



2025 Draft and Parliamentary Bills

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Appropriation Bill 6 of 2025

“To appropriate money from the National Revenue Fund for the requirements of the State for the 2025/26 financial year; to prescribe conditions for the spending of funds withdrawn for the 2026/27 financial year before the commencement of the Appropriation Act for the 2026/27 financial year; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.”

https://pmg.org.za/files/B6-2025_Appropriation_Bill.pdf

Appropriation Bill 16 of 2025

“To appropriate money from the National Revenue Fund for the requirements of the State for the 2025/26 financial year; to prescribe conditions for the spending of funds withdrawn for the 2026/27 financial year before the commencement of the Appropriation Act for the 2026/27 financial year; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.”

https://static.pmg.org.za/B16-2025_Appropriation.pdf

Constitution Nineteenth Amendment Bill 1 of 2025

“To amend the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, so as to limit the frequency in terms of which a motion of no confidence in the Cabinet or the President may be tabled; to provide for circumstances in terms of which a motion of no confidence in the Cabinet or the President will not be limited; to limit the frequency in terms of which a motion of no confidence in a province’s Executive Council or Premier may be tabled; to provide for circumstances in terms of which a motion of no confidence in a province’s Executive Council or Premier will not be limited; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

https://pmg.org.za/files/B1-2025_Constitution_Nineteenth_Amendment_Bill.pdf

Division of Revenue Bill 7 of 2025

“To provide for the equitable division of revenue raised nationally among the national, provincial and local spheres of government for the 2025/26 financial year; the determination of each province’s equitable share; allocations to provinces, local government and municipalities from national government’s equitable share; the responsibilities of all three spheres of government pursuant to such division and allocations; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

https://pmg.org.za/files/B7-2025_Division_of_Revenue_Bill.pdf

Division of Revenue Bill 15 of 2025

“To provide for the equitable division of revenue raised nationally among the national, provincial and local spheres of government for the 2025/26 financial year; the determination of each province’s equitable share; allocations to provinces, local government and municipalities from national government’s equitable share; the responsibilities of all three spheres of government pursuant to such division and allocations; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

https://static.pmg.org.za/B15-2025_Division_of_Revenue.pdf

- 17 July 2025: Submitted to President (Source: [2025 Jul 17 Parliament of the Republic of South Africa. Announcements, Tablings and Committee Meetings p1](#))

Eastern Cape Consumer Protection Act 3 of 2018

Regulations in terms of the Act. Comments invited within 30 days of publication.

GenN179 PG 5429 p3 16Jun2025

<https://gazettes.africa/akn/za-ec/officialGazette/provincial-gazette/2025-06-16/5429/eng@2025-06-16/source>

Economic Regulation of Transport Amendment Bill 10 of 2025

"To amend the Economic Regulation of Transport Act, 2024, so as to correct erroneous references in Schedule 1 to the Act; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

https://pmg.org.za/files/B10-2025_Economic_Regulation_of_Transport.pdf

- 9 May 2025: Notice of intention to introduce to Parliament (Source: [GenN3182 GG 52604 p82 9May2025](#))

Eskom Debt Relief Amendment Bill 4 of 2025

"To amend the Eskom Debt Relief Act, 2023, so as to provide for the reduction of the amount for the requirements for Eskom for the 2025/26 financial year and to treat the whole amount for that year as a loan convertible into equity upon meeting conditions; to provide for an amount for the requirements for Eskom for the 2028/29 financial year; and to provide for matters incidental thereto."

https://pmg.org.za/files/B4-2025_Eskom_Debt_Relief_Amendment_Bill.pdf

Extradition Bill, 2025

Publication of explanatory summary of the Bill and notice of intention to introduce to Parliament.

"4. The Bill is intended to amongst other things— 4.1 address delays in the finalisation of extradition requests; 4.2 clarify some of the roles and responsibilities of the functionaries involved in extradition proceedings; and 4.3 ensure that the legislative framework covers all necessary practical arrangements, that the provisions of the Bill meet the international law obligations of the Republic of South Africa and that such obligations are consistent with the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, and Constitutional Court judgments. 5. The Bill additionally provides for the arrest, detention and surrender of persons to an entity having jurisdiction in respect of international crimes (such as war crimes, crimes against humanity and genocide), provisions that do not currently exist in our law."

GenN3366 GG 52968 p24 11Jul2025

https://www.gov.za/sites/default/files/gcis_document/202507/52968rg11852gen3366.pdf

Gauteng Enterprise Propeller Amendment Bill

Publication of Bill and the Explanatory Memorandum on the Objects of the Bill for comments within 30 days of publication.

"To provide for the amendment of the Gauteng Enterprise Propeller Act, 2005 (Act No. 5 of 2005), so as to validate acts taken and decision made by the MEC, Board or the Chief Executive Officer, as the case may be, at any time during the period from 1 April 2005 up to and including the date of the commencement of the Gauteng Enterprise Propeller Amendment Act, 2023; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

View [here](#).

Gauteng Provincial Legislature Service Repeal Bill, 2025

Notice of intention to introduce the Gauteng Provincial Legislature Service Repeal Bill, 2025 and explanatory memorandum published for comment on or before 30 April 2025.

"The Bill seeks to provide for the repeal of the Gauteng Provincial Legislature Service Act, 5 of 1996; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

[PN255 PG 112 p3 27Mar2025](#)

General (Family) Laws Amendment Bill, 2025

Publication of Explanatory Summary of the Bill.

"The Bill seeks to amend the—

3.1 Divorce Act, 1979 (Act No. 70 of 1979), to provide for the consequential amendments of certain sections, arising from the amendments to the Mediation in Certain Divorce Matters Act, 1987, and to provide for the transfer of assets by a court granting a decree of divorce in respect of a marriage out of community of property to include a marriage entered into after the commencement of the Matrimonial Property Act, 1984;

3.2 Matrimonial Property Act, 1984 (Act No. 88 of 1984), to provide for the distribution of matrimonial property of a marriage out of community of property upon the dissolution of the marriage by death; and

3.3 Mediation in Certain Divorce Matters Act, 1987 (Act No. 24 of 1987), to provide for the functions of the Office of the Family Advocate, and to amend the long and short titles, and to provide for matters connected therewith."

[GenN3352 GG 52939 p54 4Jul2025](#)

Human Settlements Development Corporation Bill, 2025 (North West)

"To repeal the North West Housing Corporation Act, No. 24 of 1982 and its amendments, so as to align the business of the Corporation with the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, No 108 of 1996, the Public Finance Management Act, No 1 of 1999 and other related national legislation on human settlements development, to provide for the continued existence of the Corporation and the Corporation to provide for the name change of the Corporation, to provide for the Constitution of the Corporation and the management of the Corporation by the Corporation and to provide for matters incidental thereto."

[PN1032 PG 8823 p3 12May2025](#)

Intergovernmental Monitoring, Support and Interventions Bill 11 of 2025

"To regulate the processes established by section 100 of the Constitution; to regulate the implementation of section 139 of the Constitution, including the processes established by that section; to provide for support to provinces and municipalities in need of assistance; to provide for the monitoring of provinces and municipalities as to the fulfilment of their executive obligations in terms of the Constitution or legislation; to provide alternative steps and mechanisms to interventions to ensure fulfilment by provinces or municipalities of their executive obligations; to provide for the appointment of an administrator or national and provincial executive representative by the intervening national executive or provincial executive; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

https://pmg.org.za/files/B11-2025_Intergovernmental_MSI_Bill.pdf

- 4 April 2025: Notice of intention to introduce into Parliament and publication of explanatory summary. ([GenN3108 GG 52449 p102 4Apr2025](#))

International Co-operation in Criminal Matters Amendment Bill 18 of 2025

"To amend the International Co-operation in Criminal Matters Act, 1996, so as to insert certain definitions; to facilitate the provision of evidence to an entity in order to ensure that South Africa complies with its international obligations; to provide for evidence by means of audio-visual link; and to provide for matters incidental thereto."

https://pmg.org.za/files/B18-2025_International_Co-operation_in_Criminal_Matters.pdf

- 11 Jul 2025: Publication of explanatory summary of the Bill and notice of intention to introduce to Parliament. ([RGN3365 GG 52968 p22 11Jul2025](#))

Judicial Matters Amendment Bill 8 of 2025

To amend the—

- Judicial Service Commission Act, 1994, so as to further regulate the composition of the Judicial Conduct Committee;
- Promotion of Access to Information Act, 2000, so as to—
 - make provision for the manual to also contain the website link to the latest notice regarding the records held by public bodies that are automatically available;
 - assign the duty to keep certain details of information officers of public bodies to the Information Regulator; and
 - provide for the mandatory disclosure of certain records of the South African Revenue Service in the public interest;
- Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004, so as to further regulate offences and penalties committed in terms of the Act;
- Child Justice Act, 2008, so as to provide for a procedure for dealing with children arrested for possession or use of cannabis as provided for in the Cannabis for Private Purposes Act, 2024;
- Legal Practice Act, 2014, so as to—
 - insert new definitions;
 - delete the reference to state advocate;
 - revise the provisions dealing with institutions where practical vocational training may be performed;
 - revise the requirements relating to the right of appearance in the High Court and the requirements for admission as a legal practitioner;
 - to revise the provisions relating to the right of appearance for candidate attorneys and pupils at the expiry of the practical vocational training;
 - further regulate the payment of professional fees;
 - provide for attorneys and advocates employed in certain institutions to practise; and
 - revise the requirements for possessing a Fidelity Fund certificate; and
- Cybercrimes Act, 2020, so as to amend a definition and to empower the Minister to make regulations relating to search warrants.

and to provide for matters connected therewith.

https://pmg.org.za/files/B8-2025_Judicial_Matters.pdf

Local Government: Municipal Structures Amendment Bill 2 of 2025

"To amend the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998, so as to limit the frequency in terms of which a motion to remove a speaker from office may be tabled; to provide for circumstances when the tabling of a motion for the removal of a speaker from office will not be limited; to limit the frequency in terms of which a motion to remove a whip from office may be tabled; to provide for circumstances when the tabling of a motion for the removal of a whip from office will not be limited; to limit the frequency in terms of which a motion to remove an executive mayor or deputy executive mayor from office may be tabled; to provide for circumstances when the tabling of a motion for the removal of an executive mayor or deputy executive mayor from office will not be limited; to provide for a municipal

council to make rules to regulate the appointment of an independent panel to determine the validity of a motion to remove a speaker, a whip, an executive mayor, or an executive deputy mayor from office; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

https://pmg.org.za/files/B2-2025_Local_Government_-_Municipal_Structures.pdf

Local Government: Municipal Structures Second Amendment Bill 9 of 2025

"To amend the Local Government: Municipal Structures Act, 1998, so as to extend the time period within which a local council must appoint its representatives to the district council; to extend the time period within which the first meeting of the council must be called after it has been declared elected; to extend the time period within which the meeting to determine the members of the executive committee must be held; to extend the time period within which the meeting for the election of an executive mayor and executive deputy mayor must be held; to provide for an electoral threshold when determining the allocation of proportional seats in a metropolitan, local and district council; to provide for an electoral threshold in determining the allocation of seats to representatives of local councils to district councils; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

<https://pmg.org.za/files/B9-2025-GJ.pdf>

Mineral Resources Development Amendment Bill, 2025

"To amend the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, 2002, so as to amend and insert new definitions; to provide for matters relating to small-scale and artisanal mining; to provide for the regulation of associated minerals, enhance provisions relating to the beneficiation of minerals or mineral products; to provide for consultation; to align the Act with domestic legislation; to provide for enhanced sanctions; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

Comments invited by 13 August 2025.

GN6210 GG 52704 p3 20May2025

https://www.gov.za/sites/default/files/gcis_document/202505/52704gon6210.pdf

Mpumalanga Nutrition Sourcing Bill, 2025

Comments invited within 30 days of publication.

"To provide for the empowerment and advancement of persons historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination, by diversifying the agricultural sector in the Province and to promote, enhance and allow for meaningful participation of such historically disadvantaged persons in the agricultural sector in the Province; to revitalise agricultural-based operations on communal land occupied by, or land owned or leased by, or restituted or redistributed to historically disadvantaged persons; to upskill and empower historically disadvantaged persons to seize available opportunities in the agricultural sector; to create an investment-friendly environment in support of the Mpumalanga International Fresh Produce Market, agricultural hubs, agricultural parks, rural villages and communal property associations for the benefit of historically disadvantaged persons, through the said Market in support of agrarian reform initiatives; to stimulate the Provincial agricultural economy in support of job creation, eradication of poverty, the elimination of hunger and to ensure food security; to assist historically disadvantaged persons and other eligible farmers in the Province to access financial assistance through the Blended Finance Scheme as well as the Provincial-specific agricultural finance scheme; and to provide for matters incidental thereto."

[Proc268 GG 52939 p56 4Jul2025](#)

National Qualifications Framework Further Amendment Bill

"To further amend the National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008 so as to provide for a uniform and aligned legislative framework for effective regulation and implementation of a single and comprehensive, efficient, integrated NQF system; to provide for the amendment and insertion of certain definitions so as to provide clarity of the meaning of terms; to provide for the formulation of criteria for evaluating foreign qualifications; to provide for the offering of foreign qualifications and online programmes within the Republic; to provide for further functions of the SAQA; to provide for the verification of qualifications and programmes by Umalusi; to provide further clarity of the functions and responsibilities of the Minister entrusted with the administration of this Act, Minister of Basic Education, SAQA, Quality Council and professional bodies; and to provide for matters connected therewith."

Comments invited.

RGN6187 GG 52688 p22 16May2025

https://www.gov.za/sites/default/files/gcis_document/202505/52688rg11833gon6187s.pdf

Performing Animals Protection Amendment Bill 12 of 2025

"To amend the Performing Animals Protection Act, 1935, so as to regulate the access to private or public areas, buildings, facilities, or transport systems of assistance animals accompanying a person with a disability; to provide that a National Licensing Officer may also be a specialist in training of assistance animals; to provide that a person with a disability who intends to have an assistance animal accompany him or her into a private or public space, building, facility, or transport system must apply for a licence to do so; to provide for the inclusion of the details of the assistance animal accompanying a person with a disability in an application for a licence; to further regulate the

visitation and assessing of the premises that will be the living quarters of an assistance animal; to amend the criteria for granting a licence; to amend the criteria for a valid licence; to also regulate instances where an assistance animal may be refused access to a premises; to provide for the Minister to make regulations regarding further licensing conditions; to ensure that a person with a disability is granted access, on an equal basis with others, to the physical environment, transportation, and all other facilities open or provided to the public, both in urban and rural areas; to insert new definitions; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

<https://pmg.org.za/files/B12-2025 Performing Animals Protection.pdf>

Public Sector Pension and Related Payments Bill 3 of 2025

“To provide that certain public sector pension, post-retirement medical and other pension related benefits under legislation and collective agreements are direct charges against the National Revenue Fund; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.”

<https://pmg.org.za/files/B3-2025 Public Sector Pension and Related Payments Bill.pdf>

Rates and Monetary Amounts and Amendment of Revenue Laws Bill 14 of 2025

“To fix the rates of normal tax; to amend the Transfer Duty Act, 1949, so as to amend transfer duty monetary thresholds; to amend the Income Tax Act, 1962, so as to amend certain provisions; to amend the Customs and Excise Act, 1964, so as to amend rates of duty in Schedule 1 to that Act; to amend the Employment Tax Incentive Act, 2013, so as to amend certain provisions; to amend the Carbon Tax Act, 2019, so as to amend an amount; to pre-empt the increase of the rate in terms of section 7 of the Value-Added Tax Act, 1991, announced by the Minister of Finance in the national annual budget of 2025; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

<https://static.pmg.org.za/B14-2025 Rates and Monetary Amounts.pdf>

- 4 April 2025: Notice of intention to introduce into Parliament and publication of explanatory summary. ([GN6105 GG 52458 p3 4Apr2025](#))
- 24 April 2025: Notice of intention to introduce into Parliament and publication of explanatory summary. ([GN6157 GG 52567 p3 24Apr2025](#))

Remuneration of Public Office Bearers Amendment Bill 17 of 2025

“To amend the Remuneration of Public Office Bearers Act, 1998, so as to provide for a definition of ‘tools of trade’; to amend the definition of “the Constitution”; to require that the President be provided with such tools of trade as the National Assembly by resolution may determine, and to stipulate the factors to be considered by the National Assembly when doing so; to require that the Deputy President, Ministers and Deputy Ministers be provided with such tools of trade as the President by proclamation in the Gazette may determine, and to stipulate the factors to be considered by the President when doing so; to provide that any changes effected to the provision of allowances, benefits or tools of trade of the Deputy President, Ministers and Deputy Ministers must be reported to the National Assembly and published on the official website of The Presidency; to provide for a review of all allowances, tools of trade and benefits of the President, Deputy President, Ministers and Deputy Ministers and regular reviews thereafter; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

<https://static.pmg.org.za/B17-2025 Remuneration of Public Office Bearers AB.pdf>

13 March 2025: Notice of intention to introduce. (Source: [GN5989 GG 52274 p3 13Mar2025](#))

Revenue Laws Amendment Bill 5 of 2025

“To amend the Income Tax Act, 1962, so as to amend certain definitions; to amend certain provisions of the Revenue Laws Amendment Act, 2024; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

<https://pmg.org.za/files/B5-2025 Revenue Laws Amendment Bill.pdf>

South African National Water Resources Infrastructure Agency SOC Limited Amendment Bill 13 of 2025

“To amend the South African National Water Resources Infrastructure Agency SOC Limited Act, 2024, so as to provide for the listing of the Agency as a major public entity in Schedule 2 to the Public Finance Management Act; to provide for the delisting of the Trans-Caledon Tunnel Authority from Schedule 2 to the Public Finance Management Act; and to provide for matters connected therewith.”

<https://static.pmg.org.za/B13-2025 SA National Water Resources.pdf>

- 4 April 2025: Notice of intention to introduce into Parliament and publication of explanatory summary. ([GN6103 GG 52455 p3 4Apr2025](#))

Western Cape Twentieth Gambling and Racing Amendment Bill, 2025

“To amend the Western Cape Gambling and Racing Act, 1996, so as to provide for an economic opportunity tax; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.”

Comments invited by 7 July 2025.

[PN62 GG 9077 p2 6Jun2025](#)

Western Cape Public Library Services Act 1 of 2025

“To regulate the provision of public library services in the Province; to provide for the coordination of responsibilities for public library services; to provide for the registration of public libraries; to make provision for the assignment to Municipal Councils of certain functions of the Provincial Minister in respect of public libraries; to determine the functions of public library administrators; and to provide for matters incidental thereto.”

[PN66 PG 9085 p1 12Jun2025](#)

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