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KWAZULU-NATAL LEGISLATURE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS AND TABLINGS

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CHAMBER: 09H00

1. OBITUARIES (Item 2 on the Order Paper)

Honourable Members, it is with profound sadness that we formally note the passing away of:

- 1.1** Mr Thami Mchunu, father to Mr Sbusiso Masikane of the SCM Unit who was laid to rest on 16 November 2019;
- 1.2** Ms Amelta Dlamini, fiancée to honourable Mr V R Mlotshwa and Ms Dlamini's daughter, Busiswa passed away under very tragic circumstances. Ms Dlamini and her son Sheleni Jnr were engulfed by a fire at their Winterton home on Thursday last week.

Despite the brave efforts of police officers who rescued Ms Dlamini from the raging inferno and rushed her to hospital, she sadly succumbed to her severe injuries the following day.

Upon learning of her mother's tragic passing, Ms Dlamini's daughter, Busiswa (15) committed suicide. Sheleni Jnr who was also rescued from the blaze remains in a critical but stable condition at a Durban hospital.

Ms Dlamini and her daughter will be laid to rest this coming Saturday; and

1.3 Victims of inclement weather conditions around the Province.

May we rise to observe the moment of silence for all departed souls and may their souls rest in peace.

2. ANNOUNCEMENTS (Item 3 on the Order Paper)

2.1 APOLOGIES

2.1.1 Honourable Mr S Zikalala, KZN Premier: Government engagement in Singapore;

2.1.2 Honourable Mr S E Hlomuka: Government engagement;

2.1.3 Honourable Mr K I Mshengu: late arrival due to Government engagement;

2.1.4 Honourable Ms BN Sithole-Moloi: Government engagement;

2.1.5 Honourable Ms N M Khoza: Government engagement.

2.1.6 Honourable Ms H G S Mavimbela: leave early due to a Government engagement;

2.1.7 Honourable Mr V F Hlabisa: Party work;

2.1.8 Honourable Mr M J Mazibuko: Attending NCOP Plenary Session in Cape Town;

2.1.9 Honourable Mr V R Mlotshwa: Due to a family bereavement; and

2.1.10 Honourable Mr M E Phakathi: To leave early.

2.2 BIRTHDAYS

I want to take this opportunity to wish a happy belated birthday to honourable Ms N P F Mavuso [**24 November**] and a happy birthday in advance to honourable Mr Z M Mncwango [**27 November**]

May I take this opportunity to wish them well now and beyond.

2.3 PARMED

Ms Wendy Landsberg from Parmed is available between 10h00 to 14h00 today to address outstanding Members queries. Members will find her at the Members' Affairs Office.

2.4 COMPUTER TRAINING SELECTION FORM

The KZN Legislature is embarking on a process of capacitating honourable Members on Information and

Communication Technology. This may include but is not limited to:

1. The training of Members who need assistance in Computer training;
2. Learning of relevant various computer programmes including social media; and
3. Training of Members who experience challenges in utilising the ICT: Tools of trade provided by the KZN Legislature.

Party Whips are requested to ensure that their caucus members who need IT assistance fill in the **Members' Computer Training Selection Forms** that have been placed on their desks. Members must submit filled out forms to the Office of the Chief Whip and Members' Affairs (next to the Dining Hall). Forms should be addressed to **Miss LL Sibiya or Miss NP Nxumalo** for processing. The deadline for this submission is **Thursday, 28 November 2019 at 11h00**.

2.5 NELSON MANDELA CHILDREN'S PARLIAMENT

The Legislature in partnership with the National Department of Social Development, Office of the Premier and KZN Department of Social Development will be hosting the Nelson Mandela Children's Parliament from 05 – 06 November 2019 in the Legislature Chamber.

2.6 2019 PARLIAMENT FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

The 2019 Parliament for People with Disabilities will be held from **12 – 13 December 2019 at Ebhongweni Youth**

Sports Centre, Ward 05, Kokstad Local Municipality. The starting time is 10h00.

The Parliament for People with Disabilities will be preceded by the **International Day for Persons with Disabilities Celebration on Wednesday, 11 December 2019** to be hosted by the Office of the Premier in the same venue starting at **10h00**.

3. TABLINGS (Item 5 on the Order Paper)

3.1 KwaZulu-Natal Legislature:

3.1.1 Budget In-Year Monitoring Report [IYM] for the month of October 2019; and

3.1.2 Second Quarter (July – September 2019 and Mid-Year Performance Report (April – September 2019).