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SEVENTH SESSION, SIXTH PARLIAMENT

REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA
MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

FRIDAY, 13 APRIL 2018

The Assembly met pursuant to the adjournment.

1. The Speaker took the Chair and read the Prayer and Affirmation.
2. **Ms. !Nawases-Taeyele moved without notice:**

That the proceedings on Votes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 28 and 31 of the *Appropriation Bill* be, in terms of Rule 99(c) of the Standing Rules and Orders, not interrupted if still under consideration at 12:30.

Agreed to.

3. **Ministerial Statements in terms of Rule 98 of the Standing Rules and Orders:**

The Minister of Home Affairs and Immigration informed the Assembly about the envisaged trip by the Cassinga and Vietnam/Techetekela survivors to visit Angola from 29 April 2018 to 5 May 2018, to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the Cassinga massacre.

4. **FIRST ORDER READ:**

Resumption of Committee Stage – *Appropriation Bill* [B. 2 – 2018].

The Deputy Minister of Finance moved, seconded by the Deputy Minister of Marginalised People: That the Assembly now goes into Committee.

Agreed to.

ASSEMBLY IN COMMITTEE:

The Chairperson of the Whole House Committee stated that when progress was reported yesterday, 20 April 2018, Votes 3, 4, 7, 11 and 28 had been introduced and Votes 1 and 2 had been agreed to while Vote 30 stood over for an explanation.

- Vote 30 – “*Anti-Corruption Commission*”. Explained and agreed to.
- Vote 05 – “*Home Affairs and Immigration*”. Introduced by the Minister of Home Affairs and Immigration.
- Vote 06 – “*Safety and Security*”. Introduced by the Minister of Safety and Security.
- Vote 08 – “*Defence*”. Introduced by the Minister of Defence.
- Vote 31 – “*Veterans Affairs*”. Introduced by the Minister of Presidential Affairs.
- Vote 07 – “*International Relations and Cooperation*”. Discussed. Question to adopt to be put on Monday.
- Vote 03 – “*National Assembly*”. Discussed. Question to adopt to be put on Monday.
- Vote 28 – “*Electoral Commission*”. Discussed. Question to adopt to be put on Monday.
- Vote 11 – “*National Council*”. No discussion. Question to adopt to be put on Monday.
- Vote 04 – “*Auditor-General*”. Discussed. Question to adopt to be put on Monday.

ASSEMBLY RESUMED:

Progress reported and leave granted to sit again.

5. In terms of Rule 99(a) of the Standing Rules and Orders, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 14:50 until Monday, 16 April 2018.

MS. L. KANDETU
Secretary of the National Assembly

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