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**PROGRAMME**

Portfolio Committee on Tourism

1st Term - 2013 (28 January – 29 March 2013)

| No. | Date                    | Time          | Topic / Agenda   | Objective of the meeting                                  | How does it relate to the Mandate of the Committee | Venue             |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------|--|---|--|-------------------|
| 1.  | Tuesday, 29 Jan 2013    | 09:00 – 16:30 | Workshop on the Tourism Bill by National Department of Tourism and the State / Parliamentary Law Advisors. | To familiarise the Committee on the contents of the Bill. | Oversight work                                     | Parliament        |
| 2.  | Tuesday, 5 – 8 Feb 2013 | 10:00 – 13:00 | Members' Training  | To capacitate Members of Parliament.                      | Capacity Building                                  | Parliament        |
| 3.  | Tuesday, 12 Feb 2013    | 10:00 – 13:00 | Briefing by the National Department of Tourism on the Tourism Bill   | To formally brief the committee on the Bill.              | Legislative work                                   | .Parliament       |
| 4.  | Thursday, 14 Feb 2013   | 19:00 – 20:30 | State of the Nation Address  | Joint Sitting   | Oversight and accountability                       | National Assembly |
| 5.  | Tuesday, 19 Feb 2013    | 10:00 – 12:45 | Analysis of the State of the Nation Address  | To analyse the impact of the State of the on tourism.     | Oversight work                                     | Parliament        |



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| 6.  | Tuesday, 26 Feb 2013    | 10:00 – 12:45 | Local Government Conference          | To deliberate on how best to capacitate and support Local Government to deliver on the tourism mandate. | Oversight work    | Sandton Convention Centre, Gauteng |
| 7.  | Wednesday, 27 Feb 2013  | 14:00 – 15:30 | Budget Speech                        | Introduction of Appropriation Bill and tabling of the Fiscal Framework and Division of Revenue.         | Oversight work    | National Assembly                  |
| 8.  | Tuesday, 5 March 2013   | 09:00 – 16:30 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill. | To consider oral presentations on the Bill by stakeholders.   | Legislative work. | Parliament                         |
| 9.  | Wednesday, 6 March 2013 | 09:00 – 16:30 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill. | To consider oral presentations on the Bill by stakeholders.   | Legislative work. | Parliament                         |
| 10. | Friday, 8 March 2013    | 09:00 – 13:00 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill. | To consider oral presentations on the Bill by stakeholders.   | Legislative work. | Parliament                         |
| 11. | Tuesday, 12 March 2013  | 09:00 – 16:30 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill. | To consider oral presentations on the Bill by stakeholders.   | Legislative work. | Parliament                         |
| 12. | Wednesday, 13 March     | 09:00 – 13:00 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill. | To consider oral  | Legislative work. | Parliament                         |



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|     | 2013                   |               |   | presentations on the Bill by stakeholders.                  |                   |            |
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| 13. | Friday, 15 March 2013  | 09:00 – 13:00 | Public Hearings on the Tourism Bill.                | To consider oral presentations on the Bill by stakeholders. | Legislative work. | Parliament |
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| 14. | Tuesday, 19 March 2013 | 09:00 – 13:00 | Formal Consideration of the Bill by the Committee.  | To consider the Tourism Bill.                               | Legislative work  | Parliament |
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| 15. | Wed, 20 March 2013     | 09:00 – 13:00 | Formal Consideration of the Bill by the Committee.  | To consider the Tourism Bill.                               | Oversight work    | Parliament |
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| 16. | Tuesday, 26 March 2013 | 09:00 – 13:00 | Possible Finalisation of the Bill by the Committee. | To finalise the Tourism Bill                                | Legislative work  | Parliament |



**Submitted by:**

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**Hon D.M Gumede, MP**  
**Chairperson: PC on Tourism**

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**Date:**

**Comments:**

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**Recommended by:**

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**Unit Manager: Committees**

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**Date:**

**APPROVED / NOT APPROVED**

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**Hon C.T Frolick, MP**  
**House Chairperson**  
**National Assembly: Committees**

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**Date:**



**Notes:**

- ❖ Although the focus areas for the First Term, 2013 have not yet been released by the Office of the House Chairperson, the focus of the Committee will be more on the processing of the Tourism Bill.
- ❖ Budget, Strategic Plans and Annual Performance Plans will be considered in Mid March 2013.
- ❖ The Local Government Conference planned by the National Department of Tourism will also be a main focus to align local government tourism, mandate.
- ❖ In instances where political approval is required, applications will be submitted separately to the Offices of House Chairperson and the Chief Whip, particularly for Wednesdays since committee will be processing Legislation.

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