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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES AND TOURISM

Friday, 18 October 2019 (08h00)
Chamber, 6th floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

ATTENDANCE

Members:

Democratic Alliance

Baartman, D (Chairperson)
Mitchell, D
Van der Westhuizen, A

African National Congress

Nkondlo, N

Economic freedom fighters

Makamba-Botya, N

The following persons were in attendance:

Ministry of Economic Opportunities

Mr D Maynier, Minister: Finance and Economic Opportunities

**Department of Economic Development and Tourism, Wesgro and Saldanha Bay IDZ
Licencing Company**

*Please see attached attendance list

Western Cape Provincial Parliament

Ms Z Adams, Procedural Officer

1. Welcome and attendance

The Chairperson opened the meeting and allowed brief introductions by all present.

2. Discussion on the 2018/19 Annual Report for the Department of Economic Development and Tourism

Minister Maynier and Mr Fourie gave a brief overview of the 2018/19 Annual Report focusing on the highlights and challenges experienced in the financial year.

The Committee considered and examined the Department of Economic Development and Tourism's (the Department) 2018/19 Annual Report.

The Chairperson thanked the Department for its preparation and responses to the questions raised by the Committee Members.

The Chairperson requested input from the public. Mr Mlandeli Mbiko from the Nyanga Tourism Forum raised a few concerns, which were addressed by the Department (information recorded in the Report).

3. Discussion on the 2018/19 Annual Report for Western Cape Investment and Trade Promotion Agency

Minister Maynier and Mr Harris gave a brief overview of the 2018/19 Annual Report of the Western Cape Investment and Trade Promotion Agency (Wesgro), focusing on the highlights and challenges experienced in the financial year.

The Committee considered and examined Wesgro's 2018/19 Annual Report.

The Chairperson thanked Wesgro for its preparation and responses to the questions raised by the Committee Members.

The Chairperson opened the floor for public comments. There were no questions or comments raised.

4. Discussion on the 2018/19 Annual Report for the Saldanha Bay IDZ Licencing Company (SOC) Ltd

Minister Maynier and Ms Beukes gave a brief overview of the 2018/19 Annual Report of the Saldanha Bay IDZ Licencing Company (SOC) Ltd (SBIDZ) focusing on the highlights and challenges experienced in the financial year.

The Committee considered and examined SBIDZ's 2018/19 Annual Report.

The Chairperson thanked SBIDZ for its preparation and responses to the questions raised by the Committee Members.

The Chairperson opened the floor for public comments. There were no questions or comments raised.

Having concluded its business for the day, the meeting adjourned at 13h00.



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ADV D BAARTMAN, MPP

**CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES
AND TOURISM**

DATE: 12 November 2019

