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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

Wednesday, 1 March 2017 (at 14:00), Committee Room 1, 4th Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

PRESENT

Members

Democratic Alliance

Hinana, NE (Alternate) Mackenzie, RD Schäfer, BA (Acting Chairperson)

African National Congress

Dijana, TM

Additional Member

Wiley, MGE

Apology

Beerwinkel, CF

The following persons were in attendance:

Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning

Mr P van Zyl, Head of Department

Mr G Arendse, Chief Director: Environmental Quality

Ms K Shippey, Chief Director: Sustainability

Mr T Gildenhuys, Chief Financial Officer

Mr A Gaffoor, Director: Strategic and Operational Support

Mr R van Jaarsveldt, Head of Communication

Mr G Isaacs, Director: Climate Change Ms S Birch, Directorate: Climate Change

Department of Local Government

Mr C Deiner, Chief Director: Disaster Management

Department of Transport and Public Works

Mr G Kode, Deputy Director-General

Department of Water and Sanitation: Western Cape

Mr R Khan, Head of Department

The Committee Coordinator, Mr Coetzee, informed the Committee that in accordance with the Western Cape Provincial Parliament's Standing Rule 77 (2), the Committee would proceed to the election of an acting Chairperson.

Mr Hinana moved that Ms B Schäfer be elected as acting Chairperson.

No further nominations were received.

Motion agreed to.

1. Opening and Welcome

The acting Chairperson opened the meeting by welcoming the members of the Committee and the Departmental officials. She informed the Committee that an apology was received from the City of Cape Town and that they would not be able to attend the meeting.

 Briefing by the Department of Environmental Affairs and Development Planning on progress made on the adjusted vote of R5 million from the Provincial Revenue Fund to Programme 4: Environmental Quality Management in respect of the Water for Sustainable Growth and Development Plan

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The Committee deliberated.

3. Resolutions/Actions

The Committee REQUESTED that:

- The Department brief the Committee every six months after they have briefed the Premier's Coordinating Forum on the water situation in the Western Cape; and
- The Mr R Khan, Department of Water Affairs and Sanitation provide the Committee with a copy of the 2015 Old Town Strategy as well as the Master Plan indicating the planning and support to the Western Cape with regard to the water crisis.

4. Consideration and adoption of Draft Committee Minutes of 7 February 2017

The Chairperson submitted the Draft Committee Minutes of 7 February 2017 that was considered and adopted.

The meeting adjourned at 16h07.

MS B SCHÄFER, MPP

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Date: 22 3 2017