

# MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

# PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

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THURSDAY, 9 JUNE 2016

1. The House met at 14:15.
2. The Speaker took the Chair and read the prayer.
3. [14:16] The Chief Whip moved without notice: That, notwithstanding Rule 198, precedence be given to the motion on the Order Paper and the Subject for discussion.  
Agreed to.
4. [14:17] The Chief Whip of the Majority Party moved: That –
  - (1) an *ad hoc* committee be appointed to give effect to section 196(8)(b)(i) of the Constitution, 1996, read with section 4(3)(b) of the Public Service Commission Act, 1997, to consider applications and to recommend to the House a candidate for nomination by the Premier for appointment to serve on the Public Service Commission; and
  - (2) the *ad hoc* committee be comprised as follows: DA (5); ANC (2); EFF (1) and ACDP (1).Agreed to.
5. [14:18] The House discussed the following subject in the name of hon K E Magaxa:  
Bringing more responsive and people centred local government to the public of the Western Cape.  
Debate concluded.
6. [15:32] Interpellations
7. [16:00] Questions.
8. [17:09] Statements by Members.
9. [17:29] Notice of Motions.
10. [17:31] Mr L H Max moved without notice: That the House congratulates the Western Cape Department of Transport and Public Works and Mish-Al Booley, Keegan de Waal and Taufeeq Khan, who have progressed from being candidate engineers to becoming professional registered civil engineers and who are managing a number of road infrastructure projects after receiving the necessary training, support and on-the-job experience for professional registration from the Department's professional development programme (PDP).  
Agreed to.

11. Ms P Makeleni moved without notice: That the House notes with sadness the passing of the greatest boxer of all times and anti-racism activist, Muhammad Ali, who suffered from respiratory illness and Parkinson's disease; salutes this global icon and conveys condolences to his family, friends and fans.

Agreed to.

12. Mr R B Lentit moved without notice: That the House wishes the Muslim community of the Western Cape a spiritually fulfilling and blessed month of Ramadaan.

Agreed to.

13. Mr N E Hinana moved without notice: That the House:-

- (a) extends its gratitude and appreciation to the Public Protector, Thuli Madonsela, whose term of office comes to an end in September;
- (b) acknowledges the manner in which she executed her duties without fear and favour on behalf of South Africa and its people; and
- (c) thanks her for her service and wishes her well in all her future endeavours.

Agreed to.

14. Mr S G Tyatyam moved without notice: That the House, noting that 26 June 2016 marks the 61st anniversary of the Freedom Charter, calls upon our government, NGOs and other community formations to devote time to fight courageously for the achievement of the values espoused in the Freedom Charter.

Agreed to.

15. Mr R D Mackenzie moved without notice: That the House congratulates Petri Lottering, Pierre Mostert, Kayleen Muggels and Jamie-Lee Franse, learners at the De Villiers Graaff Primary School at Villiersdorp, for being selected for the Northern Boland Athletics Team.

Agreed to.

16. Mr D Joseph moved without notice: That the House congratulates Penny Ackerman (74) on receiving her first driver's licence.

Agreed to.

17. Ms M N Gillion moved without notice: That the House acknowledges and welcomes the intervention by Home Affairs Minister Malusi Gigaba after his meeting with the LGBTI communities; and calls officials to account who deliberately frustrate the process of registering the affairs of these communities.

Agreed to.

18. Mr B D Kivedo moved without notice: That the House congratulates Amy Schippers, Jody Jane, Keshia Linnett, Nikita van der Vendt, Ashley Jacobns, Dominique de Villiers, Caleb Wolf, Thaakirah Mosavel and Megan Hanslow, learners at the South Peninsula High School, who jetted off to New Jersey, USA, to attend the Global Classroom Partnership 20th International Conference that promotes global awareness by extending learning and teaching across borders.

Agreed to.

19. Mr F C Christians moved without notice: That the House congratulates Lineque Paulse, the youngest of six children, from Railton, Swellendam, who decided to study to become a medical doctor and to be the change she wants to see in the world.

Agreed to.

20. Mr D G Mitchell moved without notice: That the House expresses its condolences with the family and friends of Jason Canterbury who was shot dead in front of the court at Bishop Lavis on 7 June 2016.
- Agreed to.
21. Ms P Makeleni moved without notice: That the House notes:
- (a) with sadness the sudden death of the legendary actor, director and playwright, Nyembezi Kunene (74), on 4 June 2016 following a long battle with diabetes;
  - (b) that he was renowned for his work in the popular comedy series *Umzini WeZinsizwa*;
  - (c) that he also played fan-favourite Jabulani Dlom in the SABC1 soapy *Generations*; therefore, conveys its sincerest condolences with his family, friends and fans.
- Agreed to.
22. Ms L J Botha moved without notice: That the House congratulates Tanya Menges, star senior court reporter at the *Son*, on being selected as the Deon du Plessis tabloid journalist of the year at Media24's "News Legends Awards" that was held on Friday evening.
- Agreed to.
23. Ms B A Schäfer moved without notice: That the House congratulates the renowned cartoonist Jonathan Shapiro (Zapiro) for being voted number 2 on the list of the world's top 10 cartoonists by the online lifestyle magazine *Top Ten*.
- Agreed to.
24. Mr B D Kivedo moved without notice: That the House congratulates Rene Wolmarans, a Matric learner at the High School Outeniqua, on winning the Nedbank and Western Cape Government's essay writing competition (her essay focused on the positive effect of alternative energy sources on economic development in South Africa).
- Agreed to.
25. Mr S G Tyatyam moved without notice: That the House notes that software companies Zailab and the Zoe Incubation Centre have partnered to establish a state-of-the-art call centre in Eindhoven, Delft, to train and employ hundreds of people from the area and surrounding communities in an effort to create more jobs for young people; and commends the two companies for this initiative that will contribute to the upliftment of young people.
- Agreed to.
26. Mr R D Mackenzie moved without notice: That the House congratulates Corin de Waal, learner at the High School Dirkie Uys, on her inclusion in the under-17 schools tennis team that will participate in England this month; and because she was runner-up in the final round of the doubles at the NWU-Pukke's ITF tennis tournament at Potchefstroom this year and she won the under-16 doubles team at the SA Junior National Tennis Tournament in Bloemfontein.
- Agreed to.
27. Mr C M Dugmore moved without notice: That the House sympathises with Sizeka Mbandezeli (23) who had a stillbirth in Karl Bremer Hospital; and notes that she blamed the negligent and uncaring attitude of nurses at the City's Delft Day Hospital who turned her away when she first went there; and calls on the Minister of Health to investigate these serious allegations.
- Agreed to.

28. Mr B D Kivedo moved without notice: That the House congratulates the Primary School AME and the High School Monument Park, both at Kraaifontein, with their ATKV taking hands project for which each school received R30 000 to plough back into the community.

Agreed to.

29. Mr R T Olivier moved without notice: That the House commends Oasis Investment Services for the donation of R4,7 million to the Department of Basic Education for the advancement of teacher and caregiver skills and for the upgrading of facilities around the Cape Flats; and lauds the organisation for this good gesture.

Agreed to.

30. Ms P Makeleni moved without notice: That the House congratulates Ilhaam Groenewald and Monde Tabata who were recently elected as board members of the South African Rugby Union; confirms that this was a step in the right direction towards transformation in rugby, as called for by the ANCYL; commends the SARU executive for heeding the transformation demands; and wishes both members success in their new roles.

Agreed to.

31. Mr D Joseph moved without notice: That the House congratulates the film maker Wim Steytler on being selected as one of the five young film makers from Africa and whose screenplay *Uitlander* will be developed further thanks to this initiative.

Agreed to.

32. Ms D Gopie moved without notice: That the House notes with grave concern the general survey's findings that the level of satisfaction with healthcare facilities is only 45,5% in the province, the lowest in the country compared to other provinces; condemns the DA for allowing the decline of our public healthcare; and calls for an urgent intervention from the national government.

Agreed to.

33. Mr B D Kivedo moved without notice: That the House congratulates the athletes from the High School Brackenfell, on being awarded WP colours for different athletic disciplines. The names are as follows:

Elitha Sylvester (hurdles), Nadine Liebenberg (hurdles), Kylin Mouton (800 m), Inge-Lynne Jordan (400 m), Alichia Arries (100 m/200 m), Tyrique Adams (200 m/400 m), Inge Liebenberg (shotput/discus), Rozanne Liebenberg (javelin), Michelle Steyn (hurdles), Waylin Booyesen (long jump/hurdles), Waden Bonze (triple jump), Mareliza Rabe (high jump), Johanette Duminy (shotput/hammer throw), Ruan Combrinck (hammer throw), Jean-Louis De Lange (hammer throw/shotput/discus), Liam Pietersen (hurdles), JP Vorster (javelin), Jayson Weber (100 m/200 m/400 m), Hanro Crous (javelin).

Agreed to.

34. Mr N E Hinana moved without notice: That the House wishes Simphiwe Mbuyana, a young ceramicist from Kraaifontein, who is on his way to France to showcase his excellent creative work at the Galerie Irene Hamilton in Vallauris from 4 August to 30 September 2016, well.

Agreed to.

35. Ms P Makeleni moved without notice: That the House welcomes the relocation of the Premier Soccer League franchise Mpumalanga Black Aces to Cape Town; notes that this sale and relocation brings more opportunities for young aspiring footballers in the province; calls on the City of Cape Town and the Province to give the necessary support to this new Cape Town soccer club; and lauds John Comitis for bringing back the glory days of football to the Western Cape.
- Agreed to.
36. Mr R T Olivier moved without notice: That the House notes that Henry Jones, the George Mayoral Committee Member for Housing, appeared in court for illegally selling subsidised plots and RDP houses.
- Agreed to.
37. Ms B A Schäfer moved without notice: That the House congratulates the City of Cape Town for retaining its number 1 position in hosting association meetings, according to ICCA Country and City rankings.
- Agreed to.
38. Ms L M Maseko moved without notice: That the House commends the Laughs4paint charity project – coordinated by Suandra Patel of the non-profit organisation Khusela Ikhaya and Scarra Ntubeni, brand ambassador and Stormers and Springbok rugby player – that raised funds for fire retardant paint to help save lives in informal settlements, such as Riemvasmaak.
- Agreed to.
39. Mr R D Mackenzie moved without notice: That the House notes the passing of Stephen “Big Boss” Keshi, the former Nigerian coach, who won the African Cup of Nations as player and as coach.
- Agreed to.
40. [17:57] FIRST ORDER
- Consideration and Finalisation of the *Western Cape Health Facility Boards and Committees Bill* [B 1 B – 2016] (Minister of Health).
- Debate concluded.
- Bill finalised.
41. The House adjourned at 18:10.

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