

REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 30 MAY 2023

1. The House met at 14:02.
2. House Chairperson Ms M G Boroto took the Chair and requested members to observe a moment of silence for prayer or meditation.
3. FIRST ORDER [14:04]

Debate on Vote No 2 – Parliament, **Appropriation Bill** [B 3 – 2023] (National Assembly – sec 77).

Debate concluded.
4. SECOND TO FORTY-SECOND ORDERS [16: 11]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Small Business Development on **Budget Vote 36: Small Business Development for 2023/24 financial year** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 29 May 2023, p 43).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Tourism on **Budget Vote 38: Tourism** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 23 May 2023, p 6).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Enterprises on **Budget vote 10: Public Enterprises, and on Strategic Plan and Annual Performance Plan for 2023/24 of Department of Public Enterprises** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 22 May 2023, p 52).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Higher Education, Science and Innovation on **2023/24 annual performance plans and**

budget of Department of Higher Education and Training and entities, Vote 17 (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 22 May 2023, p 3).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Higher Education, Science and Innovation on **Budget Vote 35: Science and Innovation (2023/24)** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 19 May 2023, p 33).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans on **Budget Vote 26: Department of Military Veterans** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 18 May 2023, p 74).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans on **Budget Vote 23: Department of Defence** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 18 May 2023, p 20).

Consideration of Report of Joint Standing Committee on Intelligence on **Budget Vote 8: National Treasury (State Security)** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 18 May 2023, p 5).

Consideration of Report of Joint Standing Committee on Intelligence on **Budget for Defence Intelligence** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 18 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Joint Standing Committee on Intelligence on **Budget for South African Police Service - Crime Intelligence** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 18 May 2023, p 3).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Police on **2023/24 Budget, Annual Performance Plan and 2020-2025 Strategic Plan of Private Security Industry Regulatory Authority** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 17 May 2023, p 112).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Police on **2023/24 Budget Vote 24 and Annual Performance Plan of Independent Police Investigative Directorate** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 17 May 2023, p 88).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Police on **2023/24 Budget Vote 21 and Annual Performance Plan of Civilian Secretariat for Police Service** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 17 May 2023, p 65).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Police on **2023/24 Budget Vote 28 and Annual Performance Plan of Department of Police (South African Police Service)** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 17 May 2023, p 22).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Women, Youth and Persons with Disabilities on **Annual Performance Plan (Budget Vote 20) of Department of Women, Youth and Persons with Disabilities for**

financial year 2023/24 (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 16 May 2023, p 77).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Correctional Services on **Budget Vote 22 and Annual Performance Plan: Correctional Services for 2023/24** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 16 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Trade, Industry and Competition on **Budget Vote 39: Trade, Industry and Competition** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 12 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Social Development on **Budget Vote 19, the annual performance plans of Department of Social Development and entities for 2023/24** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 11 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Communications and Digital Technologies on **Budget Vote 30: Communications and Digital Technologies** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 10 May 2023, p 61).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Water and Sanitation on **Budget Vote 41, annual performance plans of Department of Water and Sanitation and entities for 2023/24 financial year** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 10 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Human Settlements on **Budget Vote 33: Human Settlements, revised Strategic Plan for coming Medium Term Expenditure Framework period and Annual Performance Plan 2023-24** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 9 May 2023, p 118).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Communications and Digital Technologies on **Budget Vote 4: Government Communication and Information System and Media Development and Diversity Agency** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 9 May 2023, p 68).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on International Relations and Cooperation on **Budget Vote 6: International Relations and Cooperation** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 9 May 2023, p 34).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Justice and Correctional Services on **Annual Performance Plan for 2023/24 of Office of the Chief Justice and Budget Vote 27: Office of the Chief Justice** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 9 May 2023, p 9).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Mineral Resources and Energy on **2023/24 Annual Performance Plan and Budget of**

Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (Vote 34) and entities (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 132).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration on **Annual Performance Plans 2023/24 and Budget Vote 11 of Department of Public Service and Administration** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 108).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 7 of National School of Government** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 93).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 9 of Department of Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 74).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 12 of Public Service Commission** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 57).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Service and Administration on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 14 of Statistics South Africa** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 39).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development on **2023/24 annual performance plans and budget of Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development and entities: Vote 29** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 8 May 2023, p 4).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Forestry, Fisheries and Environment on **Strategic Plan 2019/20—2023/24, annual performance plans 2023/24 and Budget Vote 32 of Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 5 May 2023, p 85).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Sport, Arts and Culture on **Budget Vote 37: Department of Sport, Arts and Culture** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 5 May 2023, p 56).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Health on **Budget Vote 18: Health, Annual Performance Plan of Department of Health and entities** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 5 May 2023, p 3).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Transport on **Budget Vote 40: Transport and strategic plan and annual performance plan**

2023-24 of Department of Transport (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 4 May 2023, p 107).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Home Affairs on **Budget Vote 5 and annual performance plans of Department of Home Affairs and entities** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 4 May 2023, p 70).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Basic Education on **Budget Vote 16: Basic Education** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 4 May 2023, p 14).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Employment and Labour on **Budget Vote 31: Employment and Labour, strategic plans of Department and entities 2020/21 – 2024/25 and annual performance plan of Department and entities 2023/2** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 3 May 2023, p 83).

Consideration of Report of Standing Committee on Finance on **Budget Vote 8: National Treasury** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 3 May 2023, p 59).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on **2023/24 annual performance plans, strategic plans and budgets of Departments of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs and entities** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 24 April 2023, p 84).

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Public Works and Infrastructure on **Budget Vote 13: Public Works and Infrastructure** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 20 April 2023, p 9).

There was no debate.

The Deputy Chief Whip of the Majority Party moved: That the Reports be adopted, except for recommendation 6.1 contained in the Report of the Portfolio Committee on Tourism on Budget Vote 38: Tourism, which is referred to the Standing Committee on Appropriations for further consideration and report.

Motion agreed to.

Report on **Budget Vote 36: Small Business Development for 2023/24 financial year** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 38: Tourism** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget vote 10: Public Enterprises, and on Strategic Plan and Annual Performance Plan for 2023/24 of Department of Public**

Enterprises accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 annual performance plans and budget of Department of Higher Education and Training and entities, Vote 17** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 35: Science and Innovation (2023/24)** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 26: Department of Military Veterans** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 23: Department of Defence** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 8: National Treasury (State Security)** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget for Defence Intelligence** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget for South African Police Service - Crime Intelligence** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 Budget, Annual Performance Plan and 2020-2025 Strategic Plan of Private Security Industry Regulatory Authority** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 Budget Vote 24 and Annual Performance Plan of Independent Police Investigative Directorate** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 Budget Vote 21 and Annual Performance Plan of Civilian Secretariat for Police Service** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 Budget Vote 28 and Annual Performance Plan of Department of Police (South African Police Service)** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan (Budget Vote 20) of Department of Women, Youth and Persons with Disabilities for financial year 2022/24** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters).

Report on **Budget Vote 22 and Annual Performance Plan: Correctional Services for 2023/24** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 39: Trade, Industry and Competition** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters, Freedom Front Plus and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 19, the annual performance plans of Department of Social Development and entities for 2023/24** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 30: Communications and Digital Technologies** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 41, annual performance plans of Department of Water and Sanitation and entities for 2023/24 financial year** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 33: Human Settlements, revised Strategic Plan for coming Medium Term Expenditure Framework period and Annual Performance Plan 2023-24** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 4: Government Communication and Information System and Media Development and Diversity Agency** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 6: International Relations and Cooperation** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan for 2023/24 of Office of the Chief Justice and Budget Vote 27: Office of the Chief Justice** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 Annual Performance Plan and Budget of Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (Vote 34) and entities** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plans 2023/24 and Budget Vote 11 of Department of Public Service and Administration** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 7 of National School of Government** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 9 of Department of Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 12 of Public Service Commission** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Annual Performance Plan 2023/24 and Budget Vote 14 of Statistics South Africa** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 annual performance plans and budget of Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development and entities: Vote 29** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Strategic Plan 2019/20—2023/24, annual performance plans 2023/24 and Budget Vote 32 of Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 37: Department of Sport, Arts and Culture** accordingly adopted (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 18: Health, Annual Performance Plan of Department of Health and entities** accordingly approved (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 40: Transport and strategic plan and annual performance plan 2023-24 of Department of Transport** accordingly adopted (Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 5 and annual performance plans of Department of Home Affairs and entities** accordingly adopted (Economic Freedom Fighters and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 16: Basic Education** accordingly adopted (Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 31: Employment and Labour, strategic plans of Department and entities 2020/21 – 2024/25 and annual performance plan of Department and entities 2023/2** accordingly adopted (Economic Freedom Fighters and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 8: National Treasury** accordingly adopted (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **2023/24 annual performance plans, strategic plans and budgets of Departments of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs and entities** accordingly adopted (Democratic Alliance and Economic Freedom Fighters dissenting).

Report on **Budget Vote 13: Public Works and Infrastructure** accordingly adopted (Economic Freedom Fighters and African Christian Democratic Party dissenting).

5. FORTY-THIRD ORDER [16:18]

Consideration of Report of Standing Committee on Finance on **Determination of Remuneration of members of the Financial and Fiscal Commission** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 17 May 2023, p 19).

Mr G J Skosana, as member of the Committee, introduced the Report.

There was no debate.

Declarations of vote made on behalf of the Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters, Inkatha Freedom Party, National Freedom Party and African National Congress.

Report adopted and **Determination of Remuneration of members of the Financial and Fiscal Commission** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance dissenting).

6. FORTY-FOURTH ORDER [16:45]

Consideration of Report of Portfolio Committee on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on **Determination of Remuneration of the public office Bearers of the Commission for the Promotion and Protection of the rights of Cultural, Religious and Linguistic Communities** (Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, 16 May 2023, p 16).

Mr F D Xasa, as Chairperson of the Committee, introduced the Report.

There was no debate.

Declarations of vote made on behalf of the Democratic Alliance, Economic Freedom Fighters, Inkatha Freedom Party, Freedom Front Plus, National Freedom Party and African National Congress.

Report adopted and **Determination of Remuneration of the public office Bearers of the Commission for the Promotion and Protection of the rights of Cultural, Religious and Linguistic Communities** accordingly approved (Democratic Alliance and Freedom Front Plus dissenting).

7. The House adjourned at 17:08.

X George
Secretary to Parliament