



**Ndvuna Dlamini**  
Clerk of Parliament

# NOTICE FOR PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Parliament of Eswatini kindly takes this opportunity to notify members of the public, individuals, organizations and stakeholders that the House of Assembly Portfolio Committee of the Ministry of Information, Communications and Technology (ICT) will be conducting public hearings on the following Bills, whose objectives are summarized thus:

- 1. The Computer Crime and Cybercrime Bill, 2020 (Bill No. 19 of 2020)** – to criminalize offences committed through the usage of computer systems and electronic communications networks. Also, to provide for investigation and collection of evidence for computer and network related crimes, and further provide for the admission of electronic evidence for such offences.
- 2. The Electronic Communications and Transactions Bill, 2020 (Bill No. 20 of 2020)** – to regulate electronic communications and the use of e-government services and to provide for incidental matters.
- 3. The Data Protection Bill, 2020 (Bill No. 21 of 2020)** – to provide for collection, processing, disclosure and protection of personal data; balancing competing values of personal information privacy and sector-specific laws and other related matters.

Those interested in making submissions are advised to contact the Committee Clerk (Ms. Ntfombiyancengwa Dlamini) at **79101522 (mobile) / email at [ntf.parl@gmail.com](mailto:ntf.parl@gmail.com) / [adminparl@swazi.net](mailto:adminparl@swazi.net)**. The deadline for written submissions is **Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> October 2020 at 1600 hours**.

N.B. Copies of the above Bills can be bought at Webster Print (PTY) LTD, Mbabane.

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