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## DRAFT MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

### STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TOURISM

Thursday, 14 March 2024 (14h00)

Hybrid Meeting via MS Teams and in the Parliamentary Chamber,  
6<sup>th</sup> Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

#### ATTENDANCE

##### Members:

##### **Democratic Alliance**

Murray, C (Chairperson)

Sileku, I

Van der Westhuizen, W

##### **African National Congress**

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##### **Al Jama-ah**

Brinkhuis, K

##### The following persons were in attendance:

\*The attendance list is copied below

##### **Western Cape Provincial Parliament**

Mr D Davids, Procedural Officer

Ms L Cloete, Senior Procedural Officer

Ms M Mrubata, Committee Assistant

#### **1. Welcome and attendance**

The Chairperson opened the meeting welcomed the members, Provincial Treasury officials and members of the public to the meeting to deliberate on Vote 12: Department of Economic Development and Tourism in the Schedule to the Western Cape Appropriation Bill [B 1-2024]. It was also communicated to the Committee members and the departmental officials by the Chairperson that the Western Cape Provincial Parliament experienced a Microsoft 365 outage which negatively affected the emails and MS TEAMS functionality. Therefore, the officials of the Department and its entities were unable to log on and join the

meeting via MS TEAMS. The Chairperson explained the rules of engagement for virtual meetings. In addition, the Chairperson tendered the Minister's apology respect to the passing of the Minister's family member. Thereafter, the Chairperson allowed a brief introduction by the head departmental official.

## **2. Consideration of Vote 12: Department of Economic Development and Tourism in the Schedule to the Western Cape Appropriation Bill [B 1–2024]**

Ms J Johnston (head departmental official) gave brief introductory remarks on the budget for Vote 12: Department of Economic Development and Tourism.

The Committee proceeded to a discussion on Vote 12.

The Committee deliberated and engaged the Department on Vote 12. The Chairperson thanked the Department for its hard work in the sector, and its preparation and responses to the questions raised by the Committee members.

The Chairperson noted that there were no questions or comments from the public.

Thereafter, on conclusion of the deliberations on the Vote, the Chairperson noted that the Committee supported Vote 12: Department of Economic Development and Tourism, in the Schedule to the Western Cape Appropriation Bill, and that the African National Congress and Al Jamah-Ah expressed their minority views, in accordance with Standing Rule 90, to not support the Vote.

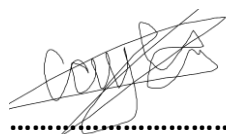
## **3. Consideration and Adoption of the Draft Committee Report on Vote 12: Department of Economic Development and Tourism in the Schedule to the Western Cape Appropriation Bill [B 1–2024]**

The Chairperson submitted the draft Committee Report, which was considered and adopted.

## **4. Resolutions/Actions**

None

The meeting adjourned at 15h30.

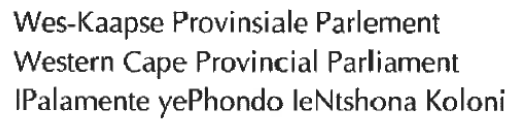


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**MS CAT MURRAY, MPP**

**CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TOURISM**

**DATE: 6 May 2024**



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**Agenda: Department of Economic Opportunities and Tourism: Vote 12**

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