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SEVENTH SESSION, SIXTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
JOINT SESSION ON THE OPENING OF
PARLIAMENT

TUESDAY, 13 FEBRUARY 2018

The Parliament met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Deputy Speaker took the Chair, read the Prayer and Affirmation, and announced that His Excellency the President of the Republic of Namibia Dr. Hage Geingob will open the Seventh Session of the Six Parliament today.
2. The Deputy Speaker called on the Members to rise and to remain standing while the Vice-Chairperson of the National Council is going to invite His Excellency the President to the Chamber.

Business suspended

3. The President's procession enters the Chamber

Business resumed

4. The Speaker made opening remarks and welcomed His Excellency the President and all invited guests, and called on His Excellency the President to open the Seventh Session of the Six Parliament in terms of Rule 15(d) of the Standing Rules and Orders of the National Assembly.
5. His Excellency the President delivered his Opening Address and thereafter declared the Seventh Session of the Sixth Parliament officially open.
6. The Chairperson of the National Council delivered a vote of thanks on behalf of Parliament and the people of the Republic of Namibia.
7. The Speaker adjourned the Joint Session of Parliament at 15:20.
8. The Assembly to resume on Tuesday, 20 February 2018.

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