



Wes-Kaapse Provinsiale Parlement
Western Cape Provincial Parliament
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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 6 June 2018 (08:30), Chamber, 6th Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES, TOURISM AND AGRICULTURE
(Economic Development and Tourism; Agriculture)

ATTENDANCE

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Maseko, M
Schäfer, BA (Chairperson)

African National Congress

Nkondlo, N
Tyatyam, S (Alternate)

Additional Member

Wiley, M (DA)

Apology

Mnqasela, M (DA)

The following persons were in attendance:

Department of Economic Development and Tourism

Mr R Toefy, Deputy Director-General
Mr N Joseph, Acting Chief Director
Ms M Ellis, Deputy Director
Mr R Windvogel, Director

Wesgro

Mr Y Pephah, Chief Business Officer
Mr P van den Brink, Airline Specialist
Ms J Twynam, Head: Strategic Projects

Mr D King, Project Manager: Cape Town Air Access

Department of Home Affairs

Mr S Van Neel, Acting Chief Director
Mr R Marhule, Chief Director
Mr Y Simons, Provincial Manager: Western Cape
Mr R Moosa, Deputy Director

Airports Company South Africa

Mr M Maclean, Assistant General Manager: Operational Services

Western Cape Provincial Parliament

Ms Z Adams, Committee Coordinator
Ms A Mtimkulu, Researcher

1. Welcome and attendance

The Chairperson opened the meeting and welcomed everyone present.

2. Briefing by Wesgro on the Air Access Strategy

Mr Toefy and Mr King briefed the Committee on the subject at hand.

3. Briefing by Airports Company South Africa (ACSA) on the expansion plans for Cape Town International Airport

Mr Maclean briefed the Committee on the subject at hand.

4. Briefing by the Department of Home Affairs on the processing of passports of international arrivals at Cape Town International Airport, and the future of visa regulations and the way forward

Mr van Neel briefed the Committee on the subject at hand.

The Committee engaged on the contents of all three presentations.

5. Adoption of Committee Reports

The Committee considered and adopted the Draft Report on the Oversight Visit to the I-CAN Centre in Elsie's River, and the Draft Annual Activities Report of the Standing Committee on Economic Opportunities, Tourism and Agriculture for the 2017/18 financial year.

6. Resolutions/Actions

5.1 The Committee RESOLVED to:

- 5.1.1 Write a letter to Minister of Economic Opportunities, Mr A Winde, to request that the Minister facilitate regular meetings between the Minister of Home Affairs, Wesgro, the Department of Home Affairs and National Treasury to address challenges experienced at the Cape Town International Airport;
- 5.1.2 Hold an oversight visit at the False Bay Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) College where Airports Company South Africa and the City of Cape Town launched a construction industry training programme for the Blikkiesdorp community; and
- 5.1.3 Request that ACSA brief the Committee on spatial planning around the Cape Town International Airport.



MS BA SCHÄFER, MPP

CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES, TOURISM AND AGRICULTURE

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