

Hon. Minister Biography

Full Name	Erastus Amutenya Uutoni
Date of Birth	Born on 29 January 1961
Place of Birth	Omatando, Oshana Region
Education	<p>Third Year Student; Bachelor of Marketing; Polytechnic of Namibia (2015); Diploma in Police Science, Polytechnic of Namibia (2002); Certificate in Political Science, Institute of Political Science, Moscow, Soviet Union (1991); Diploma in Office Management; College of Professional Management, Britain (1995); Certificate in Marketing, Polytechnic of Namibia (2014); Photo Journalism, Lusaka, Zambia (1982 - 1983); Grade 12 Certificate, Namibia (1996); Secondary Education 1 – 3, Ombalantu Secondary School, (1977 - 1979); Primary Education Standard 1 - 6 Form, (1970 - 1976)</p>
Career	<p>Swapo Party Regional Coordinator, Oshana Region (1998 - 2010); Swapo Party Regional Mobiliser Oshana Region (1993 - 1998); Swapo Party Oshakati District Mobiliser in Oshana Region (1992 - 1993); Ex – Combatant Representatives in Oshana Region, (1995 - 1996); Reporter and Photographer, Namibia Today (Swapo a bi-weekly newspaper) in Oshakati, (1989 - 1991); Photographer for Namibia Today (Swapo monthly organ) in Lubango, Angola (1985 - 1989); Commander, First Mechanized Infantry Brigade in Lubango Angola; Joined People's Liberation Army of Namibia (PLAN) (1979); Military Training (6 month) Tobias Hainyeko Military Training Centre Lubango, Angola (1979).</p>

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Legislative Profile	Member of the National Assembly, Deputy Minister of Home Affairs and Immigration, (2015 -2020); Member of National Assembly (2015 – 2010); Deputy Minister of Safety and Security (2010-2015), Deputy Minister of Sport, youth and National Service since February 2018
Interests	Legal, ICT, Trade, Urban and Rural Development issues