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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TOURISM

Tuesday, 7 March 2023 (17:00), Chamber, 6th floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

ATTENDANCE

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Murray, C (Chairperson)
Van der Westhuizen, A
America, D (Alternate)

African National Congress

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The following persons were in attendance:

Department of Trade, Industry and Competition

Mr K Petje, Senior Manager: Creative Industries (Copyright) Companies and Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC)

Members of the Public

*List will be attached

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Ms Z Adams, Procedural Officer
Ms L Cloete, Senior Procedural Officer
Ms M Mrubata, Committee Assistant
Mr A Barends, Logistical Services

1. Welcome and attendance

The Chairperson opened the public hearing on the Copyright Amendment Bill [B 13D–2017] and the Performers’ Protection Amendment Bill [B 24D–2016] and welcomed the Committee Members, officials from the Department and the members of the public.

The Chairperson explained the rules of engagement for public hearings and indicated that there were translation services if members of the public required this.

2. Briefing by the Department of Trade, Industry and Competition on the Copyright and Performers’ Protection Amendment Bills

Mr Petje briefed the Committee, stakeholders, and members of the public on the Bills.

The Committee proceeded to oral submissions on the Bill.

3. Submissions on the Copyright and Performers’ Protection Amendment Bills

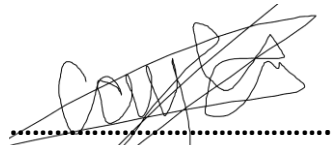
The public was allowed to provide input on the Bill. Oral submissions were received by:

1. Professor Owen Dean
2. Wikimedia
3. Scholarly Horizons
4. RecreateZA
5. Artists Unite
6. Voices of Africa Today
7. South African Democratic Teachers Union
8. Section 27 and BlindSA
9. Publishers’ Association of South Africa
10. Professor Peter Lor
11. Composer, Authors, and Publishers Association
12. Research ICT Africa
13. Netflix
14. SA Institute of Intellectual Property Law
15. South African Guild of Actors
16. RiSA and IFPI
17. SAMRO and Copyright Coalition
18. South African Music Industry Council
19. Commercial Producers Association of South Africa

The Department of the Premier indicated that they would submit written comments on the Bills. The Chairperson informed the members of the public that they had ample time to submit written comments, as the deadline for written comments was 10 March 2023.

The Chairperson opened the floor for any further questions and submissions. There were no further submissions. The Chairperson thanked the members of the public for their attendance and their insightful comments and urged them to submit their written comments to the Procedural Officer.

The meeting adjourned at 20h30.

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MS CAT MURRAY, MPP

**CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND
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Date: 23 June 2023



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