

# Western Cape Provincial Parliament

## STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TOURISM



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Please note that a meeting of the above Committee will take place as follows:

**Date : Thursday, 17 February 2022**

**Time : 08:00 – 17:00**

**Venue : Hybrid: In-Person in the Chamber (6<sup>th</sup> Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town) and Virtual via Microsoft Teams**

### AGENDA

#### 08H00 – 12H00

1. Welcome and attendance
2. Briefing by the World Bank on its “*Container Port Performance Index 2020*” (released in May 2021), indicators used for rankings in the report, reasons for indicators and ranking assigned in the report to the Cape Town, South Africa container port terminals; and recommendations for the TNPA Cape Town Container Terminal and Cape Town Multi-Purpose Terminal to improve its ranking
3. Briefing by the Department of Economic Development and Tourism and Transnet on progress regarding the Port of Cape Town’s container backlogs
4. Resolutions/Actions

#### 12H00 – 13H00: BREAK

#### 13H00 – 17H00

5. Briefing by Transnet Freight Rail on the possibility of using the Belcon Station to transport the containers to the Cape Town Container Terminal via train, to eradicate a possible backlog
6. Briefing by Transnet and the Department of Public Enterprises on the recent cyber security attacks on the ports, the nature and reason for the cyber-attack, the impact it had on the Cape Town Port Terminals,

what is being done to address the delays that affected the container terminals in the Western Cape, and the steps to ensure that cyber-attacks do not reoccur (*possible closed session - TBC*)

7. Resolutions/Actions

Above agenda items may be rearranged by the Committee at short notice

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**Should you be unable to attend kindly forward apologies to the Procedural Officer as well as arrange for an alternate and indicate the name of the alternate at your earliest convenience.**

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