### **TUESDAY, 13 AUGUST 2024**

## [NO 07/2024] FIRST SESSION, SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

## KWAZULU-NATAL LEGISLATURE

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# **MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

Tuesday, 13 August 2024

The Hybrid House met at 09h05.

- 1. 09h06 Members were given an opportunity for silent prayers or meditation.
- 2. 09h07 The Speaker made announcements, including the passing away of the following persons:
  - 2.1 Mrs Sylvia Ntombenkosi Gqumani, mother of Ms Babalwa Gqumani from the ICT Unit who passed away on Sunday, 04 August 2024;

- 2.2 Ms Connie Chiume, a veteran South African actress who appeared in the Marvel film Black Panther. The multi-award-winning actress starred in several South African TV shows, including Rhythm City, Zone 14 and, most recently, Gomora. Ms Chiume was a trained teacher, but later became a household name on mainstream television;
- 2.3 Ms Zanele Mbokazi-Nkambule, an *Ukhozi FM* presenter and founder of Crown Gospel Awards. Ms Mbokazi-Nkambule was also a philanthropist, preacher, evangelist and entrepreneur. She made an indelible mark on the entertainment industry since her career began in the 1990s;
- **2.4** We also mourn all victims of gender-based violence, femicide and hate crimes;
- **2.5** Public servants and traditional leaders of this province and the country at large; and
- **2.6** Various victims of road fatalities in our province who have passed away in recent times.

The Hybrid House observed a minute of silence.

- 3. 09h09 The Premier made remarks.
- 4. 09h13 The Speaker made further announcements.
- 5. O9h13 The Speaker read into the record the tabling of the following documents:
  - 5.1 Standing Committee on Oversight:
    - **5.1.1** Report of the Standing Committee on Oversight on the Budget Report, 2024/25.
  - 5.2 Portfolio Committee on Finance:
    - **5.2.1** KZN Provincial Legislature Report of the

- Portfolio Committee on Finance, 2024/25 MTEF General Budget Report;
- **5.2.2** KZN Provincial Legislature Report on the 2024/25 Annual Performance Plan and Budget for Vote 6: Provincial Treasury; and
- **5.2.3** Report of the Portfolio Committee on Finance on the KwaZulu-Natal Appropriation Bill, 2024.
- 5.3 Portfolio Committee on the Premier, Community Safety and Liaison:
  - 5.3.1 Portfolio Committee on the Premier, Community Safety and Liaison, 2024/25 Vote 1: Premier's Budget Report; and
  - **5.3.2** Portfolio Committee on the Premier, Community Safety and Liaison, 2024/25 Vote 9: Community Safety and Liaison.

#### 5.4 Portfolio Committee on Education:

- **5.4.1** Portfolio Committee on Education, 2024/25 Budget Report.
- 5.5 Portfolio Committee on Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs:
  - **5.5.1** 2024/25 Budget Report of the Portfolio Committee on Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

#### 5.6 Financial Fiscal Commission:

5.6.1 Financial and Fiscal Commission, 2025/2026 Annual Submission on the Division of Revenue. Having tabled this Report, the Speaker referred it to the Portfolio Committee on Finance for further processing.

#### 5.7 Office of the Premier

- **5.7.1** Revised 2024/25 Annual Performance Plan for the Office of the Premier.
- 6. 09h28 The General Budget Debate and Voting on the Reports of the Portfolio Committee on Finance and the Standing Committee on Oversight commenced and was concluded at 13h15.

# 6.1 Voting on the Report of the Portfolio Committee on Finance

Question put:

That the Report of the Portfolio Committee on Finance be adopted.

Question agreed to.

#### Results of the vote were as follows:

In favour: 40 Against: 39 Abstentions: 0

## 6.2 Voting on the Report of the Standing Committee on Oversight

Question put:

That the Report of the Standing Committee on Oversight be adopted.

Question agreed to.

# Results of the vote were as follows:

In favour: 40 Against: 39 Abstentions: 0

- 7. 13h21 The Speaker made announcements and converted the House into a Committee of the Whole House.
- 8. 13h23 The House was adjourned until Friday, 16 August 2024.