ESWATINI SENATE

ORDER PAPER

(For Monday 03 November 2025)

TABLING OF A BILL:

THE IMMIGRATION BILL, BILL NO.23 OF 2025.

(Hon. Minister for Home Affairs)

ORDER OF THE DAY

MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE IN TERMS OF STANDING ORDER 62 (2)(H)

TO MOVE THAT SENATE, IN TERMS OF STANDING ORDER 117 (2), AMENDS CLAUSE 7 OF THE NUCLEAR RADIATION AND SAFETY BILL, BILL NO.4 OF 2024 IN ORDER TO CORRECT AN OMMISSION OF THE DELETION OF CLAUSE 7 (2) (L), SUCH THAT THE CORRECTED AMENDMENT OF CLAUSE 7 EFFECTIVELY NOW READS AS FOLLOWS;

"CLAUSE 7

1. Clause 7 (2) (B)

(b) establish safety standards, requirements and regulatory control and compliance measures for the protection of people, property and the environment against the harmful effects of ionizing radiation;

Proposed amendment;

Insert the words "and security" between the words "safety" and "standards"

Proposed amendment to read as follows;

(b) establish safety **and security** standards, requirements and regulatory control and compliance measures for the protection of people, property and the environment against the harmful effects of ionizing radiation;

2. Clause 7 (2)(c)(i)

- (c) exercise control over -
- (i) siting design, construction, operation, manufacture of component parts, waste management and decommissioning of nuclear, radiological activities and other facilities;

Proposed amendment;

re-arranging the steps while exercising control:

Proposed amendment to read as follows;

(i) siting, design, manufacturing, construction, commissioning, operation, and decommissioning of facilities, radioactive waste management activities and site rehabilitation

3. Clause 7 (2)(2)(I)

(I) cooperate with the International Atomic Energy Agency in the application of safeguards in accordance with the Safeguards Agreement, should be subject to Constitution, between the Kingdom of Eswatini and the International Atomic Energy Agency, including conducting inspections and visits, carrying out complementary access and providing any assistance or information required by designated IAEA inspectors in the fulfilment of their responsibilities;

Proposed amendment;

Delete the entire paragraph and renumber the subsequent paragraphs.

4. Clause 7 (2) (p)

(p) act as the National Competent Authority for purposes of exchange of information and cooperation with regulatory bodies in other States and with relevant international organizations concerning matters arising from the exercise of its functions;

Proposed amendment;

Insert the words "and matters pertaining to nuclear technology" after the word "functions"

Amendment to read as follows;

(p) act as the National Competent Authority for purposes of exchange of information and cooperation with regulatory bodies in other States and with relevant international organizations concerning matters arising from the exercise of its functions **and matters pertaining to nuclear technology**;

5. Clause 7 (2) (t)

Proposed amendment;

Insert a new subsection (t) after subsection (s)

Amendment reads as follows; (t) establish safety standards under this Act "

MOVER: Sen. Lorraine Nxumalo

SECONDER: Sen. Sicelo Diamini