

## **HAVE YOUR SAY**

The Portfolio Committee on Employment and Labour invites interested individuals and stakeholders to submit written comments on the two Bills, the purpose of which is detailed below:

### **EMPLOYMENT EQUITY AMENDMENT BILL [B 14-2020]**

**The Bill seeks to amend the Employment Equity Act, 1998, so as to amend a definition; to insert certain definitions, to substitute a definition and to delete a definition; to provide for the Minister to identify sectoral numerical targets in order to ensure the equitable representation of suitably qualified people from designated groups; and to provide for matters connected therewith.**

### **COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES AMENDMENT BILL [B 21-2020]**

**The Bill seeks to amend the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act, 1993, so as to amend, substitute, insert, delete and repeal certain definitions and sections; to provide for matters pertaining to the Board and its members; to provide for the Commissioner to perform certain functions that were previously performed by the Director-General; to further provide for matters pertaining to the rehabilitation, re-integration and return to work of occupationally injured and diseased employees; to regulate the use of health care services; to provide for the Commissioner to review pension claims or awards; to provide for administrative penalties; to regulate compliance and enforcement and to provide for matters connected therewith.**

Enquiries, as well as written submissions, can be directed to the **Portfolio Committee on Employment and Labour**, (for attention: **Mr Zolani Sakasa**), or emailed to [equitybill@parliament.gov.za](mailto:equitybill@parliament.gov.za) for the **EEA Bill** and [coidabill@parliament.gov.za](mailto:coidabill@parliament.gov.za) for the **COIDA Bill**.

**In addition to the written submissions, please indicate if you are interested in making a verbal presentation to the Committee.**

**The closing date for written submissions is Friday, 19 February 2021 at 16:30.**

Copies of the Bills can be obtained from **Mr Zolani Sakasa** on cell: **083 709 8488** or at [www.parliament.gov.za](http://www.parliament.gov.za).

**Issued by: Ms ML Dunjwa, MP, Chairperson of the Portfolio Committee on Employment and Labour.**