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**SELECT COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
TO**

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*(As agreed to by the Select Committee on Education and Recreation
(National Council of Provinces))*

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CLAUSE 1

1. On page 2, in line 10, after “legitimate” to insert “representative”.
2. On page 2, in line 13, to omit “A” and to substitute:
[A] Subject to policy made in terms of section 3(4)(g) of the National Education Policy Act, 1996 (Act No. 27 of 1996), the

CLAUSE 2

Clause rejected.

NEW CLAUSE

1. That the following be a new Clause:

Substitution of section 16 of Act 84 of 1996

2. Section 16 of the principal Act is amended by the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:

“(1) Subject to this Act, the governance of every public school is vested in its governing body and it may perform only such functions and obligations and exercise only such rights as prescribed by the Act.”.

CLAUSE 4

1. On page 3, in line 15, after “If” to insert:
the Head of Department determines on reasonable grounds that
2. On page 3, in line 15, after “ceased” to omit “altogether”.
3. On page 3, in line 17, to omit “the *Head of Department*” and to substitute “[**the Head of Department**] he or she”.
4. On page 3, in line 22, after “ceased” to omit “altogether”.

CLAUSE 6

1. On page 4, in line 2, after “parents” to insert:
 to circumvent or manipulate the payment of compulsory school fees
 and to use such monies or contributions
2. On page 4, in line 2, to omit “any” and to substitute “such”.

CLAUSE 7

1. On page 4, from line 8, to omit subsection (1) and to substitute:

“(1) A governing body of a public school must prepare a budget each year [,] according to **[guidelines]** prescriptions determined by the Member of the Executive Council in a Provincial Gazette, which shows the estimated income and expenditure of the school for the following financial year.”.

CLAUSE 13

1. On page 6, in line 47, after the first “the” to insert “Further Education and”.

LONG TITLE

1. On page 2, in the fifth line, to omit the second “or” and to substitute:
without the approval of the Member of the Executive Council; to prohibit public schools

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