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# **MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

#### STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Friday, 16 August 2022 (at 10:00), In person – Committee room 2, 4<sup>th</sup> floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

#### **PRESENT**

#### **Members**

## **Democratic Alliance**

Mackenzie, R (Chairperson) Murray, C (Alternate) Van der Westhuizen, AP

## **Good Party**

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# **Apologies**

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# The following persons were in attendance:

## **Department of Transport and Public Works**

Ms J Gooch, Head of Department

Mr L Fourie, Chief Director: Road Network Management

Mr C October, Chief Director: Road Planning Mr S Carstens, Chief Engineer Road Use

# **Department of the Premier**

Ms A Torr, State Law Adviser

## **Transjuris Consulting**

Mr S Fanner Mr A Abrahamson

## **Western Cape Provincial Parliament**

Mr J Coetzee, Procedural Officer Mr J Vermeulen, Senior Procedural Officer Mr S Hassam, ICT Support Ms N Mshumpela, Committee Assistant

## 1. Opening and welcome

The Chairperson opened the meeting and welcomed the members of the Committee, Head of Drepartment and the officials.

## 2. Consideration of the Western Cape Provincial Transport Infrastructure Bill [B 5–2021]

The Chairperson referred to the Matrix document that contained all the submissions received from stakeholders, the Department's response to each submission. The Committee considered each submission on the Matrix, noting the Department's response and raising points of clarity.

The Committee was afforded the opportunity to request further clarity on any clause in the Bill that was not part of the stakeholder submissions received.

Mr van der Westhuizen raised the following concerns:

- 1. Clause 16, on page 19, in line 6, the possible inclusion of "toll gates, bus stops and arrestor beds".
- 2. Clause 17, on page 20, in lines 1 and 4 that the distances given in these lines are so prescriptive and perhaps there should be some leeway.
- 3. The Department consider amending the Long Title as the Bill addresses more than just, what is highlighted in the long title.
- 4. Clause 67, on page 44, in lines 27 to include objects that were not properly secured when transported.

The Committee agreed to amendments pertaining to Clauses 1, 10, 11 and 37 and to meet on Tuesday, 30 August 2022 to formally consideration of the Bill.

The meeting adjourned at 13:12.

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MR R MACKENZIE, MPP

**CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS**