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Opening Address

Gengezi Mgidlana

Secretary to Parliament

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Albert Ntunja



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Introduction to the 31st Library and Research Services Section Pre-Conference

Raissa Teodori
Chair of the Section

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Title of my paper

Innovative Library Services for Information and Knowledge Based Parliament: *Case study of the Parliamentary Information Centre*



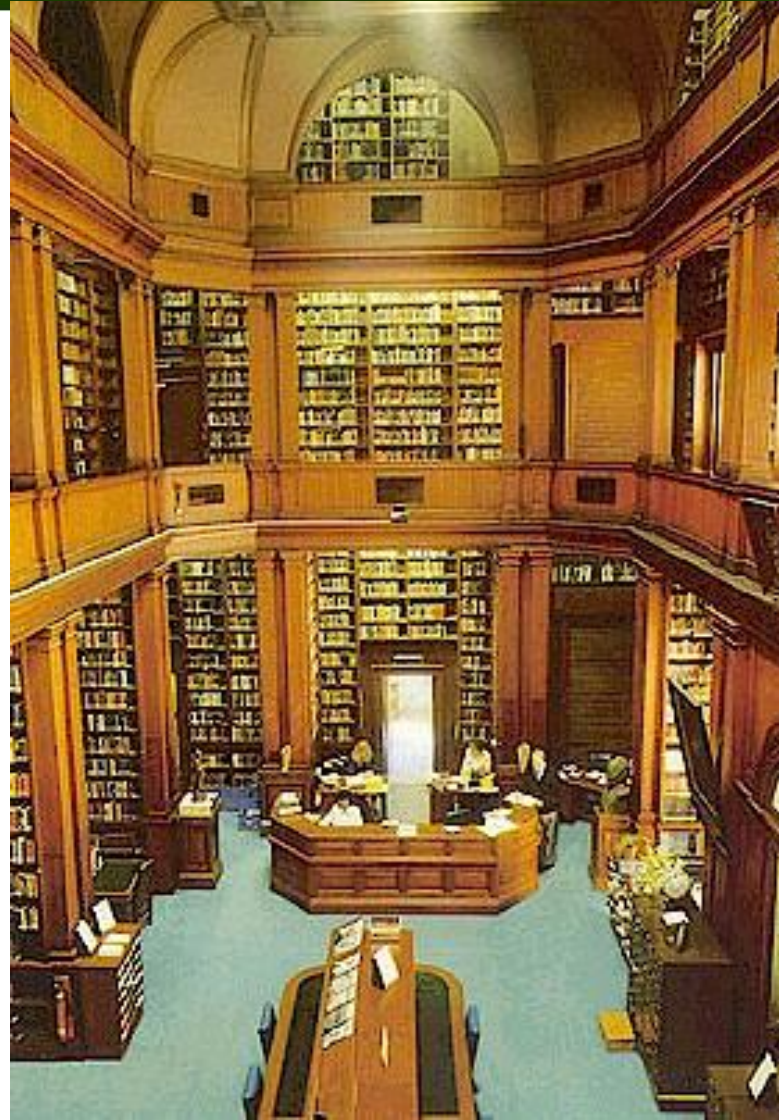
Overview & Introduction

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The Cape Legislative Council

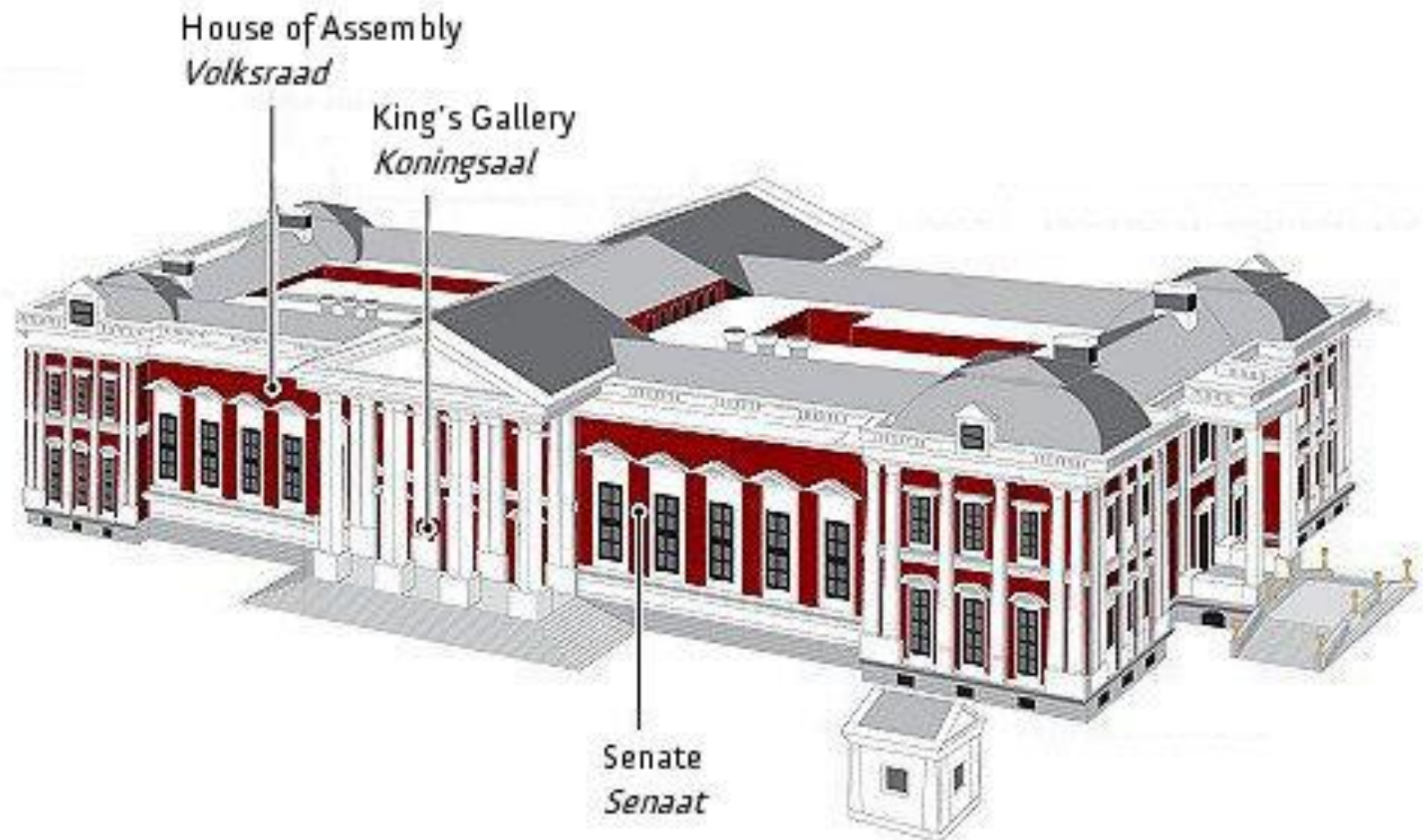


Cape Legislative Assembly





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Technology Enhanced Services

- Integrated Library Management System
- Security and Disaster Management Plan
- Digital Content Delivery
- Refurbishment of book stores
- Digitization
- Capacity development, change management & organizational development





“Those of us who were planning the research and information service...made a number of crucial decisions...First of all, we decided not to call it a library. The emphasis was on speed, service, and innovation. We needed a brand; we needed to make an impact, and we needed to capture the imagination” (Seaton, p2)



“...[Politicians] depend on libraries...for information and facts. The library of today might be in your cell phone instead of going to the building...” (American Libraries, May 2009)



Digital Platforms & Resources

Mr. Rian Thornton and Mr. Bertie Van Eck will do the power point presentation on Digital Platforms and Resources





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Thank you

