



**Official announcement statement
By the
Chairperson of ERONGO REGIONAL COUNCIL:
Honourable Benitha Imbamba
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**OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT, STATEMENT BY
HONOURABLE BENITHA IMBAMBA, CHAIRPERSON OF
THE ERONGO REGIONAL COUNCIL AT THE ORDINARY
REGIONAL COUNCIL MEETING – SORA OF 2023, HELD ON
THE 10th JULY 2023 AT THE SWAKOPMUND MUNICIPALITY
COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT 10H00.**

Honourable Governor

Honourable Regional Councillors

Your Worship the Mayors

Local Authorities Councillors

Madam Chief Regional Officer

Distinguished Chief Executive Officers

Distinguished Representatives of OMAs

Service Chiefs

Captains of Industries

Ladies and gentlemen

Good morning

It is with great honour and privilege to welcome all to this August House.

Today's Ordinary Regional Council meeting is in compliance to Article 110 A (5) and (6) of the Constitution of the Republic of Namibia:

Sub-Article (5)

“A Regional Governor shall attend a meeting of the Regional Council of the region for which he or she is the Regional Governor once a year, which meeting shall after the President and the Cabinet attend Parliament in terms of Article 32 (2) thereof; and

Sub-Article (6)

“During the meeting referred to in Sub-Article (5), the Regional Governor shall address the Regional Council on the state of the region, planned activities of the central Government in the region, report on the activities of the central Government of the previous year in the region and be available to respond to questions.”

It is in light of above provision that the Erongo Regional Council invited the Honourable Governor to address the nation today.

With this few words, let's go into today's business and deliberate on issue of regional concern. I thank you

