

- (i) *Taxation Laws Amendment Bill* [B 26—2002] (National Assembly—sec 77).

The Bill has been referred to the Portfolio Committee on Finance of the National Assembly.

**National Assembly:**

1. The Speaker:

- (1) Report of the South African delegation to the 107th Inter-Parliamentary Union Conference, Marrakech, 17-23 March 2002.

*The Report is available from the Parliamentary Library.*

- (2) Mr M C J van Schalkwyk has vacated his seat with effect from 20 June 2002, and the vacancy has been filled with effect from 20 June 2002 by the nomination of Dr R T Rhoda.

- (3) Bills passed by National Assembly on 19 June 2002: Submitted to President of the Republic for assent:

- (i) *Constitution of the Republic of South Africa Second Amendment Bill* [B 17D—2002] (National Assembly—sec 74).

- (ii) *Loss or Retention of Membership of National and Provincial Legislatures Bill* [B 25B—2002] (National Assembly—sec 76).

**National Council of Provinces:**

1. The Chairperson:

- (1) Bill passed by National Council of Provinces on 19 June 2002: To be submitted to President of the Republic for assent:

- (i) *Private Security Industry Levies Bill* [B 11—2002] (National Assembly—sec 77).

- (2) Bill passed by National Council of Provinces on 20 June 2002: To be submitted to President of the Republic for assent:

- (i) *KwaZulu Cane Growers' Association Act Repeal Bill* [B 48B—2001] (National Assembly—sec 75).

- (3) Message from National Assembly to National Council of Provinces:

Bill passed by National Assembly on 20 June 2002 and transmitted for concurrence:

- (i) *Appropriation Bill* [B 4—2002] (National Assembly—sec 77).

The Bill has been referred to the Select Committee on Finance of the National Council of Provinces.

2. The Chairperson:

The following papers have been tabled and are now referred to the relevant committees as mentioned below:

- (1) **The following papers are referred to the Select Committee on Land and Environmental Affairs:**

- (a) Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the Ingonyama Trust Board for 1 April 1994 to 31 March 1999 [RP 17-2002].
  - (b) Report of the Auditor-General on the Financial Statements of the South African Wool Board for 1999-2000 [RP 74-2002].
- (2) **The following paper is referred to the Select Committee on Economic and Foreign Affairs:**

Report of the Auditor-General on the Reinsurance Fund for Export Credit and Foreign Investments for the period 1 April 2001 to 30 June 2001 [RP 64-2002].

## **TABLINGS:**

### *National Assembly and National Council of Provinces:*

#### *Papers:*

1. The Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:  
Explanatory Memorandum to the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants.
2. The Minister for Safety and Security:  
Regulation No R 721 published in Government Gazette No 23443 dated 24 May 2002: Regulations tabled in terms of section 24(1) of the South African Police Services Act, 1995 (Act No 68 of 1995).

### *National Assembly:*

1. The Speaker:
  - (1) The following changes have been effected to the membership of Committees, viz:
    - Public Accounts:**  
Appointed: Seaton, S A (Alt).
    - Public Works:**  
Appointed: Blanché, J P I.

### *National Council of Provinces:*

1. The Chairperson:
  - (1) Protocol to the Treaty Establishing the African Economic Community relating to the Pan-African Parliament, tabled in terms of section 231(2) of the Constitution, 1996.
  - (2) Explanatory Memorandum to the Protocol.

Referred to the Working Group on the African Union for consideration and report.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

### *National Assembly:*

1. Second Interim Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Powers and Privileges of Parliament, dated 20 June 2002:

The Ad Hoc Committee on Powers and Privileges of Parliament reports as follows:

1. On 5 April 2001 the Committee was instructed to consider the recommendations of the Joint Subcommittee on Powers and Privileges of Parliament, and to introduce a Bill in accordance with Chapter 13 of the National Assembly Rules.
2. The Committee considered the legislation, research work, written and oral submissions from the public, as well as inputs from provincial legislatures. It also conferred with the Ad Hoc Select Committee on Powers and Privileges of Parliament of the National Council of Provinces, and incorporated amendments suggested by that committee.
3. The Committee's scheduled meetings often clashed with other meetings, which many members deemed as of primary importance. This led to this Committee's meetings being cancelled, or discussions going ahead with only a few members in attendance.
4. The Committee last met on 28 May 2002. An Eighth Draft Bill was prepared for discussion by political parties before the Committee was to adopt the Bill and report to the House by 20 June 2002. However, due to the passing away of the Committee Chairperson, Mr P R Mokaba, this time-frame could not be met.
5. The Committee has recently been requested to consider a number of additional matters for inclusion in the legislation. It therefore requests the Chairperson of Committees and the Programming Committee, as well as the Chief Whips' Forum, to assist it by arranging suitable dates for it to meet, bearing in mind that many members of this Committee are chairpersons of their own committees.
6. This Committee needs to consider these matters in depth, amend the legislation where necessary, adopt the final Bill and report to the National Assembly during the third term.
7. With the above in mind, the Committee requests the House to extend its deadline to a date to be determined by the Programming Committee for reporting to it and for introducing the final Bill.

Report to be considered.

2. Report of the Portfolio Committee on Provincial and Local Government on Property Valuation in Eastern Cape, Northern Cape, Western Cape and other relevant Provinces, dated 20 June 2002:

The Portfolio Committee on Provincial and Local Government reports as follows:

- (a) Current valuations of property in the Eastern Cape, the Northern Cape and the Western Cape, for purposes of rating, have been undertaken in terms of the Property Valuation Ordinance, 1993 (Cape) ("the Ordinance").

- (b) Potential legal challenges exist regarding these valuations.
- (c) The said challenges may arise in regard to the applicability or otherwise of the Ordinance.
- (d) Legal certainty is required regarding the applicability and interpretation of the Ordinance.
- (e) There may be other provinces which may be similarly affected.
- (f) Time-consuming steps are required for the processing of local government legislation.
- (g) The imminent processing of the Local Government Laws Amendment Bill provides a window of opportunity to address the abovementioned concerns regarding the Ordinance.

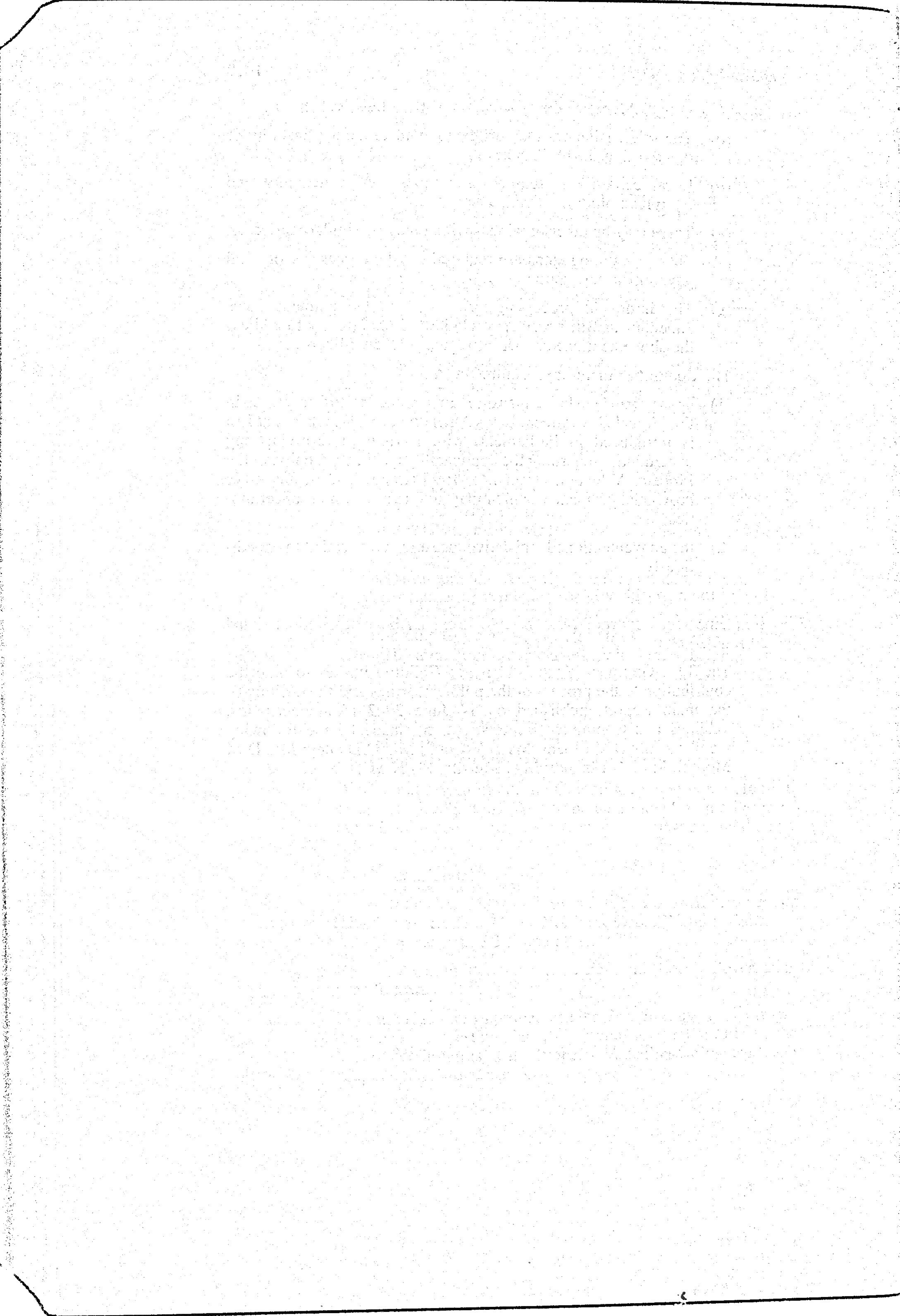
The Committee therefore recommends that—

- (1) appropriate legislative measures are attended to and processed in the “Local Government Laws Amendment Bill”, when that Bill is introduced in Parliament, with a view to resolving any uncertainties regarding the applicability and interpretation of the Property Valuation Ordinance, 1993 (Cape), and of any other provincial ordinances which may suffer from similar uncertainties; and
- (2) the abovementioned legislative measures be attended to expeditiously.

Report to be considered.

3. Supplementary Report of Task Group on Sexual Abuse of Children, dated 20 June 2002:

The Task Group on Sexual Abuse of Children wishes to note the contribution to the process of the public hearings and the drafting of the main Report, published on 14 June 2002 (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, p 835), made by the following members: Mr D V Bloem; Ms N V Cindi; Mrs C Dudley; Mrs D M Morobi; Ms P N Mnandi; Ms I Mutsila; Ms N M Tsheole.



## REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

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# MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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FRIDAY, 21 JUNE 2002

1. The House met at 09:03.
2. The Speaker took the Chair and requested members to observe a moment of silence for prayers or meditation.
3. The Speaker announced that the commencement of the "Crossing-the-Floor" legislation had been suspended in the light of a court order.
4. The Speaker announced that the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr M C J van Schalkwyk had been filled, in accordance with item 6(3) of Schedule 6 to the Constitution, 1996, by the nomination of Dr R T Rhoda with effect from 20 June 2002.

Dr R T Rhoda, accompanied by Mr J J Dowry, made and subscribed the oath and took his seat.

5. [09:07] Notices of motion.
6. [09:22] The Chief Whip of the Majority Party moved: That Rule 253(1) be suspended for the purposes of conducting the Second Reading debate on the *Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Bill* [B 15—2002] (National Assembly—sec 75).

Question put: That the motion be agreed to.

Division demanded.

The House divided.

AYES—151: Abram, S; Ainslie, A R; Baloyi, M R; Baloyi, O S B; Bekker, H J; Benjamin, J; Bhengu, F; Blaas, A; Bloem, D V; Booi, M S; Cachalia, I M; Cassim, M F; Chalmers, J; Chiba, L; Chiwayo, L L; Cwele, S C; Davies, R H; Diale, L N; Dithebe, S L; Doidge, G Q M; Douglas, B M; Dowry, J J; Duma, N M; Durand, J; Erwin, A; Fankomo, F C; Fazzie, M H; Ferreira, E T; Fihla, N B; Gcina, C I; Geldenhuys, B L; Gerber, P A; Gomomo, P J; Goosen, A D; Greyling, C H F; Gumede, D M; Hanekom, D A; Hogan, B A; Jassat, E E; Jeffery, J H; Joemat, R R; Jordan, Z P; Kalako, M U; Kati, J Z; Kgarimetsa, J J; Kgauwe, Q J; Kgwele, L M; Komphela, B M; Koornhof, G W; Kotwal, Z; Lamani, N E; Landers, L T; Le Roux, J W; Lekgoro, M K; Lishiva, T E; Lobe, M C; Lockey, D; Louw, J T; Louw, S K; Lyle, A G; Mabe, L; Magazi, M N; Magubane, N E;

Mahlangu, M J; Maimane, D S; Maine, M S; Makasi, X C; Malebana, H F; Maloney, L; Maphalala, M A; Maserumule, F T; Masithela, N H; Masutha, M T; Mathibela, N F; Maunye, M M; Mayatula, S M; Mbadi, L M; Mbombo, N D; Mbuyazi, L R; Mfundisi, I S; Mguni, B A; Middleton, N S; Mnandi, P N; Mndende, O N; Mnumzana, S K; Modise, T R; Mohlala, R J B; Mokoena, D A; Molebatsi, M A; Molewa, B G; Moloto, K A; Morutoa, M R; Motubatse, S D; Mpaka, H M; Mpontshane, A M; Mtsweni, N S; Mutsila, I; Nair, B; Ndlovu, V B; Ndzanga, R A; Nefolovhodwe, P J; Nel, A C; Newhoudt-Druchen, W S; Ngcengwane, N D; Ngculu, L V J; Nhleko, N P; Nhlengethwa, D G; Nkabinde, N C; Nobunga, B J; Nqodi, S B; Ntuli, B M; Ntuli, S B; Nzimande, L P M; Olifant, D A A; Phadagi, M G; Pieterse, R D; Pretorius, I J; Rabie, P J; Rajbally, S; Ramgobin, M; Rasmeni, S M; Ripinga, S S; Schippers, J; Schneeman, G D; Schoeman, E A; Seaton, S A; Sekgobela, P S; September, R K; Shilubana, T P; Shope, N R; Sibiya, M S M; Sigwela, E M; Sikakane, M R; Simmons, S; Sithole, D J; Skhosana, W M; Smith, V G; Solomon, G; Tinto, B; Tolo, L J; Tsheole, N M; Vadi, I; Van Deventer, F J; Van Schalkwyk, M C J; Van Wyk, A (Anna); Van Wyk, A (Annelize); Van Wyk, J F; Van Wyk, N; Vos, S C; Zondo, R P; Zulu, N E.

NOES—30: Andrew, K M; Borman, G M; Botha, A J; Bruce, N S; Da Camara, M L; Dudley, C; Ellis, M J; Farrow, S B; Gibson, D H M; Green, L M; Grobler, G A J; Heine, R J; Jankielsohn, R; Kalyan, S V; Leon, A J; Madasa, Z L; Maluleke, D K; Moorcroft, E K; Ntuli, R S; Opperman, S E; Pillay, S; Schalkwyk, P J; Schmidt, H C; Selfe, J; Semple, J A; Seremane, W J; Southgate, R M; Swart, P S; Taljaard, R; Waters, M.

The Speaker announced that, the required number of members not being present for the vote to be taken, decision of the question was postponed (see item 8).

7. FIRST ORDER [09:30]

Debate on Report of Portfolio Committee on Trade and Industry on public hearings on industrial policy (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 6 June 2002, p 571).

Debate interrupted.

8. [10:07] The Speaker, with reference to her earlier announcement that the vote could not be taken on the motion moved by the Chief Whip of the Majority Party, declared that the division results indicated that the required number of members had in fact been present and that the question had accordingly been agreed to.

9. [10:10] Resumption of debate on Report of Portfolio Committee on Trade and Industry on public hearings on industrial policy.

Debate concluded.

10. SECOND ORDER [10:42]

Consideration of Report of Joint Monitoring Committee on Improvement of Quality of Life and Status of Children, Youth and Disabled Persons (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 2001, 11 December 2001, p 1520—*Visit to Eastern Cape*).

Debate concluded.

11. THIRD ORDER [11:53]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Labour (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 5 June 2002, p 551—*Labour Standards Convention*).

Report adopted without debate.

12. FOURTH ORDER [11:53]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Labour (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 5 June 2002, p 552—*Occupational Safety and Health Convention*).

Report adopted without debate.

13. FIFTH ORDER [11:54]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Finance (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 23 May 2002, p 454—*RSA/Seychelles Double Taxation Agreement*).

Report adopted without debate.

14. SIXTH ORDER [11:54]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Education (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 14 November 2001, p 1399—*Study Tour to Cuba*).

Report adopted without debate.

15. SEVENTH ORDER [11:54]

Consideration of Report of Ad Hoc Committee on Filling of Vacancies on South African Human Rights Commission (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 11 June 2002, p 654).

Report adopted without debate.

16. EIGHTH ORDER [11:55]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Constitutional Development (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 29 May 2002, p 479—*European Convention on Extradition*).

Report adopted without debate.

17. NINTH ORDER [11:55]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Constitutional Development (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 29 May 2002, p 479—*SADC Protocol Against Corruption*).

Report adopted without debate.

18. TENTH ORDER [11:55]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Constitutional Development (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 27 May 2002, p 462—*Additional Protocol to European Convention on Extradition*).

Report adopted without debate.

19. ELEVENTH ORDER [11:55]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Constitutional Development (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 27 May 2002, p 462—*Second Additional Protocol to European Convention on Extradition*).

Report adopted without debate.

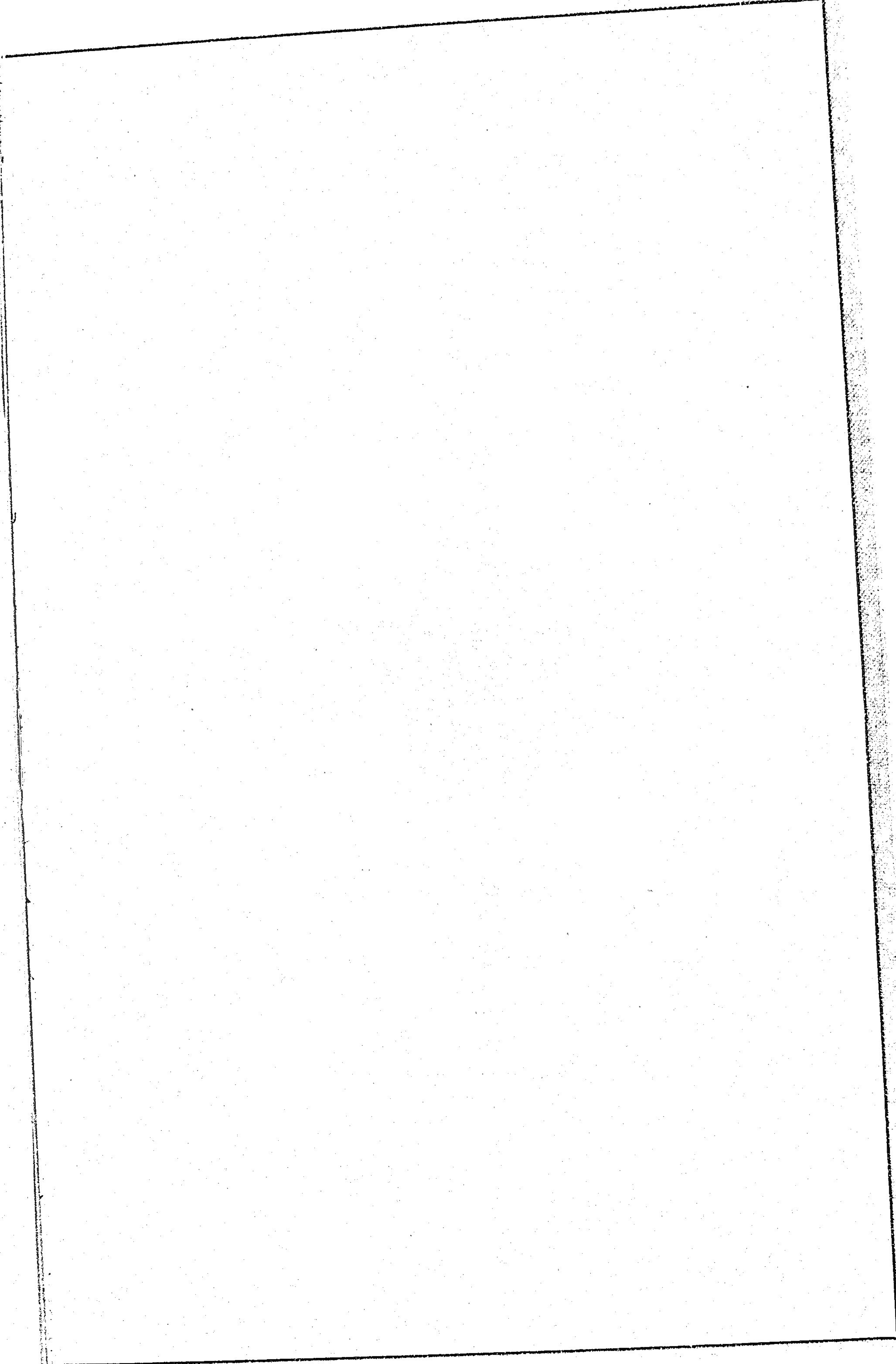
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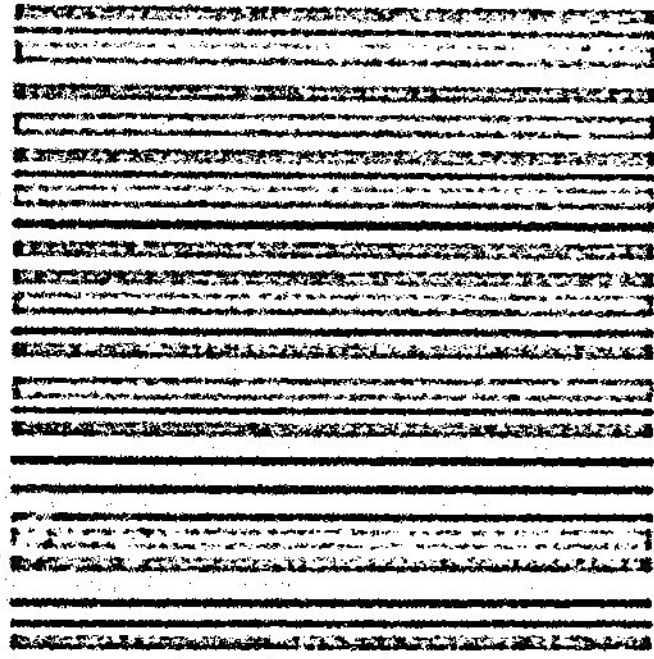
20. The House adjourned at 11:56.

S MFENYANA,

Secretary to Parliament.

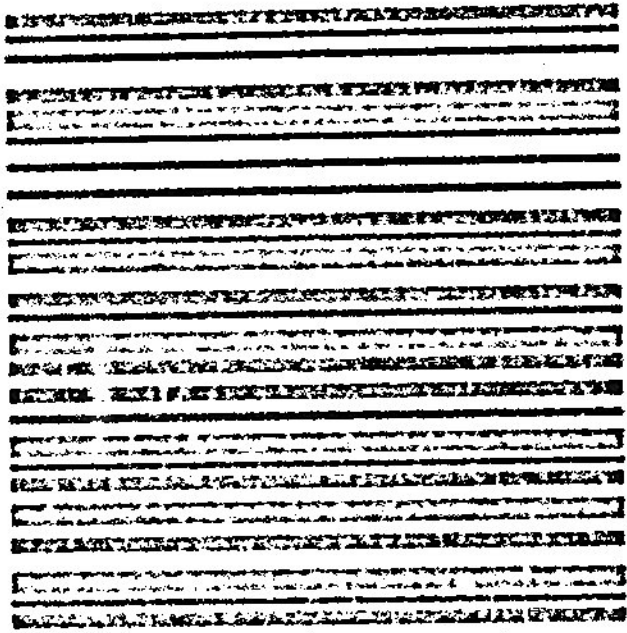


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