1. Members of the National Assembly and the National Council of Provinces assembled in the Chamber of the National Assembly at 14:00.

2. The Chairperson of the National Council of Provinces took the Chair and requested members to observe a moment of silence for prayer or meditation.

3. FIRST ORDER [14:02]

Debate on the President’s State-of-the-Nation Address.

The Chairperson of the National Council of Provinces announced that he had received a copy of the President of the Republic’s address delivered at the Joint Sitting on Thursday, 11 February 2021, and that the speech had been printed in the Minutes of the Joint Sitting.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED AT 17:07 AND RESUMED AT 17:23.

Debate interrupted.

4. The House Chairperson Mr A J Nyambi adjourned the Joint Sitting at 19:17.