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ANNOUNCEMENTS, TABLINGS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

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THURSDAY, 27 JULY 2023

HYBRID SITTING: 09H00

1. PRAYER (Item 1 on the Order Paper)

[Opportunity for Prayers or Silent Meditation.](#)

2. OBITUARIES (Item 2 on the Order Paper)

Honourable members, since the previous sitting, the Office of the Speaker has learnt of the passing away of the following persons:

- 2.1 Mr Sibusiso Nxumalo, brother to Archbishop SN Nxumalo, Cluster Manager in the Committees Section;

- 2.2 Ms Sphelele Ngcobo, ANC Deputy Regional Secretary of the Inkosi Bhambatha Region. Ms Ngcobo, a selfless leader, formed part of the Eighth Regional Executive Committee elected in May 2022. She passed away on 24 July after her car crashed between Babanango and Melmoth upon returning from the ANC Women's League elective conference held at Nasrec, south of Johannesburg;
- 2.3 All victims of gender-based violence, femicide and hate crimes;
- 2.4 All public servants and traditional leaders in KwaZulu-Natal and the country at large; and
- 2.5 All victims of road fatalities in our province during the recent past.

Although these people have departed from our midst, they will live on in the hearts of their loved ones.

Hon members, let us now observe a moment of silence.

May their souls rest in eternal peace.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER (Item 3 on the Order Paper)

3.1 APOLOGIES

- 3.1.1 Honourable Ms NP Nkonyeni, MEC for Finance, is out of the province;
- 3.1.2 Honourable Ms LXH Hlongwa-Madlala is out of the province;

3.1.3 The entire DA Caucus is attending the memorial service of Mrs Marie Boshoff, senior staff member of the DA in KwaZulu-Natal;

3.1.4 Honourable Mr MW Twala, honourable Ms T Nkosi, honourable Ms HP Chiliza and honourable Mr NN Ngubane have organisational work; and

3.1.5 Honourable Mr ME Phakathi has a party commitment.

3.2 MEMBER WHO IS NOT WELL

3.2.1 Honourable Ms PH Mbatha-Cele.

3.3 BIRTHDAYS

I want to take this opportunity to wish a happy birthday to honourable Mr ME Phakathi whose birthday is today, the **27th of July**. I hope he has a wonderful day.

I also want to take this opportunity to wish a happy birthday in advance to honourable Mr MA Chiliza whose birthday will be on the **31st of July**. Hon member, I hope you will have a most delightful day. May your dearest wishes be fulfilled, now and in the future.

3.4 PARMED

Ms Wendy Landsberg from Parmed and SARS officials are available between 09h30 to 14h00 today to assist Members who have queries about their medical aid and SARS issues. Members will find Ms Landsberg and the officials from SARS in the Members' Reading Room.

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS OR REPORTS BY THE PREMIER (Item 4 on the Order Paper)

[Opportunity for the Premier to make Announcements.](#)

5. TABLING OF REPORTS OR PAPERS (Item 5 on the Order Paper)

5.1 KwaZulu-Natal Legislature

5.1.1 KwaZulu-Natal Legislature: Budget Performance In-Year Monitoring Report [IYM] for the month of June 2023; and

5.1.2 KwaZulu-Natal Legislature: First Quarter Institutional Performance Report, 2023/24.

5.2 Department of Education

5.2.1 KwaZulu-Natal Department of Education: Annual Performance Plan, 2023/24 Progress Report.

5.3 Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs

5.3.1 KwaZulu-Natal Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs: Annual Performance Report, 2022/2023 Progress Report.

5.4 Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs

5.4.1 Zululand District Municipality: Annual Report, 2021/22 and Oversight Report on Annual Report, 2021/22.

5.5 Department of Finance

5.5.1 Presentation of Performance Information – Quarter 1, 27 July 2023

6. FORMAL MOTIONS OR NOTICES BY THE CHIEF WHIP (Item 6 on Order Paper)

Opportunity for the Chief Whip to present motions or notices.

7. NOTICES OF BILLS AND MOTIONS (Item 7 on the Order Paper)

8. ORDERS OF THE DAY (Item 8 on the Order Paper)

8.1 Report by the MEC for Agriculture and Rural Development (Vote 3) on the department's performance against its Annual Performance Plans, in line with Standing Rule 113(1);

8.2 Report by the MEC for Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs (Vote 4) on the department's performance against its Annual Performance Plans, in line with Standing Rule 113(1);

8.3 Report by the MEC for Education (Vote 5) on the department's performance against its Annual Performance Plans, in line with Standing Rule 113(1);

8.4 Report by the MEC for Finance (Vote 6) on the department's performance against its Annual Performance Plans, in line with Standing Rule 113(1);

8.5 Debate on the Report of the Portfolio Committee on Health on the 2022 Health Functionality Programme, 5 to 6 October 2022;

8.6 Debate on the following 3rd ANC Party Motion:

On Thursday, 15 September 2022, hon SM Sonjica of the ANC moved as follows:

This House notes:

The escalating violence and destruction of property in our schools;

The recently reported burning of a school after a teacher or teachers allegedly confiscated some learners' cell phones; and

The torching of a teacher's vehicle or vehicles for the same reason.

This House therefore resolves:

To call for an urgent debate on the necessity of a school safety indaba with all stakeholders to find a solution to this growing problem.

8.7 Debate on the following 1st MF Party Motion:

On Thursday, 15 September 2022, hon S Thakur-Rajbansi of the MF moved as follows:

This House notes:

That the affirmative action policy had a 2014 sunset clause; and

That this policy was critical initially, but 2024 will mark 20 years since it was first implemented.

This House therefore resolves:

To call for a debate on the scrapping of the affirmative action policy as our “born free” youths, especially those from minority communities, are being sidelined when it comes to opportunities.

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