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LEGISLATION REPORT

DEPARTMENT	BILL	RECEIVED	SLA	CERTIFIED	PROGRESS
A. Office of the Presidency					
B. Agriculture	1. Liquor Products: AB	12/11/2003 03/02/2004	G Hoon and M Mosiane	No Cabinet approval.	Returned to Department on 25/04/2004. Bill held in abeyance on instructions of Department.
	2. SA Abattoir Corporation Act Repeal: B	15/9/04	G Hoon, H Sangoni and F Omar	No Cabinet approval.	Department replied to queries on 22/10/04. Bill to be finalised soon.
C. Arts & Culture					
D. Communications	*Convergence: B	22/07/2003	A Selokela	No Cabinet approval.	Bill published for comments. Awaiting further instructions.
E. Correctional Services					
F. Defence	1. Defence Special Account: AB	14/07/04	H Smuts, A Johaar and M Mosiane		Draft ready. Waiting for Cabinet approval.
	2. Armaments Corporation of South Africa, Limited: AB	25/6/04	G Hoon, H Sangoni & F Omar	16/08/04	Bill will be introduced soon.

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G. Education					
H. Environmental Affairs and Tourism					
I. Foreign Affairs					
J. Health	1. Choice on Termination of Pregnancy: AB	8/7/03	G Hoon & T Mosiane	29/10/03	B72B-2003. Bill passed by Select Committee on Social Services with an amendment. To be debated by NCOP.
	2. Dental Technicians: AB	15/7/03	G Hoon & T Mosiane	12/09/03	B63-2003. Bill passed by Select Committee on Social Services without amendments. To be debated by NCOP.
	3. Traditional Health Practitioners Bill	18/7/03	C Booyse	29/09/03	B66-2003. Select Committee on Social Services, (Second House). Bill passed without amendments. To be debated by NCOP.
	4. Sterilisation: AB	10/7/03	C Booyse	09/07/04	B12-2004. Select Committee on Social Services. Bill passed with amendments. To be debated by NCOP.
	5. Nursing: B	15/10/04	H Sangoni F Omar G Hoon	No Cabinet approval.	Busy scrutinising.
	6. Foodstuffs, Cosmetics and Disinfectants: AB	22/10/04	B. Lufundo C Booyse T Mbangeni	No Cabinet approval.	Scrutinising Bill.
K. Home Affairs	1. SA Security Printing Agency: B	11/7/03	T Mbangeni	No Cabinet approval.	Draft ready. Waiting for Cabinet approval.
L. Housing					
M. Intelligence					

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Service					
N. Justice	1. Insolvency and Business Recovery: B	23/4/03	N Bulisile and OB Kellner		Bill checked. Awaiting instructions regarding the incorporation of business rescue provisions.
	2. International Arbitration: B	10/5/04	O Kellner, X Mdludlu, N Bulisile and T Hercules		Draft completed. Instructed to hold the Bill in abeyance.
	3. Judicial Matters: AB	25/08/04	F Omar, G Hoon and H Sangoni		Returned to Department on 22/09/04. Awaiting instructions.
	4. Regulation of Constitutional Amendments: B	22/10/04	A Johaar H Smuts & T Mosiane		Busy drafting.
O. Labour					
P. Land Affairs					
Q. Minerals and Energy	1. Minerals and Energy Laws: AB	1/6/04	X Mdludlu, T Hercules and N Bulisile	30/7/2004	Certified subject to Cabinet approval. Cabinet approval granted on 1/9/2004. Bill to be tabled as soon as rules of Parliament have been complied with.
	2. Petroleum Products: AB	26/07/04	H Smuts R Mosiane and A Johaar	30/07/04	B16-2004. Portfolio Committee: Minerals and Energy
	3. National Energy Regulator Bill	8/12/03	O Kellner and A Johaar	09/02/04	B9B-2004. Passed by NCOP. Now with National Assembly for finalisation.
R. National Treasury	1. Financial Services Ombud Schemes: B	15/6/2004	G Hoon, H Sangoni and F Omar	16/08/04	B20-2004. Bill passed by Portfolio Committee on Finance with amendments. To be

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					debated by National Assembly.
	2. Securities Services: B	8/7/2004	T Hercules N Bulisile O Kellner and X Mdludlu	11/08/04	B19-2004. To Select Committee.
	3. National Payment System: AB	15/7/04	T Hercules N Bulisile O Kellner and X Mdludlu	30/07/04	B14B-2004. Bill finalised. Act to President for assent.
	4. Public Investment Corporation Bill	19/3/04	T Hercules N Bulisile O Kellner and X Mdludlu	18/05/04	B6B-2004. Bill finalised.
	5. Petroleum Pipelines Levies Bill		H Smuts A Johaar R Mosiane	30/07/04	B18-2004. Portfolio Committee on Finance
	6. Co-operative Banks Bill	23/9/2004	T. Hercules X Mdludlu N Bulisile O Kellner	No Cabinet approval.	Scrutinising draft.
	7. Dedicated Banks Bill	23/09/2004	T Mosiane H Smuts A Johaar	No Cabinet approval.	Busy scrutinising draft Bill.
	8. Revenue Laws: AB	5/10/04; 22/10/04	F Omar G Hoon and H Sangoni	22/10/04	B22-2004. Portfolio Committee on Finance.
	9. Appropriation Amendment Bill	21/10/04	C Booyse T Mbangeni B Lufundo	22/10/04	B21-2004. Portfolio Committee on Finance.
S. Provincial and Local Government					
T. Public Enterprises					
U. Public Works					
V. Safety and Security					
W. Science and Technology					


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X. Social Development	1. Older Persons: B	5/8/03	G Hoon	23/10/03	B68-2003. Select Committee on Social Services (First House)
	2. Childrens: B	5/8/03	O Kellner and A Johaar	03/08/03	B70-2003. Portfolio Committee: Social Development
Y. Sport and Recreation	1. South African Institute for Drug Free Sport: AB	9/7/03	F Omar and X Mdludlu	Still awaiting Cabinet approval.	Received Dept's amendments; they need to go back to stakeholders regarding further amendments they propose.
	2. South African Sports Commission Repeal Bill	23/6/04	B Lufundo, T Mbangeni and C Booyse	No Cabinet approval. Awaiting Cabinet approval.	Give a draft to Department. Received further amendments from Department on 15/10/04. Busy scrutinising.
Z. Trade and Industry	1. Patents: AB	24/2/04	X Mdludlu and F Omar		Received instructions on 28/06/04 from Department to keep Bill in abeyance.
	2. National Small Business: AB	13/09/04	T Mbangeni, C Booyse and B Lufundo	20/10/04	Received proofs.
ZB. Transport	1. Road Traffic: AB	3/3/03	C Booyse and OB Kellner		Awaiting instructions from Dept.
	2. National Road Traffic: AB	3/3/03	C Booyse and OB Kellner		Awaiting instructions from Dept. Department requested copies of draft Bills and correspondence on 6/9/04. These supplied.
	3. National Land Transport Transitional: AB	19/4/04	G Hoon, H Sangoni and F Omar	No Cabinet approval.	Awaiting final draft - perusing preliminary draft.
	4. National	31/10/02	H Smuts	28/1/03	B5-2003. Portfolio


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	Ports Authority Bill				Committee on Transport
	5. Road Accident Fund: AB	8/9/03	H Smuts	2/10/03	B64-2003. On 23/9/2004 received redrafted Bill from Dept for submission to Portfolio Committee. On 28/9/04 and 4/10/2004 further redrafts were received. Discussions with Department held on 6/10/2004. Busy drafting. Redraft of Bill returned to Department on 13/10/04. Received further changes from Department 22/10/04. Redraft to Department on 28/10/04.
ZC. Water Affairs and Forestry	1. Water Services: AB	13/7/04	G Hoon, H Sangoni & F Omar	30/07/04	B17-2004. Portfolio Committee on Water Affairs and Forestry (First House). Bill passed by Portfolio Committee. To be considered by National Assembly.

* Attended to at our Pretoria Office.

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