



Wes-Kaapse Provinsiale Parlement
Western Cape Provincial Parliament
IPalamente yePhondo leNtshona Koloni

MEETING MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE PREMIER AND CONSTITUTIONAL MATTERS

Wednesday 26 May 2021

15h30 – 18h00

Hybrid meeting via MS Teams & the Chambers – 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

ATTENDANCE

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Allen, R (Acting Chairperson)
Baartman, D (Alternate)
Philander, W

African National Congress

Dugmore, C

Alternate Member

Maseko, M (DA)

Additional Member

Brinkhuis, G (Al Jama-ah)

Apologies

Xego, M (EFF)
Mackenzie, RD (DA)

The following persons were in attendance:

Department of the Premier

Ms C Williams, State Law Advisor

Department of the Environmental Affairs and Development Planning

Mr A Mohammed, Deputy Director
Mr P Hardcastle, Director

Members of the Public

See attached list of public attendance

Western Cape Provincial Parliament

Ms W Achmat, Procedural Officer

Ms L Cloete, Senior Procedural Officer
Ms M Motsapi, Committee Assistant

1. Welcome and attendance

In the absence of the Chairperson, the Procedural Officer opened the meeting and informed the Committee that it would have to elect an Acting Chairperson, as directed by the WCPP Standing Rule 82(3) which states that "In the absence of the chairperson from a meeting the committee must elect one of its members to be acting chairperson at that meeting".

The Procedural Officer opened the floor for nominations from the Committee's membership for the election of an Acting Chairperson.

Member C Dugmore nominated Member R Allen to be Acting Chairperson. There were no other proposals from the Committee's membership.

Member R Allen were elected as the Acting Chairperson of the Standing Committee on the Premier and Constitutional Matters.

The Acting Chairperson opened the meeting and welcomed the Committee members and the members of the public.

The Chairperson informed the members of the public that the Committee advertised in the Argus, Burger, Vukani, George Herald, Mossel Bay Advertiser, Knysna/Plett Herald. All mayors offices, municipal managers, speakers, MOD Centres, Thusong centres, community development workers and universities were also informed. The Public Outreach and Education unit informed the public using its stakeholder database and the Committee advertised on DearSA's database with an estimate of 1 million stakeholders.

2. Briefing by the Department of the Premier and the Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning on the Constitution of the Western Cape First Amendment Bill [B 1-2021]

The officials from the Departments briefed the Members of the public on the subject at hand.

The Chairperson opened the floor for questions of clarity on the presentation and input on the Bill.

3. Public hearing on the Constitution of the Western Cape First Amendment Bill [B 1-2021]

The public was given an opportunity to provide input on the Bill. Members from the public queried on the Bill, where the Department replied.

The Chairperson opened the floor for any further questions or inputs.

Four members of the public gave input on the Bill.

4. Resolutions/Actions

The Committee RESOLVED:

- 4.1 To invite the Public Education and Outreach office to brief the Committee on the process that is taken prior to a public hearing;
- 4.2 To request dates from the Programming Authority for the additional public hearings for the Constitution of the Western Cape First Amendment Bill [B 1-2021];
- 4.3 To extend the date for written submissions based on the dates provided by the Programming Authority; and
- 4.4 To write to the Parliamentary Oversight Committee about the concern that was raised regarding members of the public requesting data to connect virtually to public hearings or any other public participation process; and that a policy is developed to provide members of the public with data or transport costs to either join a public hearing virtually or in person.

The meeting adjourned at 18h05.



MR R ALLEN, MPP

**ACTING CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE PREMIER AND
CONSTITUTIONAL MATTERS**

DATE: 2 June 2021



WESTERN CAPE PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT

Standing Committee on Premier and Constitutional Matters

PUBLIC ATTENDANCE REGISTER

Wednesday, 26 May 2021, 15h30 – 18h00
Chamber, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

Public Hearing on the Constitution of the Western Cape First Amendment Bill [B1-2021]

TITLE	INITIALS	SURNAME	DESIGNATION POSITION	DEPARTMENT INSTITUTION	CONTACT NUMBER
	L	BOHDANOWICZ	PVT		0791940163
	M	RYSZOWICZ	PVT		0832325732
	S	Mukaddam	PVT		071 832 8184
	S	Bhalla	PVT		0786346085
	P	Martinez	DEPT OF	DEPT OF	021-682372
	P	Headland	DEPT OF		4835857
	S	Megathay	Member/Writer	PMG	0823973313
	W.	WIDBY	PVT		0824525712
	Att	Smit	Chief Clerk		0527667941
		F. Luyten	Att.		0718527460
Mr	ATA	Dyabaza			0630537172
Mr	A	Le Roux	WCPP	Legal Advisor	
Mr	R	Maasdorp	Legal Advisor	WCPP	
MS	C	Williams	Legal Advisor	DOTP	
MS	A	Vosloo	Senior Legal Advisor	DOTP	
MS	M	Tembo	Public	Public	0814094694
Mr	P	Van Zyl	HOD	DEAD DEADP	
Mr	W	Jordaan	Public	Public	0849199691
Mr	Z	Zolani	Public	Public	0613003271
MS	K	Mfuku	Public	Public	0605001483

having network issues