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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

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

Wednesday, 26 August 2015 (08:30), Committee Room 2, 4th Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

ATTENDANCE

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Maseko, LM Schäfer, BA (Chairperson) Hinana, N (alternate)

African National Congress

Tyatyam, SG (alternate) Davids, SW

Economic Freedom Front

Joseph, BD

APOLOGY

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The following persons were in attendance:

Department of Economic Development and Tourism

Mr A Searle, Director Mr B Nopote, Deputy Director Mr M Van Wyk, Deputy Director Mr N Joseph, Director Mr P Naude, Deputy Director Mr S Bux, Acting Director Ms LC Brown, Deputy Director

Western Cape Provincial Parliament

Mr A Samuels, Service Officer Ms W Achmat, Committee Co-ordinator

1. Welcome and attendance

The Chairperson opened the meeting and welcomed everyone present.

2. Briefing by the Department of Economic Development and Tourism on the International Trade Agreements within the department.

Mr Joseph briefed the Committee on the subject at hand.

The Committee engaged the Department on the contents of its presentation.

2.1 Recommendations/Actions

The Committee recommended that the Department of Economic Development and Tourism send the list of non-profit organisations and companies with which they have International Trade Agreements that were not included in the presentation of the day.

3. Update on the Student Representative Council (SRC) of Elsenburg Training Institute

The Chairperson briefed the Committee on the update provided by Minister Winde on the subject at hand.

The Committee deliberated on the subject.

3.1 Recommendations/Actions

The Committee recommended that:

- 3.1.1 the Chairperson obtain a timeline from Minister Winde on when his office will report back to the Committee on the matters raised by the SRC ; and
- 3.1.2 correspondence be sent to inform the Chairperson of the Student Representative Council to update the SRC on the matter at hand.
- 4. Briefing by the Department of Economic Development and Tourism on the Consumer Protection programme

Mr Searle briefed the Committee on the subject at hand.

The Committee engaged the Department on the contents of its presentation.

4.1 Recommendations/Actions

The Committee recommended the Department provide the list of monthly events, including those taking place at the Consumer Protection Office.

5. Consideration and adoption of the draft minutes held on 19 August 2015

The Chairperson submitted the draft minutes of 19 August 2015, which was considered and adopted.

Having concluded its business for the day, the meeting adjourned at 12h10.

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MS BA SCHÄFER, MPP CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES, TOURISM AND AGRICULTURE DATE: 2 SEPTEMBER 2015