

**PARLIAMENTARY PROGRAMME 2020**

**FOURTH TERM**

AS AGREED TO BY THE PROGRAMME COMMITTEE ON 29 OCTOBER

*As updated on 6 November*

| FOURTH TERM   |                            |
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| 6 October – 27 November (8 weeks)                                   |                            |
| NCOP Preliminary Oversight Visits – Taking Parliament to the People | 5 – 9 October              |
| NA Committees (BRR Reports)   | 6 – 16 October             |
| NCOP Plenaries/Committees/Oversight                                 | 12 – 16 October            |
| NCOP Local Government Week  | 19 – 23 October            |
| NA Plenaries/ Mini-plenaries  | 20 October – 27 November   |
| NA Questions to the President                                       | October - November         |
| NA Questions to the Deputy President                                | October - November         |
| NA Questions to Clusters  | October - November         |
| NCOP Plenaries/Committees/Legislation                               | 26 – 30 October            |
| Tabling: 2020 Medium Term Budget                                    |                            |
| Policy Statement and Adjustments Budget:                            | 21 October ( <i>p</i> )    |
| Decision on Adjustments Appropriation Bill by Parliament            | 26 November ( <i>p</i> )   |
| NCOP Plenaries/Committees/Legislation                               | 2 – 13 November            |
| NCOP Questions to Cluster 4: Economics                              | October and November       |
| NCOP Questions to the President                                     | 14 October                 |
| NCOP Questions to Deputy President                                  | November                   |
| Taking Parliament to the People:                                    | 16 – 20 November           |
| NCOP Annual Address by the President                                | 20 November                |
| Constituency Period   | 30 November – 11 December  |
| <i>Reconciliation Day: Wednesday, 16 December</i>                   |                            |
| Leave Period  | 14 December – January 2021 |

## WEEK 33

| NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  | NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES   |
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| <p><b>MONDAY, 9 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">CONSTITUENCY DAY</p>   | <p><b>MONDAY, 9 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">CONSTITUENCY DAY</p>  |
| <p><b>TUESDAY, 10 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>14:00 – ±16:30 <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Statement by the Minister of Public Works and Infrastructure on the implementation of the infrastructure plan (77)</li> <li>2. Decision of Question on Draft resolution (Mr N S Matiase) on establishment of an ad hoc committee to conduct a comprehensive review of the living and working conditions of farmworkers in South Africa</li> <li>3. Decision of Questions on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition relating to allegations of corruption and mismanagement at Knysna Local Municipality, Western Cape</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 20)</li> <li>• Report of PC on Higher Education, Science and Technology on <b>Oversight visit to Gauteng</b> (ATC, 15 October 2020, p 4)</li> <li>• Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition from the residents of Letsitele Town, Ward 23, Tzaneen, calling on the Assembly to ensure that the Tzaneen municipality abides by the laws, by-laws and regulations, and that it implements the prescribed environmental and applicable zoning, as well as monitor and halt all illegal activities (submitted by Ms D van der Walt, MP)</b> (ATC, 21</li> </ul> </li> </ol> | <p><b>TUESDAY, 10 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>14:00            <b>PLENARY (VIRTUAL)</b></p> <p>Questions to Cluster 2B: Social Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basic Education</li> <li>- Higher Education, Science and Innovation</li> </ul> |

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| <p>October 2020, p 26)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Report of PC on Tourism on <b>Transformation Charter in Tourism Sector</b> (ATC, 14 October 2020, p 17)</li> </ul> <p>4. Motions without notice</p> <p>5. Notices of motion</p>  |   |
| <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>09:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>10:00 Chief Whips' Forum (Closed meeting)</p> <p>15:00 – ±19:15 <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Questions for Oral Reply: (180) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cluster 5: Economics</li> </ul> </li> <li>Consideration of Report of ST on Finance on <i>Revised Fiscal Framework and Revenue Proposals</i> (ATC, November 2020, p ) (77)</li> </ol> | <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>14:00 <b>PLENARY</b></p> <p>Consideration of the Select Committee on Finance report on the Revised Fiscal Framework and Revenue Proposals</p>   |
| <p><b>THURSDAY, 12 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>08:30 Programme Committee</p> <p>10:00 – 13:00 CAUCUS</p> <p>14:00 – ±17:00 <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <p>Questions to the President</p>   | <p><b>THURSDAY, 12 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 – 12:30 Caucus</p> <p>14:00 <b>PLENARY (VIRTUAL)</b></p> <p>Questions to Cluster 2C: Social Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Human Settlements, Water and Sanitation</li> <li>Social Development</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>FRIDAY, 13 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>COMMITTEES</p>  | <p><b>FRIDAY, 13 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 Multi-Party Women's Caucus (Steering Committee) meeting</p> <p>14:00 – 15:00 PGIR Task Team meeting</p> <p>15:00 – 18:00 Women's Charter Review High Level Session: Gauteng, North West and Eastern Cape</p>                     |

WEEK 34

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| <p><b>MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>CONSTITUENCY DAY</p>  | <p><b>MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>CONSTITUENCY DAY</p>   |
| <p><b>TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>14:00 – <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Consideration of Report of ST on Finance on Rates and Monetary Amounts and Amendment of Revenue Laws Bill [B26 – 2020] (ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Report of ST on Finance on Taxation Laws Amendment Bill [B27 – 2020](ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>3. Consideration of Report of ST on Finance on Tax Administration Laws Amendment Bill [B28 - 2020] (ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>4. First Reading debate: Rates and Monetary Amounts and Amendment of Revenue Laws Bill [B26 – 2020](prop s77), Taxation Laws Amendment Bill [B27 – 2020](prop s77) and Second Reading debate on Tax Administration Laws Amendment Bill [B28 – 2020](prop s75) (77) (p)</li> <li>5. Second Reading: Rates and Monetary Amounts and Amendment of Revenue Laws Bill [B26 – 2020](prop s77) (<i>no debate</i>) (p)</li> <li>6. Second Reading: Taxation Laws Amendment Bill [B27 – 2020](prop s77) (<i>no debate</i>) (p)</li> <li>7. Consideration of Report of PCon Justice and Correctional Services on <b>Notice determining remuneration of Deputy Public Protector in terms of section 2A of Public Protector Act, 1994 (Act No 23 of 1994)</b> (ATC, 28 October 2020, p 5) (5)</li> <li>8. Consideration of request for approval of <b>Agreement between the</b></li> </ol> | <p><b>TUESDAY, 17 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>08:30 – 10:00 Briefing Session on Parliament’s Oversight and Accountability Programme</p> |

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| <p><b>Government of the Republic of South Africa and the European Atomic Energy Community (EURATOM) for Co-operation in the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy</b> (Report of PC on Mineral Resources and Energy, see ATC, 14 October 2020, p 4) (5)</p> <p>9. Consideration of Report of PC on Tourism on <b>Third and fourth quarter performance of Department of Tourism for 2019/20 financial year</b>(ATC, 7 October 2020, p 4) (5)</p>  |  |
| <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>09:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>10:00 Chief Whips’ Forum (Closed meeting)</p> <p>15:00 – 18:00 <b>PLENARY(HYBRID)</b></p> <p>Questions for Oral Reply: (180)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cluster 1: Peace and Security</li> </ul>   | <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER</b></p>   |
| <p><b>THURSDAY, 19 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>08:30 Programme Committee</p> <p>10:00 – 13:00 CAUCUS</p> <p>14:00 <b>MINI-PLENARY SESSION 1 (Virtual)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Subject for discussion (ANC) (90)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition pertaining to role of religious community in Covid-19 crisis</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 30) (49)</li> <li>3. Consideration of Report of PC on Communications on <b>2020/21 first quarter performance and expenditure report of Department of Communications and Digital Technologies</b> (ATC, 8 October 2020, p</li> </ol> | <p><b>THURSDAY, 19 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 Multi-Party Women’s Caucus meeting</p> <p>14:00 <b>PLENARY</b></p> <p>Debate on Provincial Week: <i>“Ensuring Capable and Financially Sound municipalities”</i></p> |

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| <p>2) (49)</p> <p>14:00 <b>MINI-PLenary SESSION 2 (Virtual)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Subject for discussion (Cope) (90)</li> <li>5. Consideration of Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition pertaining to lack of service delivery in Ward 52, under the City of EtheKwini</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 34) (49)</li> <li>6. Consideration of Report of PC on Transport on <b>Oversight visit to assess state of readiness of various modes of transport and their attendant facilities in line with implementation of Level 3 Regulations of Covid-19 Lockdown</b> (ATC, 27 August 2020, p 3) (49)</li> </ol>   |  |
| <p><b>FRIDAY, 20 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>14:00 National Men's Parliament</p> <p>10:00 – ±12:30 <b>PLenary (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Consideration of Report of ST on Appropriations on <i>Division of Revenue Second Amendment Bill</i> [B24 – 2020](prop s76(1)) (ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>2. Second Reading debate: Division of Revenue Second Amendment Bill [B24 – 2020](prop s76(1)) (77) (p)</li> <li>3. Consideration of Report of PC on Public Enterprises on <b>Petition from the residents of Jamestown, Stellenbosch, calling on the Assembly to investigate the transfer, by Eskom, of management powers over the electricity network in Jamestown to Stellenbosch municipality (submitted by Dr L Shreiber, MP)</b> (ATC, 19 August 2020, p 8) (5)</li> <li>4. Consideration of Report of PC on Communications on <b>2020/21 first quarter performance and expenditure report of Government</b></li> </ol> | <p><b>FRIDAY, 20 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>15:00– 18:00 Sixteen Days of Activism for no Violence Against Women and Children Dialogue</p> |

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| <b>Communication and Information System</b> (ATC, 7 October 2020, p 24)<br>(5) |  |
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**WEEK 35**

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| <b>MONDAY, 23 NOVEMBER</b><br><br>CONSTITUENCY DAY   | <b>MONDAY, 23 NOVEMBER</b><br><br>CONSTITUENCY DAY  |
| <b>TUESDAY, 24 NOVEMBER</b><br>10:00 – 12:45 Committees<br><br>14:00 – <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Farewell tributes to the outgoing Auditor-General Mr T Makwetu (54)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Budgetary Review and Recommendation Reports: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PC on Public Service and Administrationon <b>Department of Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation and Brand South Africa</b> (ATC, 13 October 2020, p 25) (5)</li> <li>• PC on Public Service and Administrationon <b>Department of Public Service and Administration, entities and Public Service Commission</b> (ATC, 13 October 2020, p 12) (5)</li> <li>• PC on Public Service and Administrationon <b>Statistics South Africa</b> (ATC, 13 October 2020, p 2) (5)</li> <li>• PC on Environment, Forestry and Fisheries on <b>Fourth quarter reports for 2019/20 financial year of Department of Environmental Affairs and entities</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 13)</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Debate on 16 Days of Activism for no-violence against women and</li> </ol> | <b>TUESDAY, 24 NOVEMBER</b><br>08:30– 09:30 Committee of Chairpersons meeting<br><br>14:00 <b>PLENARY</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Motions</li> <li>2. Reports</li> <li>3. Consideration of the Air Traffic and Navigation Services Company Amendment Bill [B 6B – 2018](s75) (provisional)</li> <li>4. Consideration of the Airports Company Amendment Bill [B 5B – 2018](75) (provisional)</li> <li>5. Consideration of the Customary Initiation Bill [B 7B – 2018](s76) (provisional)</li> <li>6. Consideration of the Local Government: Municipal Structures Amendment Bill [B 19B – 2018](s76) (provisional)</li> </ol> |



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| <p>children (88)</p>   |  |
| <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 25 NOVEMBER</b><br/>         09:00 – 12:45 Committees<br/>         10:00 Chief Whips’ Forum (Closed meeting)<br/><br/>         15:00 – 18:00 <b>PLENARY(HYBRID)</b><br/>         Questions for Oral Reply: (180)<br/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cluster 2: Social Services</li> </ul> </p> | <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 25 NOVEMBER</b><br/>         08:30 –10:00 Provincial Whips Forum(<i>Closed meeting</i>)<br/>         09:00 – 15:00 Inclusive Economic Growth Oversight Summit</p>   |
| <p><b>THURSDAY, 26 NOVEMBER</b><br/>         08:30 Programme Committee<br/>         09:00 Joint Programme Committee<br/>         10:00 – 13:00 MPW CAUCUS<br/><br/>         14:00 – ±17:00<b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b><br/>         Questions to the Deputy President</p>   | <p><b>THURSDAY, 26 NOVEMBER</b><br/>         08:30 –10:00 Programme Committee meeting<br/>         10:00 – 12:30 Caucus<br/><br/>         14:00 <b>PLENARY</b><br/><br/>         Annual Address by the President:<br/> <i>“Building a capable state for the advancement of our people”</i></p> |
| <p><b>FRIDAY, 27 NOVEMBER</b><br/>         09:00 – 13:00 PGIR meeting</p>  | <p><b>FRIDAY, 27 NOVEMBER</b><br/><br/>         JOINT COMMITTEES<br/>         09:00 – 13:00 PGIR meeting<br/><br/>         14:00 <b>PLENARY</b><br/>         Debate on the Division of Revenue Second Amendment Bill</p>   |

**PAP Session: 16 – 27 November**  
**SADC-PF Executive Virtual Meeting: 27-28 November**

**WEEK 36**

| NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  | NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES                             |
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| <p><b>MONDAY, 30 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>CONSTITUENCY DAY</p>  | <p><b>MONDAY, 30 NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>CONSTITUENCY DAY</p> |
| <p><b>TUESDAY, 1 DECEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>14:00 – <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Legislation (p)</li> <li>2. Decision of Question on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition pertaining to role of religious community in Covid-19 crisis</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 30)</li> <li>• Report of the SC on Public Accounts on <b>Anti-Corruption Task Team</b> (ATC, 29 October 2020, p 3)</li> <li>• Report of PC on Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs on <b>Petition pertaining to lack of service delivery in Ward 52, under the City of Ethekewini</b> (ATC, 21 October 2020, p 34)</li> <li>• Report of PC on Transport on <b>Oversight visit to assess state of readiness of various modes of transport and their attendant facilities in line with implementation of Level 3 Regulations of Covid-19 Lockdown</b> (ATC, 27 August 2020, p 3)</li> <li>• Report of PC on Higher Education, Science and Technology on <b>2019/20 First quarter financial and service delivery performance report of Department of Higher Education and Training</b> (ATC, 5 December 2019, p 64)</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Committee reports</li> </ol> | <p><b>TUESDAY, 1 DECEMBER</b></p>                         |

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| <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 2 DECEMBER</b></p> <p>09:00 – 12:45 Committees</p> <p>10:00 Chief Whips' Forum (Closed meeting) (p)</p> <p>15:00 – <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Consideration of Report of PC on Employment and Labour on <b>Second quarterly report regarding performance of Department of Employment and Labour and entities in meeting strategic objectives for 2019/20</b> (ATC, 18 June 2020, p 120) (5)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Report of PC on Employment and Labour on <b>First quarterly report regarding performance of Department of Employment and Labour and entities in meeting strategic objectives for 2019/20</b> (ATC, 18 June 2020, p 81) (5)</li> <li>3. Consideration of Report of PC on Employment and Labour on <b>Third quarterly report regarding performance of Department of Employment and Labour and entities in meeting strategic objectives for 2018/19</b> (ATC, 18 June 2020, p 12) (5)</li> <li>4. Consideration of Report of SC on Auditor-General on <b>Integrated Annual Report of Auditor-General for financial year 2018/19</b> (ATC, 4 December 2019, p 3) (5)</li> </ol> | <p><b>WEDNESDAY, 2 DECEMBER</b></p> <p>10:00 <b>PLENARY</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Motions</li> <li>2. Reports</li> <li>3. Consideration of the Taxation Laws Amendment Bill</li> <li>4. Consideration of the Tax Administration Laws Amendment Bill</li> <li>5. Consideration of the Rates and Monetary Amounts Amendment Bill</li> <li>6. Consideration of the Recognition of Customary Marriages Amendment Bill [B 12 - 2019](s76) (provisional)</li> <li>7. Consideration of the Traditional Courts Bill [B 1B - 2017](s76) (provisional)</li> </ol> |
| <p><b>THURSDAY, 3 DECEMBER</b></p> <p>08:30 Programme Committee (p)</p> <p>10:00 – 13:00 CAUCUS</p> <p>14:00 – <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Legislation (p)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Report of PC on Basic Education on <b>Fourth quarterly report</b></li> </ol>   | <p><b>THURSDAY, 3 DECEMBER</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">JOINT COMMITTEES</p>  |

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| <p><b>on performance of Department of Basic Education in meeting its pre-determined objectives for 2019/20</b> (ATC, 4 September 2020, p 4) (5)</p> <p>3. Consideration of Report of PC on Social Development on <b>Recommendations of High Level Panel on Assessment of Key Legislation and Acceleration of Fundamental Change</b> (ATC, 19 October 2020, p 4) (5)</p> <p>4. Consideration of Report of PC on Higher Education, Science and Technology on <b>Financial and non-financial performance of 2019/20 second, third and fourth quarters; and 2020/21 first quarter of Department of Science and Innovation</b> (ATC, 15 October 2020, p 67) (5)</p> <p>5. Consideration of Report of PC on Higher Education, Science and Technology on <b>2019/20 second, third, fourth quarters and 2020/21 first quarter performance report and Revised 2020/21 Annual Performance Plan of Department of Higher Education and Training</b> (ATC, 15 October 2020, p 43) (5)</p> |   |
| <p><b>FRIDAY, 4 DECEMBER</b><br/>10:00 – ±17:00 <b>PLENARY (HYBRID)</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Consideration of Report of ST on Appropriation on <i>2020 Medium Term Budget Policy Statement</i> (ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>2. Consideration of Report of ST on Appropriations on <i>Second Adjustments Appropriation Bill [B25 – 2020](prop s77)</i> (ATC, November 2020, p ) (p)</li> <li>3. Debate on 2020 Medium Term Budget Policy Statement &amp; First Reading debate: <i>Second Adjustments Appropriation Bill [B25 – 2020](prop s77)</i> (90) (p)</li> <li>4. Consideration of Votes and Schedule: <i>Second Adjustments Appropriation Bill [B25 – 2020](prop s77)</i> (98)</li> <li>5. Second Reading: <i>Second Adjustments Appropriation Bill [B25 – 2020](prop s77) (no debate)</i> (p)</li> <li>6. Farewell speeches (54)</li> </ol>   | <p><b>FRIDAY, 4 DECEMBER</b><br/>09:00 – 13:00 PGIR meeting</p> |

**SADC-PF 48<sup>th</sup> Plenary Assembly Virtual Session: 4-5 December 09:00-16:00**

**NA CONSTITUENCY PERIOD: 7 – 11 DECEMBER**

**LEAVE PERIOD: 14 DECEMBER – JANUARY 2021**