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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Tuesday, 01 August 2017 (at 14h00), Committee Room 1, 4th Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

PRESENT

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Botha, LJ Kivedo, BD (Chairperson) Max, LH

African National Congress

Oliver, RT

Apology

Christians, FC (ACDP)

Persons in attendance

(For officials and members of the public in attendance, please see attached attendance register)

1. Opening and welcome

The Chairperson, Mr B Kivedo opened the meeting and welcomed the Members of the Standing Committee, Departmental officials and members of public.

2. Briefing by the Department of Transport on the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act no 93 of 1996) on the amendments to Regulation 250 of the National Road Traffic Regulations and the National Scholar Transport Policy. The briefing would focus on the implications of this amendment to school learner transport.

The Committee deliberated on the briefings

The Committee RESOLVED that the stakeholders provide the following information by 15 January 2017:-

- 2.1. The National Department of Transport provides a breakdown in rand value as to the number of traffic fines issued following the inception of the new regulations.
- 2.2. The National Department of Transport provides the final Draft Report once it has been concluded in March 2018 on the National Road Safety Strategy focusing on the implementation of learner transport programmes, on operations compliance and raising awareness amongst parents and learners
- 2.3. The National Department of Transport provides the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that are entered into between the provincial departments of transport and education:
- 2.3.1. To ensure effective delivery of services; and
- 2.3.2. Clarify roles and responsibilities with regards to learner transport programme.
- 2.4. WCED provides written confirmation as to the kilometres indicated in the National Department of Transport's policy.
- 2.5. The Department of Transport provides a copy of the National Learner Transport Policy.
- 2.6. The Department of Transport provides a copy of the funding policy for Learner Transport for the province.
- 2.7. The Department of Transport provides a copy of the funding model for all provinces in relation to National Learner Transport Policy.

The meeting adjourned at 16h20.

MR BD KIVEDO, MPP CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION WESTERN CAPE PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT DATE: 31 OCTOBER 2017