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**COMMITTEE SECTION REPORT ON BILLS AND MATTERS BEFORE  
COMMITTEES**

**24 November 2021**

# PC ON JUSTICE AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES



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TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>Cannabis for Private Purposes Bill [B 19 - 2020] (National Assembly – sec 75)</p>	<p>01 September 2020</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Various departmental inputs: 24 &amp; 25 August 2021</p> <p>Public hearings: 31 August and 1 Sept 2021</p> <p>Deliberations: 15,16 and 23 September 2021</p> <p><b>23 and 24 November 2021:</b> Departmental Responses on public submissions</p> <p>30 November and 7 December 2021: Deliberations</p> <p>Adoption: 8 December 2021</p>	<p>8 December 2021</p>	

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Traditional Courts Bill [B1D- 2017] (s75)	2 December 2020	Yes	<p>16 &amp; 17 March: Committee Deliberations Deliberations: 14 May 2021 Committee sourcing external Legal Advice on the Constitutionality of the Bill in its current form. 16 Aug 2021</p> <p>Deliberations: 28 Sep 2021</p> <p><b>Deliberation and adoption date of 30 Nov 2021 revised, new date to be scheduled</b></p>		

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE



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TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
Revised fiscal Framework	11 Nov 2021	N/A	<p>12 Nov: Briefings by National Treasury (NT)</p> <p>16 Nov: Briefings by PBO and FFC</p> <p>17 Nov: Public hearings</p> <p>19 Nov: Responses by NT to public submissions</p> <p><b>23 Nov: Consideration and adoption of the report</b></p> <p><b>Report adopted</b></p>	23 Nov 2021	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS



TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
Medium Term Budget Policy Statement (MTBPS)	11 Nov 2021	N/A	12 Nov: Briefings by National Treasury (NT) 16 Nov: Briefings by the PBO and FFC <b>7 Dec: Consideration and adoption of the report</b>	7 Dec 2021	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS



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TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
Division of Revenue Amendment Bill	Introduced on 11 Nov 2021 and still to be referred	No	<p>19 Nov: Closing date for the public submissions.</p> <p>16 Nov: Briefings by the National Treasury (NT)</p> <p>23 Nov: Briefings by PBO and FFC</p> <p>24 Nov: Briefings by SALGA</p> <p><b>24 Nov: Public hearings</b></p> <p><b>26 Nov: Consideration and adoption of the report</b></p>	26 Nov 2021	

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE



<b>INSTRUMENT</b>	<b>DATE OF REFERRAL</b>	<b>ADOPTION BY COMMITTEE</b>	<b>CONSIDERATION BY THE HOUSE</b>
<b>Tax Administration Laws Amendment Bill</b>	<b>11 Nov</b>	<b>24 Nov</b>	<b>30 Nov 21</b>
<b>Tax Laws Amendment Bill</b>	<b>11 Nov</b>	<b>24 Nov</b>	<b>30 Nov 21</b>
<b>Rates and Monetary Amounts and Amendment of Revenues Bills</b>	<b>11 Nov</b>	<b>24 Nov</b>	<b>30 Nov 21</b>

# PC ON MINERAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY

TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
Gas Amendment Bill [B 9 - 2021] (National Assembly – sec 76)	2 April 2021	Yes	<p>26 May: Briefings Bill advertised calling for public input; deadline 30 July 2021</p> <p>Public hearings in provinces 13 Nov: Mpumalanga - Mbombela 14 Nov: Mpumalanga – Emalahleni 20 Nov: Gauteng – Tshwane 21 Nov: Gauteng – Ekurhuleni 26 Nov: KZN- Richards Bay 27 Nov : KZN – EThekwini</p> <p>Virtual public hearings on submissions received: <b>30 November 2021 &amp; 03 December 2021</b></p>		



# PC ON TRADE AND INDUSTRY

TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>The Copyright Amendment Bill [B 13B - 2017] (National Assembly – sec 76)</p>	<p>21 June 2021</p> <p>Bill has been recommitted to the Portfolio Committee on Trade and Industry, and has been referred to the Joint Tagging Mechanism (see Minutes of Proceedings of National Assembly of 1 June 2021, item 6 (42nd Order)).</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Public hearing scheduled for 11 and 12 August 2021</p> <p>Deliberations 13, 17, 18, 20, 24, 25 August</p> <p>Finalization: 27 August 2021. Postponed to give Dept sufficient time to respond.</p> <p><b>Deliberations: 9, 12, 16, 19, 24, 30, November and 1 and 3 December</b></p>	<p><b>First quarter 2022</b></p>	

# PC ON HEALTH



TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
National Health Insurance Bill [B11 – 2019] (sec 76)	8 August 2019	Yes	<p>Briefing: 29 August 2019                      Advertisement: 30 August - 11 October 2019. Extended to 28 Nov 2019</p> <p>18 – 20 May 2021: Public Hearings</p> <p>Public hearings: 15, 22, 23, 29, 30 June 2021 and 13, 14, 20, 21, 27, 28 July 2021.</p> <p><b>31 August 2021; 09 September 2021; 30 November 2021                      1, 3, 7 and 8 December 2021</b></p>		

# PC ON TRANSPORT

TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
National Road Traffic A/B [B7-2020] (sec 76)	29 May 2020	Yes	<p>10 Feb 2021: Consideration of written submissions</p> <p>10, 11, 16, 17 March: Public hearings</p> <p>Deliberations: 1, 2, 3 June</p> <p>Deliberations: 31 August; 22, 28, 29 September 2021</p> <p><b>30 Nov 2021</b></p> <p>7 December 2021</p>		

# PC ON SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT



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TITLE OF BILL	DATE OF REFERRAL	TAGGING	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
Children's Amendment Bill [B 18 - 2020] (National Assembly – sec 76)	31 Aug 2020	Yes	17 Feb: Briefings  11 – 21 May: National Public Hearings (Virtual)  Provincial Public Hearings :  North West: 11 – 13 September 2021  <b>Northern Cape: 05 – 07 November 2021</b> <b>Eastern Cape: 09 – 13 November 2021</b> <b>Kwazulu-Natal: 20 – 22 November 2021</b> <b>Gauteng: 25 – 28 November 2021</b> <b>Free State: 02 – 04 December 2021</b> <b>Western Cape: 07 -10 December 2021</b>	<b>March 2022</b>  <b>(Bill has a court deadline of November 2022)</b>	

# STATUTORY APPOINTMENT BEFORE PC ON COMMUNICATIONS

TITLE OF REFERRAL	DATE OF REFERRAL	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>A letter dated 22 July 2020 has been received from the Minister of Communications and Technologies –</p> <p>(i) informing the National Assembly of the resignation of Ms B Muthien from <b>the board of the South African Broadcasting Corporation (SABC)</b>; and</p> <p>(ii) requesting the Assembly to recommend, in accordance with the provisions of the Broadcasting Act, 1999 (Act No 4 of 1999), a suitable candidate to fill the above-mentioned vacancy for the unexpired portion of the period for which the vacating member had been appointed.</p>	<p>21 September 2020</p>	<p>Shortlisting of candidates: 31 August 2021 (p)</p> <p>Interviews of candidates: Friday, 3 September 2021</p> <p>Deliberations on the outcome of the interviews: 18 November 2021</p>	<p><b>Date to be determined</b></p>	

# STATUTORY APPOINTMENT BEFORE PC ON COMMUNICATIONS

TITLE OF REFERRAL	DATE OF REFERRAL	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>A letter dated 26 May 2020 was received from the Minister in The Presidency – (i) informing the National Assembly of the expiry of terms of office of Ms Nombeko Mbava and Ms Martina Della-Togna on the board of the <b>Media Development and Diversity Agency (MDDA) in October 2020</b>; and (ii) requesting the Assembly to initiate the process to fill the vacancies in terms of the Media Development and Diversity Agency Act, 2002 (Act No 14 of 2002).</p>	<p>23 September 2020</p>	<p>Shortlisting of candidates: Tuesday, 31 August 2021</p> <p>Interview of candidates and deliberations: 12 and 16 Nov 2021</p>	<p>Date to be determined</p>	

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TITLE OF REFERRAL	DATE OF REFERRAL	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>A letter has been received from the Minister of Communications and Digital Technologies, informing the Assembly of <b>the resignation, with immediate effect, of Mr Zolani Kgosie Matthews, a councillor on the Council of the Independent Communications Authority of South Africa, and the vacancies that will arise when the terms of office of three other councillors expire</b>, and requesting the Assembly to initiate the process of filling the vacancies in terms of section 5(1) of the Independent Communications Authority of South Africa Act, 2000 (Act No 13 of 2000).</p>	<p>1 April 2021</p>	<p>Discussion and adoption of subcommittee programme: 24 August 2021</p> <p>Shortlisting of candidates: Tuesday, 31 August 2021</p> <p><b>Interviews of candidates and deliberations: 19 Nov 2021</b></p>	<p><b>Date to be determined.</b></p>	



# PC on Communication



TITLE OF REFERRAL	DATE OF REFERRAL	CURRENT STATUS	AIM TO FINISH	CONSIDERATION BY HOUSE
<p>The Final Acts of the ITU World Radio Conference 2019, tabled in terms of section 231(2) of the Constitution, 1996, and Explanatory Memorandum thereto.</p>	<p>9 March 2021</p>	<p>Briefing: 10 March 2021</p> <p><b>Adoption of report: 23 November 2021.</b></p> <p><b>Report adopted</b></p>	<p><b>Finalised: 23 November 2021</b></p>	





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