

**COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION**  
**AFRICA REGION**



**PROPOSED THEME AND TOPICS FOR THE 18<sup>TH</sup> COMMONWEALTH  
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**THEME: African Parliaments and the Agenda 2063**

**TOPICS:**

1. Securing public trust: The Role of Parliaments in strengthening openness, transparency and accountability

**Mover:** Botswana

**Seconder:** South Africa

**Session Chairperson:** Nigeria

2. The role of African Parliaments in the implementation of the Africa Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA)

**Mover:** The Gambia

**Seconder:** Kenya

3. Addressing the challenge of food security in Africa by promoting investments in Agriculture

**Mover:** Ghana

**Seconder:** Eswatini

**Session Chairperson:** Seychelles

4. The devastating impacts of climate change: A call for more parliamentary interventions

**Mover:** Cameroon

**Seconder:** Zambia

**Session Chairperson:** Tanzania