BOTSWANA NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

(MONDAY 11TH AUGUST, 2025)

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

HRS/MINS

SECOND READING

0900 - 1300

1. Anti-Doping Bill, 2025 (Bill No. 18 of 2025)

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QUESTIONS HRS/MINS

1400 - 1445

- 1. MR. M. M. MOROLONG, MP. (KGATLENG CENTRAL): To ask the Minister of Child Welfare and Basic Education to state the number of teachers awaiting payments of Leave Concession and to further state:
 - (i) the amount owed and the reasons that led to the accrued debt; and
 - (ii) measures in place to address this challenge going forward.

- 2. MR. K. T. MMUSI, MP. (GABANE-MMANKGODI): To ask the Minister of Local (422) Government and Traditional Affairs to state:
 - (i) when his Ministry intends to upgrade the Tloaneng Health Post to a fully-fledged clinic, in view of the significant population growth in the village since the establishment of the Health Post and the need to meet clinic infrastructure and service standards; and
 - (ii) if there are any plans to extend the operating hours of the Health Post to include weekends, considering that healthcare needs are continuous and not limited to weekdays.
- 3. MR. D. SALESHANDO, MP. (MAUN NORTH): To ask the Minister of Local (427) Government and Traditional Affairs to state if a decision has been made by Government to turn Maun into a City; if the answer is in the affirmative, to state the following:
 - (i) the timeline within which this will be achieved;
 - (ii) the infrastructure and resources required for this to be achieved within the set timeline; and
 - (iii) if Maun City will be in any way modelled differently from the other two (2) existing cities.
- 4. DR. U. DOW, MP. (KGATLENG WEST): To ask the Minister of Health when he expects his Ministry to be able to pay private businesses for services and goods procured within the agreed time frame and more particularly:
 - (i) how many businesses are owed;
 - (ii) what the smallest amount owed and the highest amount owed; and
 - (iii) why was procurement done when there were no funds to pay for the goods or services.
- 5. MR. L. LESEDI, MP. (SEROWE SOUTH): To ask the Minister of Youth and (448) Gender Affairs to state:
 - (i) progress in the development of the Moiyabana integrated farm, its achievements, how far the project has gone and when it started;
 - (ii) how much has been spent so far on the project and how the people and youth of Moiyabana and surrounding villages are benefiting from the project;
 - (iii) how far poultry, beekeeping, piggery and horticulture are progressing at the farm and if all projects are fully operational; and if not reasons thereof,
 - (iv) what her Ministry intends to do to remedy the situation.

- 6. MR. T. FURNITURE, MP. (TATI EAST): To ask the Minister for State (456) President to state:
 - (i) the number of security companies whose licences were cancelled due to failure to pay wages;
 - (ii) the reasons for failure to pay wages by the companies;
 - (iii) how many employees in total were affected by this and how much in total they were owed;
 - (iv) how his Ministry intends to assist these employees, after closing the companies, to recover their wages benefits since the companies do not exist; and
 - (v) why his Ministry did not allow the Industrial Court to apply its process of attaching and selling the companies properties to pay employees.
- 7. MR. P. K. MOTAOSANE, MP. (THAMAGA-KUMAKWANE): To ask the Minister (460) of Finance to state:
 - (i) how much the Government has collected as Revenues from November 2024 to June 2025:
 - (ii) which sectors contributed to these Revenues; and
 - (iii) the Government Expenditure from November 2024 to date.
- 8. MR. S. O. MAPULANGA, MP. (CHOBE): To ask the Minister of Trade and (462) Entrepreneurship to apprise this Honourable House on:
 - (i) how many businesses have been funded in Chobe from 2014 to 2024;
 - (ii) how much was disbursed in the same period;
 - (iii) how many are operating and in which sectors;
 - (iv) how many failed or have been repossessed and in which sectors; and
 - (v) the major challenges of those unsuccessful businesses.
- 9. MR. M. M. PULE, MP. (KGATLENG EAST): To ask the Minister of Health to provide a detailed and timely update on specific measures taken to improve the quality and reliability of healthcare services in Kgatleng East Constituency, and further state:
 - (i) the current availability of essential medications in clinics and health posts throughout Kgatleng East;

- (ii) what the Ministry identifies as the key reasons behind recurring medicine shortages in clinics and health post and if the constraints are currently being addressed;
- (iii) what specific interventions the Ministry is actively implementing to improve access to healthcare in the constituency, including staffing, equipment upgrades, mobile health services;
- (iv) whether the Ministry has conducted any recent needs assessment or audit in the health facilities within Kgatleng East, and if so, whether the findings will be shared with the community and local leadership; and
- (v) when the people of Kgatleng East can expect to see visible and measurable improvements in their access to medicine and health services, and how such progress will be monitored and communicated public.
- 10. MR. O. KWAPA, MP. (JWANENG-MABUTSANE): To ask the Minister of Local (471) Government and Traditional Affairs whether he is aware of the inadequacy and untimely payment of Old Age Pension in the Jwaneng-Mabutsane Constituency and to state the assurances the Government can provide to ensure that this arrangement does not repeat.

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