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## Labour brokering in the spotlight in Parliament

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The controversial issue of labour brokering is set to take centre stage in Parliament on Tuesday.

Parliament's portfolio committee on labour has invited unions, businesses and labour brokerage firms to give input at a series of public hearings.

Unions have consistently called for the practice to be outlawed, saying workers were being exploited by labour brokers.

Labour committee chairperson Lumka Yengeni says MPs want to hear how the law can be changed to ensure workers employed by labour brokers are protected.

"Under this labour brokering system people are not getting their pensions, medical aid. They are not able to join trade unions," says Yengeni.