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THURSDAY, 12 MAY 2016

HOUSE: 14:15

INTERPELLATIONS AND QUESTIONS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

MOTIONS

DRAFT RESOLUTION

Ms M M Wenger: That the House, while noting:

- that the under-resourcing of the South African Police Service (SAPS) in the Western Cape is having a negative impact on school learner safety;
- that when schools in distress or under threat call their local police stations for assistance, the police response is poor or none at all;
- of a recent attack where a Grade 9 learner from Modderdam, Mitchells Plain, was stabbed by gangsters, even though the school had pleaded for police back-up 20 minutes before the incident took place and did not arrive to prevent this crime; and
- that when the police and Western Cape Education Department partnered in 2013 in Hanover Park and where SAPS increased visible policing around the school and created safe corridors for learners to get to and from school, learners were remarkably safer and the number of incidents decreased drastically; and

Therefore resolves:

That the Provincial Police Commissioner be requested:

- (a) to submit a report to the Standing Committee on Community Safety, on how SAPS will be adequately resourced and by when;
- (b) to ensure that all vacancies be filled as a matter of urgency;
- (c) to prioritise school safety; and
- (d) to ensure that visible policing is fully implemented and increased, in particular around our schools.

SUBJECT FOR DISCUSSION

Ms B A Schäfer: The on-going drought in the Western Cape and its effects.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. Consideration of Report of the Budget Committee on the *Division of Revenue Bill* [B 2 – 2016] (NCOP), dated 22 April 2016 (See Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, p 78) (Ratification of final mandate).
2. Consideration of Report of the Standing Committee on Transport and Public Works on the *Expropriation Bill* [B 4D – 2015] (NCOP), dated 6 May 2016 (See Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports, p 86) (Ratification of final mandate).

FURTHER BUSINESS

NOTICE OF MOTIONS

1. Mr C M Dugmore moved: That the House notes and investigates allegations by black traffic officers in the City of Cape Town that they are overlooked for promotions because of their skin colour.
2. Mr K E Magaxa moved: That the House debates the widespread shack fires in the province in areas like Masiphumelele and Imizamo Yethu and plans of the provincial government to curb them.
3. Ms M M Wenger moved: That the House debates the adequacy of the response from the South African Police Service – which is constitutionally obligated to prevent, combat and investigate crime, to maintain public order, to protect and secure the inhabitants of the Republic and their property and to uphold and enforce the law – in the on-going gang violence in the Western Cape, and in particular the gang violence that has erupted in Manenberg.
4. Mr L H Max moved: That the House discusses the necessity of a safe and effective public transport system in order to reduce the traffic congestion on our roads.
5. Mr R T Olivier moved: That the House debates the unsafe state of schools in the province after another school, Avondale Primary in Atlantis, was confirmed unsafe by structural engineers who told the WCED that they had identified some sections of the building that needed to be cordoned off until repairs to certain features were made.
6. Mr B D Joseph moved: That the House debates the development of the Philippi Horticultural Area.
7. Ms D Gopie moved: That the House investigates allegations of racism at Western Cape health facilities after reports that black staff suffered racism at Tygerberg Hospital.
8. Ms L M Maseko moved: That the House debates the impact of the upgrading of informal settlements in the Western Cape.
9. Mr C M Dugmore moved: That the House discusses the urgent need to appoint at least an additional 50 traffic officers to increase visibility on our roads given the on-going carnage which saw fatalities in the Western Cape increase with the highest percentage compared with all other provinces over the 2015 festive season and the horrific deaths over the Easter holiday period.
10. Ms D Gopie moved: That the House debates the lack of community participation and the lack of transparency about the new health facility to replace the GF Jooste Hospital.
11. Mr K E Magaxa moved: That the House debates the challenge of backyarders in the province and strategies from the provincial government to solve it.

12. Ms P Makeleni moved: That the House debates the prevalence of diarrhoea in the Western Cape after reports of more than 8 000 cases in the City of Cape Town alone.
13. Ms D Gopie moved: That the House institutes an investigation into what led to water cuts for two consecutive days on February at Tygerberg Hospital which led to the hospital postponing surgery procedures and sending patients home after operation schedules were plunged into disarray.
14. Ms M N Gillion moved: That the House debates the ratio of social workers and psychologists to children that is 1 : 30 000 seeing that children may need trauma counselling amidst the ongoing gang fights on the Cape Flats, as reported by the WCED.
15. Mr S G Tyatyam moved: That the House investigates reports that most farmers in the Western Cape are not adhering to the new minimum wage for farmworkers that was announced by the Department of Labour in February.
16. Mr K E Magaxa moved: That the House debates the reason for the R120 million budget cuts on the housing allocations of seven municipalities by the provincial Department of Human Settlements, despite the high numbers of housing backlog.
17. Ms D Gopie moved: That the House requests the Minister of Transport and Public Works to investigate whether any of the vehicles utilised by current Ministers have been driven by any of the Ministers' relatives, friends or spouses, and whether any of these vehicles have been involved in crashes while being driven by the relatives, friends or spouses of the Ministers concerned.
18. Mr B D Joseph moved: That the House debates the appointment or request the Minister of Transport and Public Works to investigate the appointment of the new Traffic Chief of Gene Louw College.
19. Mr M G E Wiley: That the House notes the historic and fearless verdict of the Constitutional Court in the Nkandla matter, and in particular the damning commentary about President Zuma and the ANC Parliament.
20. Mr M G E Wiley: That the House notes the ANC Women's League's hysterical criticism of the Public Protector, Adv Thuli Madonsela, a person who has been lauded the world over for her steadfast contribution to South Africa and the rights of its people, especially poor people, women and children and that the land would certainly have been poorer without her steadfastness, insight and good judgement.
21. Ms T M Dijana: That the House notes that residents of the Barcelona informal settlement protested earlier in the year after they were forced by the City of Cape Town to spend the festive season with Pota-Pota buckets full of faeces inside their homes and deplors this inhumane treatment of poor people by the DA-run City of Cape Town administration.
22. Mr R T Olivier: That the House notes the violation of a child's right to education by the WCED as Eryhn Pirie (14) is still sitting idle at his Ysterplaat home while his peers started the second term of school; and condemns the WCED for failing to assist the child's parents who are continuously told to visit the district office for assistance.
23. Mr C M Dugmore: That the House condemns the decision by the DA provincial government, with the approval of both the Minister of Transport and Public Works and the Premier, to dispose of the public land on Main Road in Sea Point, formerly utilised by the Tafelberg Remedial School, allegedly to the highest bidder, while ignoring a request from the Department of Human Settlements to use this very land for social housing which would have contributed to integrating Cape Town and ensuring that the poor and working class have access to affordable housing within the inner city.

24. Mr R T Olivier: That the House notes reports that learners at Scottsdene Secondary School and Hawston Primary School will have to wait until next year before they can move into the classrooms they vacated last year because of safety issues, after shoddy work by companies working closely with this government; and calls on the WCED and the Department of Public Works to accelerate the rebuilding of the two schools.
25. Ms B A Schäfer: That the House congratulates the Cape Town International Convention Centre (CTICC) for taking first place in the Top 500 Companies: Exhibition and Conference Facilities category.
26. Mr B D Kivedo: That the House takes note of the allegations that members of the South African Police Service shot indiscriminately on vehicles transporting employees home from Nando's, McDonald's and KFC fast-food outlets in the space of ten days, fatally wounding three and leaving eight critically injured and extends its condolences to the affected families.
27. Ms B A Schäfer: That the House congratulates Pepperclub Hotel and Spa, a five-star hotel in the heart of Cape Town, which has been nominated for four categories; namely:
 - Africa's Leading City Hotel;
 - Africa's Leading Hotel Residences;
 - South Africa's Leading Hotel Residences; and
 - South Africa's Leading Hotel Suite.
28. Mr N E Hinana: That the House welcomes the ANC councillor Mzwakhe Nqavashe from Ward 40 in the metropolitan area to the ranks of the best-delivering party, the Democratic Alliance.
29. Ms B A Schäfer: That the House congratulates the City of Cape Town for being rated the world's most favourite city in the highly coveted 2015/16 Telegraph Travel Awards.
30. Mr M Mqasela: That the House congratulates the ANC Youth League in the Western Cape and Andile Mbali, the secretary, for calling on the ANC to bring back the suspended Western Cape ANC leader, Marius Fransman, due to the ANC's fractured and weak leadership in the election campaign.