

## MEDIA ADVISORY

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Attention: Journalists and News Editors  
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### **MINISTER CHIKUNGA AND DEPUTY MINISTER LETSIKE TO PRESENT THE BUDGET VOTE SPEECH FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN, YOUTH AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (DWYPD)**

**Cape Town:** The Minister and Deputy Minister in the Presidency responsible for women, youth, and persons with disabilities, Sindisiwe Chikunga, and Mmapaseka Steve Letsike, will present the annual budget policy statement before Parliament on Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2026.

Minister Chikunga will, during the budget vote, map out priorities and highlight key areas of focus for the Department for the financial year 2026/2027.

### **THE BUDGET VOTE WILL BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:**

**Date: Wednesday** 13 May 2026 **Time:** 09h00

**Venue:** M46-90 Plein Street Parliament.

**Broadcast:** Parliament TV channel on DSTV (channel 408) or on their YouTube Channel

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