

# ESWATINI HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

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## ORDER PAPER

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(For Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2026)

## TABLING OF REPORTS

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1. REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE MBABANE GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES' PETITION, 2025.

**(The Hon. Sicelo Prince Dlamini)**

2. UPDATES ON PAC'S RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE AUDITOR GENERAL'S 2021 COMPLIANCE AUDIT REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON THE AUDITOR GENERAL'S COMPLIANCE REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED ON MARCH 31, 2024.

**(The Hon. Madala Mhlanga)**

# TABLING OF A PETITION

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PETITION OF RETIRED RFM ORDERLIES.

**(The Hon. Sifiso Nhlengetfwa)**

## QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

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08/2026      Could the Hon. Minister for Tourism and Environmental Affairs inform this Honourable House when is she likely to table the Gaming Act Regulations in the House and further explain why so many years have passed without them?

**(The Hon. Marwick T. Khumalo)**

10/2026      Could the Honourable Minister for Economic Planning and Development explain to this Hon. House as to what is the projected return on investment for the billions spent by Government on the International Convention Centre (ICC) project?

**(The Hon. Charles Ndlovu)**

11/2026      Could the Hon. Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation confirm or inform the Hon. House if the facilitation of employment opportunities for our citizens is one of the responsibilities of our embassies/missions abroad? If that is the case, how many fellow citizens have benefited from such initiatives, especially in countries such as Qatar, UAE, and others, in light of the unprecedented levels of unemployment

currently experienced in the country? Is the Hon. Minister aware that other countries such as Kenya have bilateral labour Agreements with Qatar, a country that we enjoy warm relations with? Furthermore, is the Hon. Minister appreciative of the fact that in a country like Qatar, the Asians and Africans are dominating the workforce, thereat? Isn't it time that we exploit our diplomatic relations with Qatar, for instance, to the benefit and betterment of our unemployment citizens?

**(The Hon. Marwick T. Khumalo)**

12/2026 Could the Hon. Minister for Labour and Social Security appraise this Hon. House on when the Ministry will consider introducing a formal framework for work permits and labour protections for Emaswati employed in neighbouring countries, particularly those in non-academic and manual occupations such as truck drivers and textile workers? Additionally, is the Hon. Minister aware that there are persistent reports that Emaswati in these sectors are allegedly subjected to unfair treatment, underpayment and abuse by employers, largely due to their lack of possessing formal work permits and legal recognition in host-countries?

**(The Hon. Sicelo Prince Dlamini)**

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

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### **GOVERNMENT BILL**

THE SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2024  
(Bill No.14 of 2024)  
(Second Reading – Continues)

**(The Hon. Minister for Commerce, Industry and Trade)**

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**ADOPTION OF A PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE REPORT:**

TO MOVE THAT THE HOUSE ADOPTS THE REPORT OF THE PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, INDUSTRY AND TRADE ON THE SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2024, BILL NO.14 OF 2024.

**Mover: (The Hon. Masiphula Mamba)**

**Secunder: (The Hon. Sifiso Shongwe)**

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THE SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2024  
(Bill No.14 of 2024)  
(Committee of the Whole House)

**(The Hon. Minister for Commerce, Industry and Trade)**

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THE SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2024  
(Bill No.14 of 2024)  
(Third Reading)

**(The Hon. Minister for Commerce, Industry and Trade)**

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# AN URGENT MATTER OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

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01/2026 To move that the House appoints a seven (7) Member Select Committee in terms of Standing Orders 58, 59 and 170, which will inquire, and/or investigate the contents of the petition delivered and tabled in this august House, of Eswatini Nursing Association, Good Shepherd Mission Hospital Unit Committee. The Committee should table a report within fourteen (14) days after the adoption of this motion.

**Mover: (The Hon. Joseph Souza)**

**Seconder: (The Hon. Sandile Nxumalo)**

02/2026 To move that the House appoints a seven (7) Member Select Committee in terms of Standing Orders 58, 59 and 170, which will inquire, and/or investigate the contents of the petition delivered and tabled in this august House, of the Swaziland National Ex-Mine Workers Association. The Committee should table a report within fourteen (14) days after the adoption of this motion.

**Mover: (The Hon. Manzi Zwane)**

**Seconder: (The Hon. Sandile Nxumalo)**

# PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

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01/2026 To move that the Honourable House select a seven (7) member Select Committee to investigate and conduct a thorough investigation into ESCCOM and to establish the veracity of the following allegations:

1. Whether it is true that ESCCOM invested E30 million in Status Capital, which is now considered lost, and to determine who authorised this investment.
2. Whether it is true that one Senior Officer spent a month in Dubai, and to identify who approved this travel.
3. Whether it is true that the costs of the new building have more than doubled from the initial budget of E110 million to over E350 million.
4. To further investigate why one supplier is being given preferential treatment as an Internet Service Provider (ISP), and to examine allegations of interference with the infrastructure of the ICT wholesaler by this supplier.

The Honourable House is requested to approve this motion to facilitate transparency and accountability within ESCCOM. The Select Committee should provide a comprehensive report within twenty one (21) days upon approval of this motion.

**Mover:** (The Hon. Charles Ndlovu)

**Seconder:** (The Hon. Ntando Mkhonta)

04/2026 To move that the Honourable Minister for Public Service be called upon, as a matter of urgency, to institute a comprehensive review of the inadequate staffing levels in the Kingdom of Eswatini's High Commissions and Embassies. This situation has been exacerbated by the continued use of an archaic administrative structure inherited from the colonial administration

at independence, which no longer aligns with the operational demands of modern diplomatic service.

Whereas the said review shall also address the long outstanding matter of Chapter E of the relevant public service regulations, which pertains to the rights, conditions of service, and general welfare of officers serving in foreign missions.

Therefore the Honourable Minister is hereby expected to complete the review and submit a detailed report with recommendations to this Honourable House within ninety (90) days from the date of adoption of this motion.

**Mover: (The Hon. Marwick T. Khumalo)**

**Secunder: (The Hon. Madala Mhlanga)**

07/2026 To move that the Rt. Honourable Prime Minister outlines in detail the following:

- a) How his disruptive style of leadership is consistent with, and fits into, the Tinkhundla system of Government as established under the Constitution of the Kingdom of Eswatini and the Tinkhundla framework, which emphasises consensus-building, traditional authority, and collective decision-making at both national and local levels;
- b) The manner in which this leadership style affects the doctrine of collective responsibility within the Cabinet, particularly whether it upholds or undermines the principle that all Ministers are jointly accountable to His Majesty the King-in-Parliament for the policies and actions of the Government;
- c) The impact of this leadership style on service delivery across all sectors of the Kingdom, including its effects on the efficiency, coordination, and effectiveness of public service programmes, development projects, and the overall welfare of Emaswati.

- d) That the Hon. Prime Minister's response be accompanied by specific examples, timelines, and measurable indicators to enable Members to fully assess the compatibility of the said leadership approach with the foundational principles of the Tinkhundla system and its implications for good governance.

The Rt. Hon. Prime Minister should table a comprehensive report within thirty (30) days after the adoption of this motion by the House.

**Mover: (The Hon. Welcome Dlamini)**  
**Seconder: (The Hon. Charles Ndlovu)**

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