response and Cooperation) Bill** [B 10B - 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76).
2. **Older Persons Amendment Bill** [B 11B – 2022] (National Assembly – sec 76).
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