ESWATINI HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
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ORDER PAPER
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(For Thursday 25th May, 2023)

QUESTION FOR ORAL ANSWER
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05/2023   Could the Honourable Minister for Labour and Social Security inform the august House of Assembly as to what would prevent the transfer of the TB Clinic from the Ministry of Labour and Social Security to the Ministry of Health.

(The Hon. Macford Sibandze)

ORDERS OF THE DAY
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GOVERNMENT BILLS:

1. THE MARRIAGES BILL, 2022  
   (Bill No.8 of 2022)

   (Second Reading – Continues)

   (The Hon. Minister for Justice and Constitutional Affairs)
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PRIVATE MEMBERS’ MOTIONS

03/2023

To move that the Honourable Minister for Finance, in consultation with the Honourable Minister for Commerce, Industry and Trade, should consider transferring all Factory Shells to the Eswatini Investment Promotion Authority (EIPA) for the following reasons, inter alia:

(1) Government have built up a healthy stock of shells which are currently operated and maintained by EIPA i.e., rent collection, servicing and personnel etc. even though their ownership remains with the Ministry of Finance;

(2) Currently, they cannot sue rental defaulters or even get judgement against those owing them because they lack ownership of the Factory Shells;

(3) EIPA will be self-funding and will have the financial muscle through this stock of Factory Shells and would be able to borrow funds from financial institutions, internally or externally, at concessional rates to further develop new factory shells and rehabilitate the existing ones without government subvention;

(4) Investment promotion agencies in the Southern Africa Region (Mpumalanga Economic Growth Agency) own factories and properties in their own name and allowing EIPA to own assets places them at par with the counterparts and ensure they can compete in the chase to secure investors.

The Honourable Minister for Finance should appraise the House on progress that would have been made within twenty one (21) days of passing of this motion.

Mover : (The Hon. Sandla K. Fakudze)
Seconder : (The Hon. Lutfo E. Dlamini)
To move that the Honourable Minister for Tourism and Environmental Affairs should consult the Honourable Minister for Finance, with a view to effect a two percent (2%) administrative charge on gaming operators over and above the fifteen percent (15%) gaming levy, in order for the Gaming Board of Control to reduce reliance on the government for its day-to-day operations, and also improve efficiency, as is the norm in similar bodies in the region and beyond.

Mover: (The Hon. Marwick T. Khumalo)
Seconder: (The Hon. Lutfo E. Dlamini)