



# SA Legislative Sector Calendar 2012

(Approved in principle – Speakers' Forum)

First quarter (January – March 2012)

Structure / Event	Date (2012)
<b>* Constituency &amp; leave period</b>	<b>Until 13 January</b>
Sector Action Planning workshop (Forum executives, SALSA)	18-20 January
Various SALSA Forum meetings (1 <sup>st</sup> quarter) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committees Forum</li> <li>• Finance Forum</li> <li>• Human Resources Forum</li> <li>• ISM Forum</li> <li>• Knowledge Management Forum</li> <li>• Legal Advisors' Forum</li> <li>• Public Participation, Petitions &amp; Communication Forum</li> <li>• Security Forum</li> <li>• Table Staff Forum</li> </ul>	January - March
Consultative meeting on Sector Gender Programme	19-20 January
Public participation consultative meeting	24 January
Sector Dialogue (management) (1)	27 January
<b>SONA (Opening of Parliament)</b>	<b>9 February</b>
<b>Budget Speech (NA, Parliament)</b>	<b>22 February</b>
<b>SOPA (Opening – Provincial Legislatures)</b>	<b>16-24 February</b>
<b>Budget Speeches (Provincial Legislatures)</b>	<b>27 Feb – 12 March</b>
Speakers' Forum - Special Meeting (Consultative Seminar)	Tues, 13 March
Sector Dialogue (International Consultative Seminar 2012) (2)	14-16 March
SALSA Executive meeting / teleconference (1)	20 March
SALSA meeting (1)	29-30 March

**Note:** Public Participation Indaba, Gauteng Legislature – 29 February-2 March 2012  
126<sup>th</sup> IPU Assembly, Kampala, Uganda – 31 March-5 April 2012



## Second quarter (April – June 2012)

Structure / Event	Date (2012)
<b>* Constituency &amp; leave period</b>	<b>20 March-13 April</b>
Speakers' Forum meeting (1)	13 April
Various SALSA Forum meetings (2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committees Forum</li> <li>• Finance Forum</li> <li>• Human Resources Forum</li> <li>• ISM Forum</li> <li>• Knowledge Management Forum</li> <li>• Legal Advisors' Forum</li> <li>• Public Participation, Petitions &amp; Communication Forum</li> <li>• Security Forum</li> <li>• Table Staff Forum</li> </ul>	April - May
<b>NCOP Provincial Week, Taking Legislature to the People</b>	<b>17-21 April</b>
SALSA Executive meeting / teleconference (2)	31 May
SALSA meeting (2)	14-15 June
Speakers' Forum meeting (2)	29 June
Sector Dialogue meeting (strategic) (3)	29/30 June

**Note:** Youth Parliament – June 2012



### Third quarter (July – September 2012)

Structure / Event	Date (2012)
<b>* Constituency &amp; leave period</b>	<b>25 June-20 July</b>
Various SALSA Forum meetings (3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committees Forum</li> <li>• Finance Forum</li> <li>• Human Resources Forum</li> <li>• ISM Forum</li> <li>• Knowledge Management Forum</li> <li>• Legal Advisors' Forum</li> <li>• Public Participation, Petitions &amp; Communication Forum</li> <li>• Security Forum</li> <li>• Table Staff Forum</li> </ul>	June - July
SALSA Executive meeting / teleconference (3)	16 August
SALSA meeting (3)	30-31 August
Sector Dialogue meeting (technical) (4)	31 August
<b>NCOP Provincial Week</b>	<b>3-7 September</b>
Speakers' Forum meeting (3)	21 September

**Note:** CPA Africa Region, Gauteng – 28 June – 8 July 2012  
 NSCL 2012 Legislative Summit, Chicago, Illinois – 6-9 August  
 Women's Parliament – 13-14 August  
 People's Assembly – 18-19 September  
 CPA International, September 2012



## Fourth quarter (October – December 2012)

Structure / Event	Date (2012)
<b>* Constituency &amp; leave period</b>	<b>25 Sept-5 Oct</b>
Various SALSA Forum meetings (4 <sup>th</sup> quarter) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committees Forum</li> <li>• Finance Forum</li> <li>• Human Resources Forum</li> <li>• ISM Forum</li> <li>• Knowledge Management Forum</li> <li>• Legal Advisors' Forum</li> <li>• Public Participation, Petitions &amp; Communication Forum</li> <li>• Security Forum</li> <li>• Table Staff Forum</li> </ul>	Sept - Oct
SALSA Executive meeting / teleconference (4)	31 October
<b>NCOP Taking Parliament to the People</b>	<b>5-9 November</b>
SALSA meeting (4)	12 November
Speakers' Forum meeting (4)	30 November
Sector Dialogue meeting (strategic) (4)	30 Nov/1 Dec
<b>* Constituency &amp; leave period</b>	<b>10 Dec – Jan 2013</b>

**Note:** SADCOPAC Conference – 1<sup>st</sup> week of October  
 127<sup>th</sup> IPU Assembly, Quebec City, Canada – 21-26 October  
 NCOP Taking Parliament to the People – 5-9 November