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ANNOUNCEMENTS, TABLINGS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

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TUESDAY, 12 MARCH 2024

VIRTUAL SPECIAL SITTING: 08H30

1. PRAYER (Item 1 on the Order Paper)

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

2. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER (Item 2 on the Order Paper)

- 2.1 ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING THE REASON FOR THE VIRTUAL SITTING ON 12 MARCH 2024

Honourable Members, thank you for making yourselves available for today's special sitting. The Office of the

Speaker was advised to call a special sitting in order to comply with NCOP processes and to enable the Legislature to participate in the mandate required at the NCOP. Today's special sitting is being held to deal with the debate and voting on the **Conferral of a Final Mandate on the Expropriation Bill [B23D-2020]**.

I trust Members will find this to be in order.

2.2 RULING ON VIRTUAL SITTING AND VOTING ANNOUNCEMENT ON PARTY VOTING DURING THE SPECIAL SITTING

Honourable Members are reminded that this is a special sitting, with Members having connected virtually. The sitting will be conducted in terms of our Standing Rules.

Party voting

Rule 288(4) of the Rules states that –

“The presiding officer or chairperson must, before or at the start of the discussion on the matter, expressly inform members if a party vote will be taken.”

In line with the above, I confirm that voting will take place on the **Expropriation Bill [B23D-2020]**.

A party vote is a collective vote on behalf of all the Members of a party present at this virtual sitting, up to the total membership of that party in the sitting.

I will, however, allow an opportunity for any individual Member to vote differently from his/her party, or to abstain, if any Member wishes to do so.

We will now proceed with the rest of the items on the Order Paper.

2.3 APOLOGY

2.3.1 Honourable Mr ME Phakathi has a party commitment.

2.4 HOLY MONTH OF RAMADAN

We want to wish all members of our Muslim community well during their holy month of Ramadan. Ramadan is remembered as the month in which the Prophet Muhammad, may peace be upon him, received the first of the revelations which make up the *Holy Quran*.

May the blessings of Allah guide and protect you during the coming month, and we hope this time of fasting and inward reflection will be filled with joy and spiritual nourishment.

2.5 BRIEFING BY THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL

Honourable Members, kindly note that the Auditor-General will be briefing Members on the **2022/23 MFMA KwaZulu-Natal Audit Outcomes** at **09h30** today. Please note that the briefing will take place on the virtual platform via MS Teams.

Members will use the same link that connected them to this virtual special sitting.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS OR REPORTS BY THE PREMIER (Item 3 on the Order Paper)

Opportunity for the Premier to make Announcements.

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

4.1 Standing Committee on Public Accounts:

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4.2 Public Service Commission:

4.2.1 Section 196(4) (E) Report of the 2022/23 to the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Legislature in terms of Section 196 (4) (E) of the Constitution of the Republic of South 1996 – October 2023.

5. FORMAL MOTIONS OR NOTICES BY THE CHIEF WHIP (Item 4 on Order Paper)

Opportunity for the Chief Whip to present motions or notices.

6. ORDER OF THE DAY (Item 5 on the Order Paper)

6.1 Debate and Voting on the Conferral of a Final Mandate on the Expropriation Bill [B23D-2020].

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