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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Friday, 14 October 2022 (at 08h00), Chambers, 6th Floor, Cape Town

(Finalisation of the Report on the Annual Report of the Western Cape Education Department for 2021/2022 financial year)

PRESENT

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Baartman, DM (Chairperson) Fry, C Plato, D

African National Congress

Sayed, MK

African Christian Democratic Party

Christians, FC

Alternate Members

Bosman, G (DA) Brinkhuis, G (AL-Jama-ah) Kama, M (ANC) Makamba-Botya, N (EFF)

Persons in attendance

See attached attendance register

1. Welcome and attendance

The Chairperson opened the meeting and allowed for brief introductions. She provided context for the meeting as well as the format of proceedings.

2. Deliberations on the Annual Report of the Western Cape Education Department (WCED) for the 2021/2022 financial year

Before proceeding to the consideration of the report, the Minister of Education, Mr D Maynier and the Head of Department, Mr B Walters were given an opportunity to make opening remarks.

Members of the Committee deliberated on Part A: General Information, Part B: Departmental Programme Performance and Part D: Human Resource Management of the Department's Annual Report.

The Committee deliberated on the discussion of the Annual Report of the Western Cape Education Department.

Mr. M Mbiko, member of the Nyanga Development Forum, Ms CA Thethi, from Equal Education, Mr S Pooly, a member of the public, Mr D Magina, from Equal Education, Mr P Links, a member of the public, Ms Q Dimi, from Equal Education, Mr M Hoffmeestas, the Secretary of the Bishop Lavis Development Forum, Mr E Daniels, a member of the public, Mr M Hendricks, from Equal Education, gave inputs on the Annual Report. The Minister and the Head of the Department duly responded to the issues raised by all members of the public.

3. Recommendation

The Committee recommended that:

- 3.1. The Department of Basic Education, the national Department of Social Development and National Treasury, the WCED, the provincial Department of Social Development and Provincial Treasury brief the Committee on the National Funding Framework for Early Childhood Development's conditional grant criteria, what the conditional grant may be spent on by provinces and how the grant relates with other child support grants.
- 3.2. The WCED investigate the reasons why Plumstead High School has not received new textbooks in the past six year.

The Committee adjourned at 13:20.

ADV DM BAARTMAN, MPP

CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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