

PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

ANNOUNCEMENTS, TABLINGS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

FRIDAY, 27 JUNE 2025

TABLING

The Speaker:

Tabling of document in terms of section 32(1)(a) of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000):

Bitou Municipality

Service Delivery Budget Implementation Plan 2025/26.

Copy attached.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Annual Committee Report of the Conduct Committee for 2024/25 financial year, dated 30 May 2025, as follows:

Members

The Committee comprised the following Members:

Democratic Alliance

Van Minnen, B M (Chairperson)

Johnson, P

Mbombo, M

Kaizer-Philander, W F

African National Congress

Bans, A P

Patriotic Alliance

Petrus, B

Freedom Front Plus

Marais, G P

1. Introduction

1.1 The Conduct Committee, established in accordance with the Standing Rules of the Western Cape Provincial Parliament and governed by the Members of the Western Cape Provincial Parliament Code of Conduct Act, 2002 (Act 3 of 2002), is charged with carrying out the functions required of it under the Code of Conduct for Members of the Western Cape Provincial Parliament, 2021.

1.2 The Conduct Committee must:

- 1.2.1 implement the Code of Conduct;
- 1.2.2 develop standards of conduct;
- 1.2.3 regularly review the Code and make recommendations for its amendment;
- 1.2.4 perform other functions and exercise other powers reasonably assigned to the Committee by the Code and in terms of resolutions adopted; and
- 1.2.5 Report to the House at least annually on its operations and the effectiveness of the Code.

2 Committee Report on its operations and the efficiency of the Code

All permanent and alternate Members appointed to the Conduct Committee were administered the oath or affirmation by the Speaker prior to the Committee's first meeting. The first meeting of the Conduct Committee took place on 2 August 2024, and Hon B M van Minnen was elected as Chairperson. The Conduct Committee held meetings during the period under review on 2 August 2024, 6 November 2024 and 5 February 2025.

The Registrar reported to the Committee that 41 Members submitted their disclosure forms by the deadline of 12 August 2024.

One request for access to the public part of the Register were received by the Registrar.

During the period under review, the Committee dealt with one (1) breach of the Code. The Committee tabled its report to the House on 3 December 2024.

The Committee commenced its review of the efficiency of the Code of Conduct in November 2024.

3. Financial particulars

The Conduct Committee is part of a group of committees with a shared budget. As at the end of March 2025 the total expenditure attributed to the activities of the Committee amounted to R3 100.