No further applications were considered as the closing date had lapsed.

(b) 1 051 were approved in the Charities sector.

192 were approved in the Arts, Culture and National Heritage sector.

795 were approved in the Sport & Recreation sector.

(c) R625,5 million was allocated in the Charities sector.

R228,8 million was allocated in the Arts, Culture and National Heritage sector.

R409,6 million was allocated in the Sport and Recreation sector.

**Units at Coega village occupied/ unoccupied**

1493. Mr E W TRENT (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) In respect of the Coega Development Agency Construction Village, (a) how many units are (i) occupied and (ii) unoccupied, (b) what was the total cost of the project and (c) what is the monthly income from (i) rentals and (ii) other sources;

(2) whether any of the units are occupied by persons not employed or involved in projects directly related to the development of the Coega industrial development zone; if so, (a) how many, (b) what is the total monthly rental income from these units, (c) what is the average duration of the lease agreements, (d) who are the occupants and (e) for what purpose are the units occupied in each case;

(3) whether any further units will be built; if so, (a) how many, (b) when and (c) at what estimated cost?

N1955E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(a) How many units are (i) occupied and (ii) unoccupied?

(i) Occupied units

There are 240 units permanently occupied, with lease agreements of durations of between six to twelve months.

(ii) Unoccupied units

There are 134 unoccupied units. These units are hired and occupied on a temporary basis.

The targeted primary tenant for the Construction Village is the Coega Aluminium Smelter project with whom negotiations are still under way. The occupancy is therefore not yet optimal.

(b) The total cost of this project was R108 million.

(c) (i) Monthly rental income

The total rental income generated by the abovementioned units is on average R250 000 per month.

(ii) Other facilities/sources

Other facilities which are hired for conferences and other events generate an average monthly income of R130 000.

(2) (a) 234 units are occupied on a rental basis by nonIDZ related private tenants.

(b) The total rental income of these units averages R250 000 per month.

(c) The average duration of the lease agreements is six to twelve months.

(d) The occupants of these units are workers and family members of

alleged financial irregularities on the board; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1936E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) An interim board was appointed on 9 February 2006. The dti is currently finalising the appointment process to formerly appoint the new board. Once this process is completed, the matter will be taken to Cabinet for final approval.

(2) The dti is reviewing the forensic audit and will make a statement on the matter in due course.

**Expiry date of the lotto distribution agencies' mandate**

1484. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) (a) What was the expiry date of the lotto distribution agencies' mandate, (b) when was his department informed of the expiry date and (c) when (i) were new agencies appointed and (ii) do their mandates expire;

(2) why were distribution agencies not appointed timeously to ensure that there was no gap between the appointment of distribution agencies;

(3) (a) how many applications for funding, and the total amount involved, were not dealt with between the distribution agencies ceasing to function and the appointment of new agencies and (b)(i) how many applications were approved prior to the mandates ceasing but were not distributed to beneficiaries and (ii) what is the total amount involved? N1945E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) (a) The term of office of the members of the distributing agencies of the National Lotteries Board expired on 31 March 2006.

(b) The department called for public nominations in June 2005.

(c) The new distributing agencies have been appointed for a period of five years from 15 June 2006 and will expire in 2011.

(2) In terms of section 30(1) of the Lotteries Act, the Minister of Trade and Industry is responsible, in consultation with the Minister of Sports and Recreation, Minister of Social Development and Minister of Arts and Culture, for appointing members and chairpersons of the distributing agencies. On 23 February 2006 letters were forwarded by the Minister of Trade and Industry to the relevant Ministers submitting candidates for their consideration for appointment. The letters also indicated that the department intends to proceed to Cabinet with the proposed names in March 2006 to ensure the appointment of new members by April 2006. The matter was however delayed as there was no agreement between the Minister of Trade and Industry and the Minister of Sport on the candidates proposed for the Sport and Recreation Distributing Agency.

(3) In the financial year 1 April 2005 to 31 March 2006:

(a) The Charities Distributing Agency had 939 applications to adjudicate when their term expired.

The Arts, Culture and National Heritage Distributing Agency had 333 applications to adjudicate at the end of their term.

The Sport and recreation Distributing Agency had 42 of the applications to adjudicate when their term expired.

tion; if not, why not; if so, what incentives and/or other measures? N2033E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The Innovation Support Programmes of the dti, namely the Technology and Human Resources for Industry Programmes (THRIP) and the Support Programme for Industrial Innovation (SPII), provide financial assistance on a matching grant basis with industry, for the registration of intellectual property rights resulting from the innovation project. In the case of the THRIP Programme, financial assistance is also provided to SMMEs to obtain legal advice regarding their intellectual property rights.

Apart from direct financial support for new product and process development through the abovementioned programmes, the dti also renders support to SMMEs through Technology Incubators managed by the SEDA Technology Programme (STP).

During the 2005-06 financial year, the dti rendered the following support to SMMEs for developing and exploiting technology, namely:

- Support Programme for Industrial Innovation (SPII): 66 SMMEs
- Technology and Human Resources for Industry (THRIP): 257 SMMEs
- SEDA Technology Programme (STP): 197 SMMEs

**Growing relations between IBSA countries: tariffs levied on par**

1540. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether, in light of the growing relations between India, Brazil and South Africa (IBSA), the tariffs levied by the IBSA countries are on par; if not, what are the discrepancies between the tariffs levied by South Africa and those levied by India and Brazil on comparable goods with regard to the trade between one another? N2034E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The official average tariffs of the Indian and Brazilian economies stand at 22,89% and 10,7% respectively, whilst South Africa's average tariff stands at around 5,8%. However, the above averages do not take into consideration nontariff barriers in the form of surcharges and duties that can vary from province to province and are not easily available from official government sources.

**SA Copyright Act, Act 98 of 1978, complying with the prescriptions of Trips**

1541. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether, in view of the rise of piracy involving copyright and the prescriptions of the Agreement on Trade-related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (Trips) to which South Africa is a signatory, the South African Copyright Act, Act 98 of 1978, complies with the prescriptions of Trips; if not, why not;

(2) whether her department intends taking any steps to address the matter; if not, why not; if so, what steps;

(3) whether appropriate legislation will be introduced to address the concerns of legitimate business in this regard; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2035E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) South Africa is in compliance with the minimum provisions of the TRIPS Agreement in relation to enforcement and registration of IP.

(2) Over and above the minimum compliance the dti is also analysing the benefits that might accrue from possible

workers employed on the zone or other institutions nearby.

(e) The units are occupied for various purposes, eg people not having any other alternative accommodation in close proximity to working destinations.

(3) (a) There is a plan to build a further 142 units to satisfy the needs of the Aluminium Smelter tenants. This is because the current occupation capacity will not be sufficient to meet the occupation demands of the aluminium Project.

(b) The construction of these units is expected to be completed in July 2007.

(c) The projected total cost of construction of the said units is R47 million.

**Komitee om nie-nakoming van SEB-beginsels en -reëls as kriminele oortredings te klassifiseer**

1524. Mnr W D SPIES (VF Plus) vra die Minister van Handel en Nywerheid:

Of die Regering 'n komitee aangestel het wat sedert Februarie 2006 werkwyses ondersoek om die nie-toepassing van die beginsels en reëls van swart ekonomiese bemagting (SEB) as kriminele oortredings te klassifiseer; so ja, hoe sodanige beoogde kriminalisering met die grondwetlike reg van vryheid van handel en beroepsbeoefening versoen word? N1844A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Committee to classify noncompliance with the principles and rules of BEE as a criminal offence**

1524. Mr W D SPIES (FF Plus) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether, since February 2006, a committee appointed by the Government has been investigating procedures whereby to classify noncompliance with the principles and rules of Black Economic Empowerment (BEE) as a criminal offence; if so, how does one reconcile such envisaged criminalisation with the constitutional right to freedom of commerce and plying one's trade? N1844E]

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

Compliance with BEE, according to section 10 of the BB-BEE Act, is a legal requirement for organs of state. With respect to the private sector, compliance with BEE is a voluntary process. It is primarily based on the appreciation and recognition of BEE as a business and economic imperative.

In this regard, noncompliance on the part of enterprises in the private sector with respect to BEE is not and cannot be a criminal offence and thus does not infringe on the constitutional right of entities to trade freely. The failure on the part of private enterprises to comply with BEE can only invite government to choose not to do business with those entities.

Accordingly, government has not appointed any special committee to investigate procedures whereby to classify noncompliance with the principles and rules of BEE as a criminal offence.

Nonetheless, if an entity is found to be fronting (ie misrepresenting its BEE status) by a court of law, the normal legal remedies with respect to fraud and misrepresentation will follow.

**Incentives to support the small inventor to protect and exploit invention**

1539. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether there are any incentives and/or other measures to support the small inventor to protect and exploit his/her inven-

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The Duty Credit Certificate Scheme came to an end in March 2005. In order to give industry a period to adjust to the withdrawal of the Scheme, Government introduced a Textile and Clothing Interim Development Programme that comes to an end in 2007. When the decision to extend the scheme was taken, all beneficiaries were informed that further extensions would not be possible.

**Report *re* core of SA's new emerging elite are well-connected by political and family ties**

1600. Prof E S CHANG (IFP) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

In light of the report released by the Institute of Justice and Reconciliation that 100 people who form the core of South Africa's new emerging elite are well-connected by political and family ties, (a) what is his department going to do about this situation where a small group of well-connected persons are placed at an advantage over the rural poor and (b) what steps will be taken to ensure that this does not reoccur? N2143E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The dti does not have a policy designed to prevent South Africa's "new emerging elite" from getting involved in business. Broadly speaking, the government has developed policies that are aimed at encouraging all South African citizens, and black South Africans in particular, to be enterprising and to take advantage of business opportunities. In terms of policy, therefore, there is no discrimination against the rural poor, nor is there any bias towards the so-called "new elite".

On the contrary, the dti has placed a major focus on assisting people operating in the second economy and this includes the rural poor.

**Documents awaiting scanning by Cipro**

1624. Dr P J RABIE asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) How many documents were awaiting scanning by the Companies and Intellectual Property Registration Office (Cipro) as at the latest specified date for which information is available;

(2) whether any proactive measures are being taken to upgrade the present computer and scanning facilities at the Registrar of Companies; if not, why not; if so, what measures? N2181E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) Approximately 1 000 000 post-registration applications are yet to be scanned. Scanning should not be confused with registration. Scanning is a post-registration function, and cannot affect registration times.

(2) Proactive measures include an investigation into e-lodgements and compression technology. Moreover, Cipro in conjunction with the State Information Technology Agency (Sita) is in the process of developing an electronic content management system which will contribute towards improving Cipros capacity to process and record registrations.

**Manufacturer prevented from benefiting from MIDP**

1625. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Why was a certain manufacturer (Bell Equipment) prevented from benefiting from the Motor Industry Development Programme (MIDP);

(2) whether any international heavy equipment manufacturer has threatened to take the MIDP to the World Trade Organisation for contravening trade rules; if so, what are the relevant details? N2182E

amendments to the IP system, in particular, from the copyright regime. If studies can show that the benefits of an amendment outweigh the costs of enforcement, then such an amendment is likely to proceed.

**Foreign steel producers expressing interest to invest in exploration of iron ore and coking coal**

1545. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) How many foreign steel producers have expressed interest to invest in exploration of iron ore and coking coal in South Africa in 2006;

(2) whether any legislation is being planned for 2007 that will enable the Competition Commission to institute investigations regarding excessive pricing by the steel industry; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2042E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The department of Minerals and Energy will be in a position to response to the question.

(2) The dti intends to introduce an amendment to the current Competition Act in 2007 designed to deal with excessive pricing. However the proposed measures are not directed at a particular sector, but are intended to curb excessive pricing in general in any sector of the economy.

The definition of excessive pricing as contained in the Competition Act will be amended to allow for the prohibition of excessive price increases.

**Plans to assist the local textile industry by providing funding for capital equipment**

1546. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether his department has any plans to assist the local textile industry in a similar way as China or India by providing funding for capital equipment at 1,5% interest; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2043E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The dti has recognised the need to provide the right support for investment in the textile industry given the high average age of capital equipment, as this is a major impediment to both the industry's success. Public sector support for capital equipment upgrading of the industry could be facilitated through a mix of upgrading grants, tax rebates and preferential lending rates. A capital and technology upgrading investment programme could be considered for the industry based on viable business plans that are put forward by specific firms to enhance competitiveness. National Treasury would have to support any proposed capital and technology upgrading investment programme.

The dti seeks to address legitimate business concerns at all times. As already mentioned, any decision to amend the IP system, whether legislative or otherwise, will be made on the basis of the cost benefit analysis that is currently under way.

**Extension of limited advantages of the duty credit certification scheme for textile industry**

1547. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether his department is considering to extend the limited advantages of the duty credit certification scheme for the textile industry that comes to an end in March 2007; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2044E

amount is available for this from the sponsors.

In 2006, the National Ports Authority provided the venue for the Minister's post budget cocktail party and about R18 743 was used to mark the event for 150 people.

**Department/parastatals obtaining sponsorships**

1671. Mr I F JULIES (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether, in respect of each of the two years including 2006, his department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2231E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

During 2004-05, the dti received 26 sponsorships to the value of R1 494 million. Details of the sponsorships, including the organisation from which it was received, the amount thereof, and the purpose for which it was received and used, are indicated in Annexure A

During 2005-06, the dti received 25 sponsorships to the value of R1 779 million. Details of the sponsorships, including the organisation from which it was received, the amount thereof, and the purpose for which it was received and used, are indicated in Annexure B.

Please note that these sponsorships were also disclosed as part of the Annual reports and Annual financial statements of the dti for the respective years, as part of the *Statement of Gifts, Donations and Sponsorships*.

**Annexure A**

**National Department of Trade and Industry — Vote 32**

**STATEMENT OF SPONSORSHIPS RECEIVED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2005**

R'000

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| NOVELL | Barcelona — Attend Novell BusinessShare /Government Share Europe 2004 — Flights, food and accommodation | 12 |
| Dimension Data | Visit sites in Europe — Nortel voice over Internet Protocol — Flight costs, accommodation and daily allowance | 50 |
| World Trade Organisation (WTO) & Doha Development Agenda Trust fund | Attending WTO Regional Seminar — Air tickets, accommodation and daily allowance | 15 |
| World Trade Organisation (WTO) | Attending WTO workshop on Domestic Regulations in the GATS in Geneva — Air ticket, accommodation ) | 20 |
| World Health Organisation (WHO) | Attending the first meeting of the Commission on Intellectual Property Rights — Air ticket | 20 |
| Department of Foreign Affairs | Participate in the Inter-departmental Fact Finding Mission to the Sudan — Accommocation and the flight ticket | 20 |
| Denel | Inward delegation from Nigeria for the Bi-national Commission between the two countries — Co-host the Business Forum — Hosting of a gala dinner | 60 |

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The Motor Industry Development Programme was originally developed to support on-road people transportation vehicles. The manufacturer's equipment was previously classified as off road equipment, but due to a change in classification it was re-classified as on-road equipment and therefore became a beneficiary of the MIDP. A motivation for the possible future exclusion of the equipment from the MIDP would be to ensure that the original objectives of the MIDP are enforced.

It is important to note that the "exclusion" here refers to a certain class of vehicles, namely Articulated Dumper Trucks and is not necessarily company-specific. Therefore all manufacturers of ADTs would be excluded.

(2) No manufacturer can take an incentive programme to the WTO. The WTO is an intergovernmental organisation. Only countries that are WTO Members are permitted to take other WTO Members through the dispute settlement procedures. However, any company is free to raise a specific issue with their government for a decision on whether to take the matter to the WTO.

**Regulations governing the operations of IDZs being revised**

1640. Mr E W TRENT (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the regulations governing the operations of industrial development zones (IDZs) are being revised, if so, when is it anticipated that the revisions will be gazetted;

(2) whether he supports the principle of allowing IDZs to have satellite zones in areas outside the areas of their demarcation, if not, why not, if so, under what circumstances will this be permitted? N2199E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The process of amending the IDZs regulations have been finalised, followed by a gazette notification of the amended regulations on the Notice No. R.1065 in the Regulation Gazette No. 8569 as published in the *Government Gazette* No. 29320 of 27 October 2006.

(2) Yes, satellite zones to IDZs will be allowed on exceptional cases given the following reasons:

(a) Should the designated site grow smaller due to high rate of industrial development and land take up,

(b) If the newly proposed industrial activity poses some environmental hazards within or around the current/existing demarcated IDZ, a satellite zone can be recommended.

**Department/parastatals obtaining sponsorships**

1664. Mr J J M STEPHENS (DA) asked Minister for Public Enterprises:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, his department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2224E

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

The Department of Public Enterprises did receive sponsorship in the past two years including 2006.

In 2004, Transnet and Eskom sponsored the Minister's Budget Vote luncheon — no

**Annexure B**

## National Department of Trade and Industry — Vote 32

## STATEMENT OF SPONSORSHIPS RECEIVED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2006

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| Australian Development Scholarship | Study scholarship in Australia | 211 |
| World Trade Organisation | WTO symposium on Cross-border Supply of Services, held in Geneva, Flight tickets, accommodation and daily allowance | 16 |
| OPCW Technical Secretariat | Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons Assistance team to assist Zambian Government — travel, accommodation and daily allowance | 5 |
| Department of Art & Culture | Intergovernmental Experts on the Preliminary draft convention on the protection of the Diversity of the Cultural contents act — all costs | 15 |
| United Nations Conference on Trade and Development — [UNCTAD] | Workshop in WTO negotiation on Trade Facilitation, GATT — travel expenses | 7 |
| SADC — Commonwealth Secretariat | Attending the SADC Trade Experts workshop on SPS and TBT issues in EPA negotiations — Cost of training and accommodation | 32 |
| Trade Law Centre for Southern Africa [TRALAC] | Services meeting held by TRALAC in Lesotho — cost of travel, accommodation and meals | 1 |
| World Trade Organization | WTO Regional Workshop on Market Access Negotiations on Non-Agricultural Products — Training, air fare and accommodation | 16 |
| Ford Foundation | Participating in the scholarship programme toward an MSC Energy Studies | 69 |
| UNCTAD | SADC Trade Services workshop in Geneva — Flights and per diem for two South African officials | 10 |
| MOFCOM — Ministry of Commence of People's Republic of China" | Attend seminar on China's market economy development — Flight cost, meals, accommodation and transportation as well as US$200 transfer subsidy | 48 |
| World Trade Organisation | Attend the WTO Trade Policy course in Geneva — Air ticket, accommodation & daily subsistence allowance | 56 |
| Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons [OPCW] | Attendance of the Basic course for Personnel from National Authorities of Chemical Weapon Conven — Flight cost and accommodation | 20 |
| Nelson Mandela Fund | Scholarship at the Sussex University | 208 |
| British Council | Scholarship at the University of Warwick — UK | 71 |
| Regenesys School of Public Management | Scholarship at the Regenesys School of Public Management | 35 |
| GODISA Trust [Innovation and Technology] | Attending of NBIA Conference in Baltimore, USA — Hotel accommodation and conference registration fee | 12 |

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| Telkom | Inward delegation from Nigeria for the Bi-national Commission between the two countries — Co-host the Business Forum — Entertainment | 20 |
| Blacktop | Hosted a preparation meeting between government institutions and private sector — Bi-national Commission with Nigeria — Sponsor a Zulu Cultural group to perform at this event | 6 |
| Organisers of the training event | Attend a training course offered to developing countries — World Expo 2005 in Aichi, Japan | 189 |
| Organisation of the prohibition of Chemical Weapons (OPCW) | Attended the Second Regional meeting of the National Authorities of Chemical Weapons Convention State Parties in Africa — flight cost and accommodation | 6 |
| GODISA Trust — | Attendance of one official — 5 day incubator conference in the USA — travel, accommodation, conference and study tour fees | 25 |
| European Patent Office | Attending of the Innovation Support Intellectual Property for the SMME's Seminar — Airfares, hotel accommodation, transport and allowances | 12 |
| AusAid | Study scholarship in Australia — Master Environmental studies and MBA — Scholarships | 169 |
| International Law Development Organisation | Attend seminar — Tuition fee, Accommodation and daily allowance | 35 |
| German Authorities | Attend information sharing tour of Germany — Accommodation, meals and short distance travel within Germany | 8 |
| Micro Finance Regulatory Council | Attending information sharing tour of Germany — Accommodation, meals and short distance travel within Germany | 8 |
| Dinersclub | Sponsorship of the International Investment Council event — dinner | 125 |
| Nandos | Sponsorship of the International Investment Council event — Golf day at Steenberg Golf Estate | 80 |
| Nandos | Sponsorship of the International Investment Council's golf day — Green fees, carts, caddies, shirts, caps, towels, balls, pitch repairers, prizes, food and drinks | 61 |
| Dimension Data | Sponsorship of the International Investment Council's Golf day — Green fees, carts, caddies, shirts, caps, towels, balls, pitch repairers and prizes | 42 |
| BMW SA | Provide 12 BMW cars for the President's International Investment Council's Golf day | 91 |
| Organisers of SISE 2004 — International Travel to Tunisia — | Follow-up on President's visit and re-present the dti at the SISE 2004 exhibition — flight and accommodation | 14 |
| African Equitions (through SACTWU) — | Attending the Fashion Festival 2004 — Hotel accommodation and air tickets ) | 15 |
| Nelson Mandela Fund | Scholarship at the Sussex University | 292 |
| British Council | Scholarship at the University of Warwick - UK | 99 |
| **Total** | | **1 494** |

(c) No Spoornet passenger coaches are currently on lease to any railway companies in Africa.

(2) The information cannot be made available because is commercially sensitive.

(3) Considering the need to ensure efficient rail operations within South Africa and in view of the constraints to maintain Spoornet locomotives on international leases, Spoornet's management has decided to terminate current agreements for international leases.

The decision has already been effected, and effectively the earlier lease agreements with SNCC (Democratic Republic of Congo) and CFCO (Congo Brazzaville) have been terminated accordingly. Further, the Sudan Railway Corporation has been advised of the termination of the lease agreement on eighteen (18) Class U20C and U18 Spoornet locomotives still in Sudan.

A total number of five Spoornet locomotives are still in Swaziland on a lease. These locomotives are exclusively utilised in Swaziland to facilitate international rail traffic between Swaziland and South Africa.

**SABC paying for story on SABC CEO**

1814. Mr R COETZEE (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

(1) Whether, with reference to the June 2006 edition of Leadership Magazine, the SA Broadcasting Corporation paid any monies to the magazine for the cover story on the Chief Executive Officer of the SABC (name furnished); if so, (a) how much money was paid in this regard, (b) from which budget was the money appropriated, (c) who was responsible for the decision to pay for the publication of the story, (d) what reasons were put forward to justify the decision to spend money in this regard and (e) what is her department's position on parastatals using public money for personal publicity;

(2) whether the SABC approached this magazine to publish the story; if not, what is the position in this regard; of so, what are the relevant details?

N2390E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

The Chief Executive Officer of SABC informed me as follows —

(1) (a) Leadership Magazine was paid approximately R123 000.

(b) The money came out of the Corporate Marketing and Public, International & Regulatory Affairs budgets respectively.

(c) The authorisation came from Ms Phumelele Ntombela-Nzimande (Group Executive: Public, International & Regulatory Affairs.

(d) The article provided the SABC an opportunity to further communicate the new corporate strategy of "Total Citizen Empowerment" and to focus on the new vision the organisation has recently adopted.

(e) The article was not personal publicity for Adv Dali Mpofu. The only question that focuses on him as an individual was the first question in the article and presumably it was done to give readers, who might not be familiar with Adv Mpofu, an opportunity to know the person who is at the helm of an important public institution such as SABC. This is normal in organisational communication and does not amount to personal publicity.

(2) It was the magazine which approached

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| Government of Brazil | Participate in the International off set seminar and deliver a paper on the South African off-set policy — Return flight ticket and accommodation | 9 |
| Ausaid Scholarship | Study scholarship in Australia | 552 |
| SIDA & WIPO | Travelling and daily allowance for SIDA training | 4 |
| SIDA & WIPO | Airfare and accommodation | 25 |
| Australian Development Scholarship | Study scholarship in Australia | 204 |
| Ausaid Scholarship | Study scholarship in Australia | 51 |
| Ausaid Scholarship | Study scholarship in Australia | 76 |
| Trade Facilitation Office, Canada | Sponsorship of Trade Facilitation Office, Canada — Air ticket and accommodation | 26 |
| **Total** | | **1 779** |

**Handing over of management of the Castle of Good Hope**

1691. Mrs D VAN DER WALT (DA) asked the Minister of Arts and Culture:

Whether his department has taken any steps to ensure the handing over of management of the Castle of Good Hope to his department; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2269E

The MINISTER OF ARTS AND CULTURE:

Yes. My department is engaged in discussions with the Department of Defence to ensure the transfer of the management of the Castle of Good Hope to the Department of Arts and Culture.

As the current legislation (Castle Management Act of 1993) is administered by the Department of Defence, that department had drafted a Cabinet Memorandum, containing a Repeal Bill to repeal the Castle Management Act.

A due diligence exercise is also being conducted to ascertain the implications of all the assets and liabilities that my department will be taking over. This exercise is still in progress.

My department will initiate processes of incorporating the Castle into its own legislation as soon as the two processes mentioned above are finalised.

**Rolling stock on lease outside borders**

1741. Mr. S B FARROW (DA) asked Minister for Public Enterprises:

(1) How many (a) locomotives, (b) wagons and (c) coaches are currently on hire or lease to countries outside our borders;

(2) (a) what is the (i) duration and (ii) conditions of these leases in respect of each country and (b) what revenue do these leases generate in respect of each category of rolling stock;

(3) whether, in light of the acute shortage of rolling stock in the country, he would consider terminating some of these leases where feasible to accommodate the shortage in South Africa? N2322E

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

(1) (a) Six Class 34 locomotives are currently on hire to Swaziland, and twelve Class U20C and six Class U19 locomotives are currently on hire to other African countries.

(b) No Spoornet rail wagons are currently on lease to any foreign railway administration.

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Appointment *re* SMS positions: performance contracts

1564. Mr M SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

(1) (a) Which appointments in respect of senior management positions (levels 13-16) in her department (i) are subject or (ii) not subject to the signing of performance management contracts and (b) what are the reasons for the distinction in each case;

(2) what was each incumbent's annual remuneration in each of the past five years for which information is available;

(3) whether they received any performance bonuses; if not, why not; if so, (a) what amount was paid in each case and (b) what criteria were used for the determination and payment of performance bonuses;

(4) whether those criteria matched the performance contracts of the relevant employees; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, how did the relevant employees perform in terms of those criteria? N062E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(1) (a)(i) and (ii) All members of Senior Management Services (SMS) are required to sign and enter into Performance Agreements as provided for in the Public Service Regulations 2001, as amended and the Senior Management Services Handbook and therefore, no distinction is made.

(2) As per Annexure A.

(3) Yes. The members received performance bonuses for the 2002-03 financial year only, as per Annexure B. (a) The amount paid to each SMS member is also contained in Annexure B.

(b) (i) Members of SMS should have entered into a Performance Agreement with the Department, (ii) an exemplary manner in which they were performing their duties, (iii) non-receipt of a salary notch increment since April 1998 due to the withdrawal of the salary notch increment system; and (iv) a lower salary level as per their current salary bands — after a long period of dedicated service.

(4) No. The then Minister approved 4% across the board payment as performance bonuses to all SMS members. The payments were thus not done in terms of performance contracts signed by managers, and their individual performance could not be determined as a result.

However, as stated at (3) above, the department is currently in the process of reviewing all SMS members to establish their performances in terms of the business plans submitted for each of their respective branches/business units, which will ensure the effective delivery of objectives as outlined in the strategic plan of the Department of Home Affairs as well as to correctly assess each SMS member against the criteria of each member's signed performance contract.

| *NAME* | *RANK* | *DATE OF ENTRY INTO RANK* | *SALARY PROGRESSION* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* | *2006* |
| Ms D Kloka | Director | 1/12/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R453 147 |
| Dr J Carneson | Chief Director | 19/3/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R575 183 |
| Mr T B Raseroka | Director | 1/5/2004 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Mr C Sols | Chief Director | 1/3/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Ms D J Masango | Director | 1/1/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R473 991 |
| Ms E C Beukes | Director | 1/5/2004 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Mr L N Sibuyi | Director | 1/10/2004 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R503 541 | R533 754 | R558 306 |
| Ms N Gantsho | Director | 7/3/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Mr. M J J Mashapu | Director | 1/9/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R297 276 | R473 991 |
| Mr. M E Noosi | Chief Director | 18/10/2004 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R542 451 | R574 998 | R601 449 |
| Mr. W R Makokomale | Director | 1/2/1995 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms T N Shilowa | Director | 1/2/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms N G Momoti | Director | 1/10/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms N N Mosoeu | Director | 1/5/2003 | Not applicable | R401 406 | R427 497 | R453 147 | R503 067 |
| Ms O Diseko | DDG | 1/9/2004 | R437 787 | R472 809 | R611 064 | R647 727 | R677 523 |
| Ms J Naidoo | Chief Director | 15/4/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R566 682 |
| Mr. D Erasmus | Director | 1/3/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms M K Kgang | Director | 1/5/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms C T Khumalo | Director | 1/12/2003 | Not applicable | R401 406 | R427 497 | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms P A Mazomba | Director | 1/3/2004 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R453 147 | R479 991 |
| Mr R Oppelt | Director | 1/7/2004 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R488 154 | R510 609 |

**ANNEXURE A**

## ANNUAL REMUNERATION OF SMS MEMBERS FOR THE PERIOD 2002 TO 2006

## HOME AFFAIRS

| *NAME* | *RANK* | *DATE OF ENTRY INTO RANK* | *SALARY PROGRESSION* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* | *2006* |
| Ms M B Mgxashe | Director | 1/8/1997 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. Y Simons | Chief Director | 1/3/2006 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R558 306 |
| Mr. M V Mabunda | Director | 1/5/1998 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. H J Steyn | Director | 1/11/2000 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. J C Fick | Director | 1/2/2001 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Ms L Marais | Control Data Technologist | 1/9/1999 | R298 836 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Ms M S M Shemmans | Director | 1/4/1998 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Ms T M Sefanyetso | Chief Director | 1/1/2005 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R427 497 | R533 754 | R558 306 |
| Mr. L S Myataza | Director | 1/5/1998 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. K S Mogotsi | Director | 1/10/1999 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. R Ndema | Chief Director | 1/12/2004 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R503 541 | R533 754 | R558 306 |
| Mr. J R Chavalala | Deputy Director-General | 1/11/2004 | R437 787 | R472 809 | R611 064 | R647 727 | R677 523 |
| Ms L S M Makola | Chief Director | 1/10/2004 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R503 541 | R533 754 | R558 306 |
| Mr. W J Krige | Director | 1/2/1997 | R382 902 | R413 535 | R447 018 | R473 838 | R495 636 |
| Mr. S D M Mamabolo | Director | 1/12/1997 | R382 902 | R413 535 | R447 018 | R473 838 | R495 636 |
| Mr. W E Delport | Director | 1/12/1995 | R382 902 | R413 535 | R447 018 | R473 838 | R495 636 |
| Mr. G Reyneke | Director | 1/12/1995 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |
| Mr. C E Kritzinger | Director | 1/12/1995 | R382 902 | R413 535 | R447 018 | R473 838 | R495 636 |
| Mr. R S S Zitha | Director | 1/11/2000 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R433 908 | R459 942 | R481 098 |

| *NAME* | *RANK* | *DATE OF ENTRY INTO RANK* | *SALARY PROGRESSION* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* | *2006* |
| Mr S V Mkhize | Chief Director | 1/7/2006 | R371 673 | R401 406 | R427 497 | R459 992 | R558 306 |
| Ms L S Afilaka | Director | 1/3/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Mr J S Monedi | Director | 1/4/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Mr P J Mamabolo | Chief of Staff | 16/1/2006 | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | R427 497 | R453 147 | R566 682 |
| Ms C Mosana | Director | 20/9/2005 | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | Not Applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms N T Mnyaka | Director | 1/11/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R488 154 | R473 991 |
| Mr G G Mabulu | Director | 26/6/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Ms Y Makhasi | Director | 6/12/2004 | R400 386 | R432 417 | R427 497 | R427 497 | R473 991 |
| Mr M A M Macala | Chief Director | 1/5/2004 | R400 386 | R432 4174 | R503 541 | R533 754 | Not applicable |
| Mr K R Malatji | Chief Director | 1/4/1998 | R437 787 | R472 809 | R511 095 | R511 095 | Not Applicable |
| Mr J S Du Plessis | Chief Director | 1/12/1993 | R471 615 | R509 343 | R542 451 | Not applicable | Not Applicable |
| Mr I Lambinon | Deputy Director-General | 1/11/1993 | R547 320 | R591 105 | R638 967 | Not applicable | Not Applicable |
| Mr M D Tlhomelang | Director | 1/7/1997 | R382 902 | R413 535 | R447 018 | R473 833 | Not applicable |
| Mr J P Fraser | Deputy Director-General | 1/1/1983 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R647 727 | Not applicable |
| Mr M J Maqetuka | Director-General | 16/3/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R834 252 | R834 252 |
| Mr B P Gilder | Director-General | 1/2/1995 | Not applicable | R738 993 | R787 029 | R834 252 | Not applicable |
| Mr K H Hlahla | Deputy Director-General | 1/10/2002 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R611 064 (Promotion) | R647 727 | Not applicable |

**NB: This list includes all SMS Members in DHA**

| *NAME* | *RANK* | *DATE OF ENTRY INTO RANK* | *SALARY PROGRESSION* | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* | *2006* |
| Ms T T H Kgasi | Director | 1/7/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Mr P K Nkambule | Chief Director | 1/4/2005 | R451 017 | R487 098 | R518 760 | R647 727 | R677 523 |
| Mr M G Gorekwang | Director | 1/1/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R473 991 |
| Mr A S Ngwenya | Director | 1/4/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Mr N N Ramashiya | Chief Director | 1/6/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Mr L T Sigama | Director | 1/2/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 294 |
| Ms B J Mkhwebane-Tshehla | Director | 1/6/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Mr A S Goosen | Director | 1/1/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Mr R V Abrams | Director | 1/3/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R473 991 |
| Ms A R Ledwaba | Director | 1/7/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Mr G Ntlakana | Chief Director | 10/1/2005 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R533 754 | R558 306 |
| Mr Z O Cleophas | Chief Director | 19/5/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Ms F N Motsistsi | Director | 1/7/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Ms T Cele | Deputy Director-General | 1/11/2000 | R531 267 | R573 768 | R611 064 | R647 727 | R677 523 |
| Mr M D Moloi | Chief Director | 1/4/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Mr S Hancock | Chief Director | 3/3/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R453 147 | R558 306 |
| Mr B S Mayekiso | Chief Director | 23/3/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Mr M Maqula | Chief Director | 1/7/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R558 306 |
| Ms N J Lusu | Director | 1/4/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | R473 991 |
| Ms Y T Mkalipi | Chief Director | 1/4/2006 | Not applicable | Not applicable | R427 497 | R453 147 | R558 306 |

that the fixed assets register does not reconcile to the general ledger, she has taken any steps to ensure that every cent is accounted for; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N2261E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(1) Yes. In its pursuit to improve its effectiveness in the collecting of monies owed, the Government Printing Works (GPW) had embarked on an exercise to revise its procedures regarding debt collection. A separate section (the Debt Collections Section) had been created in the Debtors Office, which will ensure a better Debt Collecting Function. With the new procedures put in place, a better collection of outstanding debt had been assured. This new section is now responsible for revenue allocation (within the GPW) from revenue received and to also ensure that Government Departments / Corporate Clients, to which services had been rendered, are timeously supplied with remittance advices for the services rendered.

Initially, this new section had been capacitated with three staff members to assist The Debtors Office with the collection of monies owed. By taking cognisance of the magnitude of the outstanding debt, the Debt Collections Section had been expanded as well as capacitated with additional staff members.

Now, on a monthly basis, letters of confirmation of outstanding debt and outstanding balances as well as letters demanding payment of the outstanding amounts by Government Departments / Corporate Clients are forwarded to the respective Chief Financial Officers of the said Departments / Clients. A last improvement which had been put in place is the separation of "old" debt from "new" debt / recently incurred debt as from 1 September 2006. This step facilitates the effective management of outstanding debts.

(2) Yes. It must be noted that the assets which had been written off in the 2005-06 were processed erroneously resulting in incorrect journal entries. Subsequently, a proper reconciliation had been done for the 2006-07 financial year to ensure that all assets have been accounted for. All journal entries regarding assets will in future be scrutinised and approved by a senior staff member to ensure that the correct procedures are being followed.

**TV programme uncovering large-scale corruption at offices of department**

1726. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

(1) Whether her attention has been drawn to the *Special Assignment* programme which was broadcasted on Tuesday 31 October 2006 that uncovered large scale corruption at a number of offices of her department; if so,

(2) whether her department has taken any steps against the officials implicated in these illicit acts; if not, why not; if so, what steps;

(3) whether these officials have been criminally charged; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) since the release on 18 July 2005 of a report by her department on corruption and misconduct, (a) how many Home Affairs officials have been found guilty of corruption up to 31 October 2006 and (b) what steps were taken against each of these officials;

(5) whether, in light of this *Special Assignment* programme, she will make a statement on the success of her department's (a) anti-corruption system, (b) disciplinary procedures,

**ANNEXURE B**

## SMS MEMBERS WHO RECEIVED PERFORMANCE BONUSES FOR THE PERFORMANCE CYCLE 2002/2003

| | *NAME* | *RANK* | *DIRECTORATE* | *CATEGORY* | *AMOUNT IN RAND* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | J R Chavalala | Chief Director | Civic Services | B (4%) | 18 912,36 |
| 2. | M A M Macala | Director | Ministry | B (4%) | 17 296,68 |
| 3. | K R Malatji | Chief Director | Legal Services | B (4%) | 18 912,36 |
| 4. | J S du Plessis | Chief Director | Human Resources | B (4%) | 20 373,72 |
| 5. | I Lambinon | DDG | DG's Office | B (4%) | 23 644,20 |
| 6. | M B Mgxashe | Director | Western Cape | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 7. | Y Simons | Director | Northern Cape | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 8. | M V Mabunda | Director | Limpopo | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 9. | H J Steyn | Director | Gauteng East | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 10. | J C Fick | Director | Strategic and Executive Support Services | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 11. | L Marais | Director | Information Technology | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 12. | M S M Shemmans | Director | Logistics | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 13. | T M Sefanyetso | Director | Human Resource Management | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 14. | L S Myataza | Director | Eastern Cape | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 15. | K S Mogotsi | Director | Legal Services | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 16. | R Ndema | Director | Free State | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 17. | L S M Makola | Director | Gauteng West | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 18. | L M D Tlhomelang | Director | Refugee Affairs | B (4%) | 16 541,40 |
| 19. | W J Krige | Director | Financial Administration | B (4%) | 16 541,40 |
| 20. | W E Delport | Director | KwaZulu-Natal | B (4%) | 16 541,40 |
| 21. | C E Kritzinger | Director | Citizenship Travel Documents and Passports | B (4%) | 16 541,40 |
| 22. | G S Reyneke | Director | Identification | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| 23. | S M D Mamabolo | Director | Identity Documents | B (4%) | 16 541,40 |
| 24. | R S S Zitha | Director | Mpumalanga | B (4%) | 16 056,24 |
| | **Total** | | | | **204 333,68** |

### Effectiveness of collecting monies due to the Government Printing Works

1687. Dr S-B HUANG (ANC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

(1) Whether there are any steps to improve the effectiveness of collecting monies due to the Government Printing Works; if not, why not; if so, what steps;

(2) whether, in light of her department's annual report for 2005-06 reporting

Chatsworth Service Point which has to provide all the services rendered by the department.

Despite these challenges, the Chatsworth Service Point is able to produce computerised and computer generated enabling documents to the applicants visiting it. The labour saving devices currently available for the delivery of services are one computer, one printer and one telephone line. A proper queue management system is also in place to effectively regulate members of the public. The Chatsworth Service Point is also serving members of the public from 8:00 until 15:45.

The provincial manager is also currently in the process of identifying more appropriate and suitable accommodation for the Chatsworth Service Point. Once suitable accommodation has been found, the said service point will be housed at the new premises still within the Chatsworth area.

The Chatsworth Service Point has also been upgraded to a fully-fledged district office which will consist of thirteen staff members. Funding for these additional posts has been budgeted for in the new financial year, as from 1 April 2007.

(c) whistle-blowing policy and (d) actions taken against corrupt officials? N2307E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(1) Yes. My attention has been drawn to the *Special Assignment* programme which was broadcasted on 31 October 2006.

(2) & (3) Of all the individuals shown on the *Special Assignment* programme, only one individual has been identified as an employee of the department. The said employee has been suspended pending an investigation which had been lodged and the said investigation is currently still continuing. The Department has further requested the footage from the SABC in order to determine the dates on which the offences were committed before criminal charges can be laid against the individuals and official/s of the department.

(4) (a) A total of 122 officials were found guilty for corruption related offences in the department for the period 18 July 2005 until 31 October 2006.

(b) All 122 officials individually appeared before disciplinary hearings, wherein they were found guilty and subsequently dismissed.

(5) Yes.

(a) It must be mentioned that a Corruption & Fraud Prevention Plan has been developed. It has been introduced and implemented at the department's Head Office as well as in all nine the provinces. Awareness campaigns are also conducted regularly amongst staff members to ensure that they are continuously informed regarding the evils of corruption as well as the consequences thereof.

(b) The department is currently busy with an investigation regarding the possible involvement of other officials in different offices. The investigations are being done in line with the current prescripts regulating discipline and prevention of corruption in the public service.

(c) A Whistle-Blowing Policy has already been developed and has already been introduced to all staff members at the Department's Head Office as well as in all nine the Provinces. The said policy had been introduced to staff members in the form of Workshops that were conducted.

(d) As stated at (4)(b) above, a total number of 122 officials have been dismissed since the release of the report by the Department on 18 July 2005.

**KZN provincial director/manager visiting Chatsworth service point**

1734. Mr V C GORE (ID) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether the KwaZulu-Natal provincial director/manager has visited the Chatsworth service point; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

N2315E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

Yes. The Provincial Manager: KwaZulu-Natal visited the Chatsworth Service Point on 7 September 2006. The visit was for inspection purposes, to meet the staff member at the Service Point, observation of the service delivery systems currently utilised and to identify further challenges which might prevail at the said Service Point.

The current challenges are the fact that the Chatsworth Service Point is housed in the same premises as the provincial department for social development and the fact that there is currently only one staff member of the Department of Home Affairs stationed at the

land and (v) Australia in each of the past five years up to and including 2005? N1608E

The MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND LAND AFFAIRS:

• Agricultural exports

Value (Rand)

Data source: SARS

| *Destination* | *2001* | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| United Kingdom | 2 140 135 605 | 3 226 887 557 | 3 165 688 960 | 3 404 535 772 | 3 444 132 461 |
| Netherlands | 2 053 893 211 | 2 371 341 181 | 2 452 389 204 | 2 757 694 616 | 2 848 392 242 |
| Germany | 766 973 498 | 1 118 121 899 | 1 235 009 874 | 1 202 694 706 | 1 158 512 761 |
| Mozambique | 1 109 690 000 | 1 366 830 000 | 1 272 050 000 | 976 757 000 | 626 025 000 |
| USA | 1 215 144 885 | 989 321 898 | 1 009 964 906 | 1 435 464 824 | 1 036 209 990 |

• Agricultural imports

Value (Rand)

Data source: SARS

| *Source* | *2001* | *2002* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Argentina | 1 585 064 352 | 1 903 304 712 | 1 635 925 082 | 2 877 748 995 | 2 000 239 860 |
| Brazil | 574 951 799 | 1 043 526 372 | 1 041 244 640 | 1 656 159 775 | 2 069 158 622 |
| USA | 761 723 398 | 1 408 173 198 | 1 109 189 428 | 1 392 084 975 | 1 327 927 493 |
| Thailand | 623 795 324 | 647 256 121 | 718 268 070 | 1 202 194 916 | 1 095 700 289 |
| Australia | 713 761 977 | 915 266 619 | 611 007 839 | 860 460 909 | 695 635 487 |

**Information on person who received military medal**

1252. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether a certain person (name furnished) received a general service medal at a military medal parade in Pretoria held on 1 September 2006 or any other date during the past six months; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether the said person has been found guilty of (a) crime and/or (b) faced a departmental disciplinary charge; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether he had been informed thereof at the time of the medal parade on 1 September 2006; if so,

(4) whether he and his department have been informed of the statements made by the said person at the military parade that he would repeat the same offences; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) whether the medal issued to the said person will be withdrawn; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1729E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) Yes. The said person received a general

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Additional synfuel plant and future fuel needs

1048. Ms A M DREYER (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy: *(Interdepartmental transfer on 8 September 2006)*

(1) Whether Sasol receives any incentives in order to invest in an additional synfuel plant; if so,

(2) to what extent will fuels produced locally from coal contribute to meeting the growing future fuel needs of South Africa? N1369E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

(1) Sasol does not receive any incentives in order to invest in an additional synfuel plant.

(2) Depending on the size of the plant that will be built, the proportion of coal based synfuel production will vary. In the event that a refinery of a size equivalent to the current Secunda synfuel plant is built, the proportion of locally produced petroleum will increase to just over 50% (including PetroSA gas-to-liquid operation).

### Contribution of agriculture to GDP

1115. Dr A I VAN NIEKERK (DA) asked the Minister for Agriculture and Land Affairs:

What has (a) primary agriculture and (b) the agro-industrial sector contributed to the gross domestic product in each of the past five years up to and including 2005? N1465E

The MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND LAND AFFAIRS:

(a) The contribution of primary agriculture to value added at basic prices for the past five years is as follows:

| *Year* | *Total value added R'million* | *Contribution of agriculture to value added R'million* | *Contribution of agriculture as % of total value added %* |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2001 | 928 216 | 27 005 | 2,9 |
| 2002 | 1 063 879 | 37 705 | 3,5 |
| 2003 | 1 141 131 | 34 353 | 3,0 |
| 2004 | 1 242 864 | 31 745 | 2,6 |
| 2005 | 1 352 951 | 34 441 | 2,6 |

(b) Stats SA does not compile or publish separate figures relating to the agro-industrial sector, as these are included under the manufacturing sector. However, research in the past has indicated that the broader agro-food complex contributes approximately 14% to the GDP of the country. In this regard agriculture has, and continues to supply raw materials for an expanding number of agricultural processing industries that create output and jobs. Agriculture also creates derived demand for goods and services through its backward linkages with input supply industries. The backward and forward linkages that the agricultural sector has in the economy therefore make it one of the critical sectors for promoting economic growth, equity and employment.

### Value of exported agricultural products

1207. Dr A I VAN NIEKERK (DA) asked the Minister for Agriculture and Land Affairs:

What was the total value of agricultural products (a) exported to (i) the United Kingdom, (ii) the Netherlands, (iii) Germany, (iv) Mozambique and (v) the United States of America and (b) imported from (i) Argentina, (ii) Brazil, (iii) the United States of America, (iv) Thai-

| *No.* | *Type of annual report (a/r)* | *Reporting period* | *Budgeted cost* | *Actual cost* | *Unit cost* | *No. of copies produced* | *No. of copies distributed* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | (c) Castle of Good Hope | 2005-06 | R12 000,00 | R10 773,80 | R10,77 | 1 000 | Parliament (500) National Treasury & Libraries (50) Marketing (450) |

**SEIFSA application and allocations made by NSF**

1365. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

(1) Why was the application of the Steel and Engineering Industries Federation of South Africa (SEIFSA) to the National Skills Fund (NSF) turned down, (b) how many times per annum are allocations awarded by the NSF and (c) what are the reasons for restricting the number of times per annum that allocations are made by this fund;

(2) in respect of the latest specified period of five years for which information is available, (a) what was the total amount in rand of allocations made by the NSF and (b) what was the total (i) surplus or (ii) shortfall of the fund at the end of each financial year? N1899E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

(1) (a) SEIFSA has not followed the procedures used to apply for National Skills Fund as outlined below:

- Two consultants, one of them formerly DoL employee who was Executive Manager responsible for the National Skills Fund and two representatives from SEIFSA requested a meeting slot to test an idea that they were developing and to solicit views from the ESDS Branch. The Department of Labour has to date not received any application for consideration under NSF from SEIFSA.
- The NSF has Nine Funding Windows that are supportive of the current National Skills Development Strategy 2005-2010 developed and recommended by the National Skills Authority social partners. Each of those windows is focused, has criteria, eligibility and a procedure to be followed in requesting proposals. This information is available to all interested parties and SEIFSA chose to ignore them.
- The DoL has just concluded a process under the Scarce and Critical Skills Funding Window wherein SETAs were invited to submit proposals especially around artisans and other priority scarce and critical skills identified in the sector. An amount of R316 million was allocated to the thirteen successful SETAs. MERSETA has not submitted any application to DoL on the scarce and critical skills list.
- SEIFSA has not consulted with their MERSETA where they are highly regarded as a key stakeholder on this project despite being fully aware of the eligibil-

service medal at a military medal parade in Pretoria on 1 September 2006.

(2) (a) Yes. The person was charged and convicted by a civilian court on two counts of fraud relating to a fraudulent BA degree in Communication and a Senior Diploma in Human Resource and Public Relations Management. He was also charged and convicted for possession of an unlicensed firearm and possession of ammunition. On the two counts of fraud he was sentenced to five years imprisonment suspended for a period of five years. On the counts of unlawful possession of a firearm and ammunition, he was fined R5 000.

(b) No. his record of service indicates that the person has not faced a departmental disciplinary charge.

(3) Yes. The convictions and sentence were made known before the medal parade of 1 September 2006.

(4) Yes. The department has taken note of a statement uttered by the said person. The member was confronted about his remarks. He explained the circumstances that led him to be found in possession of an unlawful firearm and ammunition and his subsequent dissatisfaction about those convictions.

(5) No. In view of the fact that the person qualified for the general service medal. In terms of the Presidential Warrant dated 20 August 1993, the medal will not be withdrawn.

**Stats on cost of annual report**

1364. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of his department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to him, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost, (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1873E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

The reply to the above question is set out in the table below:

| *No.* | *Type of annual report (a/r)* | *Reporting period* | *Budgeted cost* | *Actual cost* | *Unit cost* | *No. of copies produced* | *No. of copies distributed* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | (a) DOD | 2004-05 | R150 000,00 | R110 000,00 | R55,00 | 2 000 | 1 800 |
| | (b) Armscor | 2004-05 | R413 400,00 | R265 745,00 | R106,29 | 2 500 | 2 500 |
| | (c) Castle of Good Hope | 2004-05 | R12 000,00 | R12 004,00 | R12,00 | 1 000 | 1 000 |
| 2. | (a) DOD | 2005-06 | R110 000,00 | R150 000,00 | R150,00 | 1 000 | 900 |
| | (b) Armscor | 2005-06 | R331 800,00 | R253 729,95 | R169,15 | 1 500 | Parliament (500) National Treasury & Libraries (50) Marketing (450) |

those funds were locked to existing contracts we carried R1,4 billion in commitments for the 2003-04 financial year.

| | *2002-03 R'000* | *2003-04 R'000* | *2004-05 R'000* | *2005-06 R'000* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Opening balance | 801 918 | 1 074 644 | 1 298 160 | 1 193 551 |
| Surplus | 272 726 | 223 516 | (104 609) | 475 347 |
| Net surplus for the year | 1 074 644 | 1 298 160 | 1 193 551 | 1 672 657 |
| Contracted commitments | 1 156 685 | 1 421 284 | 779 034 | 694 751 |

(b) (i) and (ii) Surpluses and shortfall over the period 2001 to 2005

| *R'000* | *2001-02 R'000* | *2002-03 R'000* | *2003-04 R'000* | *2004-05 R'000* | *2005-06 R'000* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Surplus/deficit (shortfall) | 326 793 | 272 726 | 223 516 | -104 609 | 475 347 |

**Ratification of international instruments**

1745. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Labour: [*349] *(Interdepartmental Transfer on 10 November 2006):*

Whether South Africa has ratified any of the following international instruments directed at protecting migrant worker rights, namely (a) the International Labour Organisation Migration for Employment Convention of 1949, (b) the International Labour Orgnisation Workers Convention of 1975 and (c) the United Nations Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families of 1990; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2103E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

SA has not ratified Convention 97, Migration for Employment Convention (revised) of 1949 and Convention 143, Migrant Workers Convention of 1975. The Migrant Workers Convention has only been ratified by 18 countries and the Migration for Employment Convention has only been ratified by 47 countries.

Ratification entails international obligations for member states which necessitate that national policy, practices and legislation be in full compliance with all aspects of the articles of such a convention. In addition, it also requires regular reporting to the International Organisation concerned on the application of such a convention at the national level.

The Department of Labour would also have to obtain approval from the relevant line-function department, in this case the Department of Home Affairs, to ratify these conventions as they are the lead department that deals with migration issues.

Due to the fluid or changing nature of migration, it has led to fewer ratification by member states as noted on the number of ratifications for the two conventions.

**Charging of fees at the Ysterplaat Air Force Base**

1485. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

With reference to the Africa Aerospace and Defence Exhibition (AAD) held recently at the Ysterplaat Air Force Base, (a) who and/or (b) which structure or committee of his department (i) authorised the use of the base and (ii) granted permission to charge entrance, exhibition and other fees, (c) what was the total revenue for the event from (i) gate takings, (ii) floor space, (iii) inside exhibitions, (iv) outside exhibitions, including aircraft parking and chalets, and (v) other sources, including advertising, and (d)(i) what amount was

ity criteria as they also have a representative on the NSA who was part of the meeting as well.

- Ironically, MERSETA is amongst the Setas that were granted about R77 million under the first NSDS 2001-2005 DoL Three years Strategic Projects that amounted to R1,2 billion. Almost a year passed before they drew the first allocation of R3,9 million.

(b) and (c) NSF funds are allocated on the basis of annual budgets and targets set for the NSF in the NSDS. Disbursements vary according to the approved model for the various funding windows and are informed inter alia by the nature and monetary value of individual projects. For an example, under the Social Development Funding Window (SDFW) disbursements literally happen on a daily basis. On other Funding windows, Requests For Proposals (RFPs) are launched as and when funds are available in the relevant funding window. Where allocations are made and a surplus remains or the expenditure is low in a particular project, the department reallocates the funds and can call for another round of further applications. The number of allocation times is not restricted.

(2) (a) The total allocation made in respect to the last five-year period spanning from 2001-02 to 2005-06 is as outlined below:

| *R'000* | *2001-02* | *2002-03* | *2003-04* | *2004-05* | *2005-06* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Balance b/fwd | 475 125 | 801 918 | 1 074 644 | 1 298 160 | 1 193 551 |
| Income | 589 343 | 802 844 | 930 712 | 1 085 275 | 1 119 710 |
| Expenditure | 262 550 | 530 118 | 707 196 | 1 189 884 | 644 363 |
| Surplus/deficit (shortfall) | 326 793 | 272 726 | 223 516 | – 104 609 | 475 347 |
| Net available | 801 918 | 1 074 644 | 1 298 160 | 1 193 551 | 1 672 657 |

It is important to note that net available funds are also tied to ongoing contracts for which projects have been approved but training has not yet taken place. For example in the year 2002 I launched a group of Strategic Projects (17 of them) with a commitment of R1,2 billion to be implemented over a period of three and half years up to March 2005. As a result of this commitment the National Skills Fund always made sure that it carried over a commitment to make those funds available as and when goals of the project (training) were realised. It is therefore important to note that net available funds are not necessarily available for reallocation. For example although we committed R1,2 billion to 17 Seta projects in February 2002, most of the those funds remained unspent as Setas grappled with setting up the projects. Because

least specified date for which information is available and (b) what were the total amounts spent in each case;

(2) whether support to the SAPS is budgeted for; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

N1958E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) (a)(i), (ii) and (iii) and (b) This information hereunder includes all operations planned and executed by all Joint Tactical HQs in support of the SAPS (Operation Sijper). The format in which the information is consolidated is as follows:

- Joint tactical HQ.
- Duration of operations.
- Units involved.
- Force levels.
- Material support if any.

J Tac HQ KwaZulu-Natal

| *Operation Name* | | *Operation Sijper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of operation | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 20 x ATR Planes |
| Force levels | | 40 992 Mandays |
| Material Sup/Air | | R4 979 222,88 |
| Costs (Material & Mandays) | | R11 055 971,32 |

J Tac HQ Limpopo

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Sijper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 3 x ATR Planes |
| Force Levels | | 2 856 Mandays |
| Material Sup/Air | | R1 738 451,56 |
| Costs (Material & Mandays) | | R2 911 424,52 |

J Tac HQ Mpumalanga

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Sijper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 19 x ATR Planes |
| Force Levels | | 31 055 Mandays |
| Material Sup Air | | R14 663 173,70 |
| Costs incurred | | R14 663 173,70 |

J Tac HQ Free State

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Sijper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 12 x ATR Planes |
| Force Levels | | 11 823 Mandays |
| Material Sup Air Mandays | | R1 278 876,81<br>R4 355 474,00 |
| Costs incurred | | R5 634 350,81 |

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paid to the (aa) SA Air Force, (bb) African Maritime Defence (AMD), (cc) Civil Aviation Authority of SA and (dd) Armscor and (ii) who were the representatives from these parastatals relating to the organisation of the AAD? N1946E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

The national Department of Public Works (NDPW), in accordance with Treasury Regulations, authorised the rental of Air Force Base Ysterplaat facilities against a specified tariff to AAD for the 2006 exhibition.

(b) (i) The Logistics Agency of the Department of Defence requested the authority from NDPW.

(ii) The rental of the facilities to AAD for the purpose of presenting a trade exhibition of mainly South African defence and aerospace related industries was the basis upon which AAD was accorded the right of charging entrance and exhibition fees. This was a prerequisite in order to cover the costs of the services rendered; inclusive of the provision of the additional infrastructure and amenities necessitated by the large number of exhibitors, international delegations, trade and public day visitors.

(c) (i) to (v) The Department of Defence acted in a supportive role to AAD 2006 in accordance with a formal co-operation agreement, which did not include any form of profit sharing other than a cash payment of an amount still to be determined by AAD management. This payment is to be deposited into the National Treasury Fund as stipulated by the PFMA, and is intended as a measure of compensation to the State for the additional expenditure incurred in SANDF transport and accommodation costs associated with supporting the event in Cape Town. The revenue accrued is consequently AAD management information to which the Department of Defence has no insight. The revenue accrued by AAD as well as the financial management thereof is consequently information appertaining to an independent organisation to which the Department of Defence cannot justifiably comment.

(d) (i) No payments were or will be made by AAD to the SA Air Force. Payments have as yet not been finalised to AMD and Armscor pending finalisation of the 2006 finances. No payments are intended to be made to the Civil Aviation Authority of SA, however as the third partner, CAASA (Civil Aviation Association of South Africa) will also be a recipient.

(ii) AMD, CAASA, Armscor and the Air Force were represented on the Policy and Executive Committees, both being chaired by senior CAASA officials. Armscor is the only parastatal involved in the 2006 AAD event with the under mentioned representatives:

Ms N Borotho

Mr N Vlok

Mr H S Thomo

Mr S Mahlango

**Stats on types of material committed to operations in support of the SAPS**

1496. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) (a) How many (i) persons, (ii) specific units and (iii) specified types of material were committed to operations in support of the SA Police Service by each arm of the SA National Defence Force in the 2005-06 financial year up to the

The cost analysis includes personnel (salaries and allowances), material (include rations, fuel and vehicle running costs) and flying hours.

2. Support to the SAPS is budgeted for on a yearly basis, under Operation Stipper and covers personnel costs during deployments (salaries and allowances), material costs (rations, fuel and vehicle running costs) and flying hours.

**Stats on crimes or misconduct of the military police**

1497. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) How many cases within each category of crimes or misconduct that fall within the mandate of the military police to investigate, were reported in the 2005-06 financial year up to the latest specified date for which information is available;

(2) how many of these reported cases were (a) investigated, (b) withdrawn, (c) taken to courts or other tribunals and (d) prosecuted? N1959E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) Statistics of crimes or misconduct that fall within the mandate of the military police to investigate were drawn from the Crime Administration System for the period 1 April 2005 to 30 September 2006 and is herewith attached. Crimes are grouped in main categories and are visible on the enclosed table under the heading "crimes reported", which indicate the total cases reported in each category. Disciplinary offences are grouped separately in a dark blue colour under the same heading.

(2) The table of statistics is divided into two adjacent parts. The statistics on the left of the table indicate cases that were finalised under the investigation period whilst the statistics on the right of the table indicate cases finalised during the adjudication period in military and civilian courts. Cases investigated, detected, withdrawn, and undetected are indicated under those headings and the cases shown in the light blue colour indicate that a case was forwarded to a military or civilian court for prosecution and show the results of the judicial process under the specific headings. The statistics also indicate the total number of cases still on hand under investigation at the various military police offices.

**SANDF stats on members who are HIV positive**

1498. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether the SA National Defence Force has any statistics on members who are HIV positive; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether any steps are being taken to assist HIV-positive members to perform their duties; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether all these members are on antiretroviral drug programmes; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1960E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) Yes. The official figure of HIV prevalence in the SANDF population is 23%. This is a projection based on prevalence and incidence studies that were performed after the Comprehensive Health Assessments performed on more than 10 000 members in 2000. This figure remains valid and there are no facts to substantiate any other percentage. This projection is also based on the figure provided by the National Department of Health, as the SANDF is a mirror image of the population at large. It is important to note that the HIV prevalence in SANDF members

J Tac HQ Eastern Cape

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Stipper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/05/06 | |
| Units involved | | 17 x ATR Platoons |
| Force Levels | | 28 705 Mandays |
| Material Supp/Air | | R1 627 694,10 |
| Costs incurred | | R6 575 040,31 |

J Tac HQ Western Cape

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Stipper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 14 x ATR Platoons |
| Force Levels | | 6 209 Mandays |
| Material Supp/Air<br>Mandays | | R3 803 896,52<br>R2 019 327,10 |
| Costs incurred | | R5 823 223,62 |

J Tac HQ Northern Cape

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Stipper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 14 x ATR Platoons |
| Force Levels | | 11 299 Mandays |
| Material Supp/Air Mandays | | R2 239 991,86 |
| Costs incurred | | R2 239 991,86 |

J Tac HQ North West

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Stipper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 7 x ATR Platoons |
| Force Levels | | 10 174 Mandays |
| Material Supp/Air Mandays | | R2 075 821,72 |
| Costs incurred | | R2 075 821,72 |

J Tac HQ Gauteng

| *Operation Name* | | *Op Stipper* |
|---|---|---|
| Duration of Op | 01/04/05 to 31/03/06 | |
| Units involved | | 10 x ATR Platoons |
| Force Levels | | 13 354 Mandays |
| Material Supp/Air | | R2 229 923,13 |
| Mandays | | R2 250 136,95 |
| Costs incurred | | R4 480 060,08 |

(1) What are the obligations regarding the Defence Industrial Participation of each company involved in the strategic defence packages;

(2) whether all these obligations have been met; if not, (a) why not and (b) what obligations are outstanding;

(3) whether any measures have been taken to ensure that obligations are met; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2027E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) The overarching Defence Industrial Participation (DIP) obligations of the four main contractors to the Strategic Defence Package (SDP) initiative are reflected in the following table. For clarity, it is noted that BAE Systems is the collective main contractor for both Hawk and Gripen programmes, with SAAB assuming line responsibility for the Gripen component. Also presented in the table is the performance against the overarching DIP obligation, measured against the forthcoming review milestone, being 31 March 2007.

| *Project* | *Commitment (Rm)* | *Planned Performance 2007-03-31 (Rm)* | *Actual Performance 2006-09-30 (Rm)* | *Actual vs planned milestone %* | *Performance vs commitment %* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corvette | 2 941 | 1 979 | 1 847 | 93 | 63 |
| Submarines | 1 121 | 747 | 679 | 91 | 62 |
| Luh | 1 194 | 1 194 | 1 075 | 90 | 90 |
| Hawk | 4 252 | 3 616 | 3 475 | 96 | 82 |
| Gripen | 5 050 | 3 130 | 3 427 | 109 | 68 |
| Total | 14 558 | 10 696 | 10 503 | 98 | 72 |

(2) (a) Not all obligations have been met.

(b) The outstanding obligations are indicated in column 5 of the table provided, and indicates that all the contractors excepting SAAB are approaching 90% of the scheduled DIP performance due by 31 March 2007. SAAB, as has consistently been the case, remains well ahead of their scheduled obligations, already having performed to a value of 109% of contacted performance.

This reported performance must, however, be brought into context in terms of the actual timeframes available to each of the contractors to meet his DIP obligations. These are:

(a) Corvette platform (seven years from effective date): 28 April 2007

(b) Corvette combat suite (ten years from effective date): 28 April 2010

(c) Submarines (seven years from effective date): 31 March 2009

(d) Light utility helicopter (seven years from effective date): 31 March 2007

(e) Hawk programme (eleven years from effective date): 31 March 2011

(f) Gripen (eleven years from effective date): 31 March 2012

Hence, to date, none of the obligors has exceeded the allocated contractual timeframe to meet their individual and/or collective obligations. The remaining obligations per programme can be summarised as follows:

deployed to peacekeeping mission areas is zero %.

(2) Yes. life prolonging treatment is provided to patients during the asymptomatic or healthy phase of the HIV infection.

(3) No. The SAMHS provides anti-retroviral treatment to those members whose immune systems have deteriorated to dangerous levels. Anti-retroviral treatment can be accessed through the controlled research environment of the HIV Research Project Phidisa, or the launched HIV treatment facilities that the SAMHS has accredited with the national Department of Health. The SAMHS is part of the national roll-out of ARV treatment. Enrolment and treatment schedules (medication) are determined by the protocol supplied by the national Department of Health.

**Interne ondersoek na sekere vliegongeluk**

1531. Mnr P J GROENEWALD (VF Plus) vra die Minister van Verdediging:

(1) Of, met verwysing na sy antwoord op Vraag 725 op 22 Junie 2005, die interne ondersoek na die vliegongeluk waarin 'n sekere vlieënier (naam verstrek) naby Lichtenburg gesterf het, voltooi is; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, (a) wat die oorsake van die vliegongeluk was en (b) watter voorsorgmaatreëls getref is om soortgelyke ongelukke te voorkom;

(2) of hy 'n verklaring oor die aangeleentheid sal doen? N2024A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Internal investigation into certain flying accident**

1531. Mr P J GROENEWALD (FF Plus) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether, with reference to his answer to Question 725 on 22 June 2005, the internal investigation into the flying accident in which a certain pilot (name furnished) died near Lichtenburg has been finalised; if not, why not; if so, (a) what were the causes of this flying accident and (b) what preventative measures have been taken so as to prevent similar accidents from taking place;

(2) whether he will make a statement on the matter? N2024E]

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) Yes. The internal investigation was completed on 29 July 2005.

(a) The causes of the accident were as follows:

Root cause. The exact cause of the accident could not be determined, but it is most probable that the student lost control of the aircraft and elected to eject.

Cause of the fatal nature of the accident. The ejection seat was serviceable but was used outside the parameters for a safe ejection.

Contributory cause. Poor airmanship.

(b) The following measures have been implemented to prevent similar accidents:

The Officer Commanding Central Flying School Langebaanweg has been instructed to ensure that concerted efforts are made to prepare students for all flights, particularly those students that are marginal performers.

(2) No.

**Obligations regarding the Defence Industrial Participation**

1533. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

**QUESTIONS IN THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AND NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES:** **N2029E**

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/010 | Ms C.M Cakaza | Assault and robbery | R 123 700 | ? |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/011 | Prime reser v Employee Solutions | ? | ? | ? |
| | | (Pty) Ltd | | | |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/019 | Mr J D van Staden | ? | R 25 000 | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/021 | Mr M W Dayimane | Medical claim | R 70 000 | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/059 | L M Sangweni | Assault | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/060 | Thusano engineering and suppliers | Outstanding account | ? | ? |
| | | CC | | | |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/065 | Stonehurst Development | Notice of motion | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/067 | York International (SA) Inc | Outstanding account | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/078 | Lt Z O Qampa | Transfer detached duty | ? | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/080 | J N Koaho | ? | ? | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/094 | Lt Col E Weitz | ? | R 100 000 | ? |
| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/106 | Mr and Mrs Jordaan | Medical claim | ? | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/107 | T T Mabindla | Discrimination | ? | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/132 | Mr S W Zondi | ? | ? | ? |
| 15 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/135 | Mr O S Kekana | Assault | R 200 000 | ? |
| 16 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/136 | Mr S B Nzama | Assault | R 200 000 | ? |
| 17 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/142 | Bagshaw footwear (Pty) Ltd | ? | ? | ? |
| 18 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/147 | Gen S Nyanda | ? | R 2 500 000 | ? |
| 19 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/153 | SANDU | ? | ? | ? |
| 20 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/156 | Maj M A Cindi | ? | ? | ? |
| 21 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/163 | Adm C H D Smart and Two others | ? | ? | ? |
| 22 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/167 | Gen S T Heyns | ? | R 100 000 | ? |
| 23 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/170 | L A Mosingathi | Notice of motion | R 9 237 | ? |
| 24 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/172 | L A Ferreira and Six others | ? | ? | ? |
| 25 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/175 | SA History Archive Trust | ? | ? | ? |

| *Project* | *Commitment (Rm)* | *Actual Performance 2006-09-30 (Rm)* | *Residual DIP obligation (Rm)* | *Remaining DIP performance vs commitment %* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Corvette | 2 941 | 1 847 | 1 094 | 27 |
| Submarines | 1 121 | 679 | 442 | 28 |
| Luh | 1 194 | 1 075 | 119 | 10 |
| Hawk | 4 252 | 3 475 | 777 | 18 |
| Gripen | 5 050 | 3 427 | 1 623 | 32 |
| Total | 14 558 | 10 503 | 4 055 | 28 |

(2) During the initial phase of the SDP process DIP credits were only allowed for work contracted to the commercial manufacturing sector. This was done to directly benefit the local defence-related industry sector that was shedding job opportunities for more than a decade. The industrial success of the SDP initiative was immediately evident in this sector of the RSA industry, resulting an immediate halting of lay-offs with subsequent expansion of the trained workforce in all sectors of the local defence-related industry.

However, with most of the direct work packages contracted that were linked to the acquisition of these packages, specific effort will be required to complete the residual DIP obligations. To this end Armscor, in conjunction with the SA Air Force, Navy and Department of Defence Technology Division have commenced with a skills and technology audit to determine meaningful military requirements that remain to be serviced. These activities will be directed at establishing military skills and capabilities within Department of Defence maintenance facilities to reduce the direct cost of ownership of these ships and aircraft systems. Due to the large component of work contracted and discounted against the approved DIP plans, the transfer of skills and equipment to military personnel and facilities will also be recognised as formal DIP credits.

**Civil claims made against SANDF**

1535. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether any civil claims were made against (a) the SA National Defence Force, (b) the Department of Defence or (c) himself in the 2005-06 financial year up to the latest specified date for which information is available; if so, (a) by whom and (b) what claims were made in each case;

(2) what amounts were (a) claimed and (b) paid out in each case? N2029E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) Yes, civil claims were lodged against the DOD, the SANDF and the Minister of Defence in the 2005-06 financial year.

(2) The relevant civil claims are listed in Enclosures 2 and 3 respectively. (Attached)

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/029 | Mr A Mathebula | Damage to a hired car | R 5 513 | ? |
| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/030 | Mr C Malawi | Damage to a hired car | R 3 437 | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/031 | Mr V B Zambodla | Damage to a hired car | R 959 | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/032 | Mr D Forrest | Damage to a hired car | R 70 | ? |
| 15 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/033 | Mr N A Makgale | Damage to a hired car | R 2 628 | ? |
| 16 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/034 | Mr A Mdekazi | Damage to a hired car | R 442 | ? |
| 17 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/035 | Mr E Penzhorn | Damage to a hired car | R 324 | ? |
| 18 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/036 | Mr W Prins | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 19 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/038 | Department of Transport and Public Works | damage to a truck registered PA 2434 | R 25 000 | ? |
| 20 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/039 | Mr S P Havenga | Damage to a hired car | "R 3,524" | ? |
| 21 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/040 | Mr A M Scott | Damage to a hired car | R 19 | ? |
| 22 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/041 | Mr A Fielies | Damage to a hired car | R 1 488 | ? |
| 23 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/042 | Lt Col R R Iyer | ? | ? | ? |
| 24 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/043 | K RLottering | ? | ? | ? |
| 25 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/046 | Mr G R Marlow | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 26 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/047 | Mr R Barske | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 27 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/048 | Mrs F F Zikalala Hadebe | Claims regarding the death of husband | R 15 000 000 | ? |
| 28 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/049 | Mr J Heathfield | Vehicle accident | R 4 459 | ? |
| 29 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/050 | Col P Q B Simelane | Request for retirement to be | ? | |
| | | | extended to 65 years | | |
| 30 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/051 | WO2 H J Geldenhuys | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/183 | Ms Donna Vos | ? | ? | ? |
| 27 | Total | | | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/152 | N H Baloyi | Alleded unfair labour practice | nil | nil |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/053 | Mr M Lewis | Grievances in terms of the | ? | ? |
| | | | complaints and grievances | | |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/052 | Mr M L Mashike | Unfair dismissal | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/082 | Mr R K Schwartz | Labour dispute | ? | ? |
| 5 | Total | | ? | ? | |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/002 | WO1 M L Segole | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/005 | Col C W Bezuidenhout | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/006 | WO2 F J Neehling | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/007 | A P Winter | Contractual liability | ? | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/008 | Ms Rigaart | ? | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/017 | A M Mosiane | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/023 | L I Mamogale | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/024 | Brig Gen T Z Manyama | Vehicle accident | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/025 | R A Lotriet | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/028 | Rfn M E Magopane | Spectacle claim | R 900 | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 52 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/108 | Mr J R Scott | Damage to a private vehicle | R 1 980 | ? |
| 53 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/113 | Mr T Manyana | Damage to a hired car | R 1 700 | ? |
| 54 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/114 | Mr J Barker | Damage to a hired car | R 360 | ? |
| 55 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/115 | Mr S Langa | Damage to a hired car | R 356 | ? |
| 56 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/116 | Mr J Macalagh | Damage to a hired car | R 5 420 | ? |
| 57 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/117 | Mr G Els | Damage to a hired car | R 690 | ? |
| 58 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/118 | Mr J J Maasdorp | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 59 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/119 | F/sgt M L Kgabale | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 60 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/120 | Mr G Geyser | Damage to a hired car | R 780 | ? |
| 61 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/121 | Mr J Mans | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 62 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/122 | Mr W Prinns | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 63 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/123 | Mr J W Eybers | Damage to a hired car | R 17 219 | ? |
| 64 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/124 | Mr S Shoke | Damage to a hired car | R 1 704 | ? |
| 65 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/125 | Mr F Viljoen | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 66 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/126 | Mr A K Dingwayo | Damage to a hired car | R 1 666 | ? |
| 67 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/127 | Mr Z I Mbiliza | Damage to a hired car | R 152 | ? |
| 68 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/128 | Mr A T Monde | Damage to a hired car | R 3 149 | ? |
| 69 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/129 | Mr J Laubscher | Damage to a hired car | R 62 | ? |
| 70 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/130 | N M Links | Spectacle claim | R? | ? |
| 71 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/131 | Mr S Mbomvana | Damage to a hired car | R 81 420 | ? |
| 72 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/138 | Mr G Harrison | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 73 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/139 | Lt Col S S Knoetze | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/056 | Mr J J Buys | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 33 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/057 | Mr J L Keene and others | Unlawful arrest | R 1 856 877 | ? |
| 34 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/ 061 | Mr Hunt | Damage to a car's window | ? | ? |
| 35 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/064 | L/Cpl M Zokufa | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 36 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/068 | Mr P Maloto | Damage to a hired car | R 126 | ? |
| 37 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/069 | Mr C Nyathi | Damage to a hired car | R 923 | ? |
| 38 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/070 | Mr A M Buthelezi | Damage to a hired car | R 3 572 | ? |
| 39 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/071 | Mr A Mann | Damage to a hired car | R 323 | ? |
| 40 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/072 | Mr J Links | Damage to a hired car | R 500 | ? |
| 41 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/073 | Mr H M Ntoagae | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 42 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/077 | Mr H Herman | ? | ? | ? |
| 43 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/079 | Mr E Noble | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 44 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/081 | Mrs M Bekker | Damage to a private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 45 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/083 | Ls. S Goruknath | Unlawful termination of a medium-term service | ? | ? |
| 46 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/084 | Mr J M Patterson | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 47 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/087 | M Pillay | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 48 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/092 | Khara Hais Municipality | Fuel spill | R 622 | ? |
| 49 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/093 | R S Muller | Spectacle claim | R 2 616 | ? |
| 50 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/097 | G G Collins | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 51 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/098 | K L Mpitso | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 98 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/189 | Mr Z Mbilini | Damage to a hired car | R 152 | ? |
| 99 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/190 | Mr M G P Lekota | Damage to a hired car | R 10 555 | ? |
| 100 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/191 | Ms S Robin | Damage to a hired car | R 3 409 | ? |
| 101 | Total | | | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/062 | Mr D J Cornelissen | ? | ? | ? |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/066 | Mrs T A Nkhulumeni | ? | ? | ? |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/074 | Ms B Potgieter t/a Bell-lu guest house | ? | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/089 | S/Sgt M Venter | Payment of legal fees | ? | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/095 | Cpl P J Gerste | ? | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/103 | F M Damons | ? | R 855 500 | ? |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/104 | Ninian and Lester | ? | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/109 | Group Compass SA | ? | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/110 | Ba-thathe Holdings t/a Fair Cape Farming | Outstanding payment | ? | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/113 | Hlatshwayo | ? | ? | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/141 | G J M Badenhorst | Unfair dismissal | ? | ? |
| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/150 | Lt D Henderson and Sgt G Ramathenyana | ? | ? | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/151 | Canon Automated Office Technology | Outstanding payment | ? | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/157 | B MakolaU | unfair dismissal | ? | ? |
| 15 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/158 | Mr D S du Preez | ? | ? | ? |
| 16 | Total | | ? | ? | |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/014 | T E Maine | Group Life Ins and Pension | ? | ? |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/027 | Mrs T B Ntshaube | Damage to private property | R 49 000 | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 74 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/140 | B J Maya | Reimburse-ment | ? | ? |
| 75 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/143 | Mr C Janson de la Querre | ? | ? | ? |
| 76 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/145 | Cpl G Prince | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 77 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/146 | Ramgold International CC | Confiscated goods | ? | ? |
| 78 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/148 | Mr L J Farisani | False charges | ? | ? |
| 79 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/154 | Ms U Oosthuizen | Damage to private car | ? | ? |
| 80 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/155 | Mr C van Deventer | ? | ? | ? |
| 81 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/160 | P J Jordaan and another | ? | ? | ? |
| 82 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/161 | Mr A P Mbuwana | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 83 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/162 | Capt N G Grous | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 84 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/165 | Ms J N Memela | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 85 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/166 | Dr J Frows | ? | ? | ? |
| 86 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/168 | Ms H N Bhengu | Broken consignment | R 673 | ? |
| 87 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/169 | L/Cpl J L Mohlamme | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 88 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/171 | WO1 J A Hattingh | Outstanding salary | ? | ? |
| 89 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/177 | R E Allingham and five others | Notice of motion | ? | ? |
| 90 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/178 | Capt N Brown | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 91 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/179 | Mr M K G Mohlahlo | ? | ? | ? |
| 92 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/182 | Capt D J Sekade | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 93 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/184 | Mr C Viljoen | Damage to a private car | ? | ? |
| 94 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/185 | Mr P Knoetze | Damage to a hired car | R 12 207 | ? |
| 95 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/186 | M R A Blake | Damage to a hired car | R 650 | ? |
| 96 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/187 | M R A Blake | Damage to a hired car | R 720 | ? |
| 97 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/188 | Mr J M madumbo | Damage to a hired car | R 45 392 | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/003 | Ms N Ndongeni | Unlawful termination of employment | R 100 000 | ? |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/004 | G J van der Merwe | Vehicle accident | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/009 | Mr M A van Tonder | ? | ? | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/012 | A J Davids | ? | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/015 | SASFU | Rejected stop order | ? | ? |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/016 | Rfn T E Z Mlilo | Unfair dismissal | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/018 | Giant Concerts CC | ? | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/026 | Sgt V S Plaatjie | Assault | R 100 000 | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/044 | Mr W van Dyk | Parachuting accident | R 100 000 | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/045 | N I Npyana | ? | ? | ? |
| 12 | Total | | | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/013 | Telkom (Pty) Ltd | Damage to private property | ? | ? |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/020 | Waweth Agency | Wrong Payment | R 30 000 | ? |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/022 | Mr A M P Van den Heede | ? | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/063 | Lt Col Barnard | Salary dispute | ? | |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/075 | Ms Skosana obo unborn child | Allowance for upbringing of child | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/090 | Mr M W G Skosana | ? | ? | ? |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/096 | Mr J Cato | Outstanding payment | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/102 | Mr T D J Masiya | ? | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/111 | Mr C B Hadebe | Vehicle accident | R50 000 | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/134 | Mr A Moeng | ? | R100 000 | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/144 | S G Sambo | Outstanding payment | ? | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/037 | M M Mbanjwa | Unlawful arrest | R 25 000 | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/054 | Cpl M S Chaba | Assault | ? | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/055 | Cpl S B Komani | Unlawful discharge | ? | ? |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/076 | I R Macleod | Damage to private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/085 | Mr N A Lubuzo | Deceased estate | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/086 | Mr M W G Skosana | ? | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/088 | Mr P R Koti | Damage to private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/091 | Mr L kgosana | Unlawful arrest | R 100 000 | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/099 | Haitec Trading | Vehicle accident | ? | ? |
| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/100 | Pte L B Shongwane | ? | ? | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/101 | Pte M C Petje | ? | ? | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/105 | Mr M Landrew | Vehicle calim | ? | ? |
| 15 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/159 | N M Motsoeneng | Shooting incident | R 100 000 | ? |
| 16 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/164 | Mr G Marshall | Damage to private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 17 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/173 | Sani-tech | Damage to toilets | ? | ? |
| 18 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/180 | K O M Cholo | Damage to private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 19 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/181 | L Botha | Damage to private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 20 | Total | | | ? | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/001 | P O W Vermuelen | Medical claim | R 226 116 | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/023 | L I Mamogale | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 8 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/024 | Brig Gen T Z Manyama | Vehicle accident | ? | ? |
| 9 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/025 | R A Lotriet | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/026 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/027 | | | | |
| 10 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/028 | Rfn M E Magopane | Spectacle claim | R 900 | ? |
| 11 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/029 | Mr A Mathebula | Damage to a hired car | R 5 513 | ? |
| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/030 | Mr C Malawi | Damage to a hired car | R 3 437 | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/031 | Mr V B Zambodla | Damage to a hired car | R 959 | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/032 | Mr D Forrest | Damage to a hired car | R 70 | ? |
| 15 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/033 | Mr N A Makgale | Damage to a hired car | R 2 628 | ? |
| 16 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/034 | Mr A Mdekazi | Damage to a hired car | R 442 | ? |
| 17 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/035 | Mr E Penzhorn | Damage to a hired car | R 324 | ? |
| 18 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/036 | Mr W Prins | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/037 | | | | |
| 19 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/038 | Department of Transport and Public Works | Damage to a truck PA 2434 | R 25 000 | ? |
| 20 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/039 | Mr S P Havenga | Damage to a hired car | "R 3,524" | ? |
| 21 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/040 | Mr A M Scott | Damage to a hired car | R 19 | ? |
| 22 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/041 | Mr A Fielies | Damage to a hired car | R 1 488 | ? |
| 23 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/042 | Lt Col R.R Iyer | ? | ? | ? |
| 24 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/043 | K R Lottering | ? | ? | ? |
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| 25 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/046 | Mr G R Marlow | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 26 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/047 | Mr R Barske | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |

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| 12 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/149 | Mr A Serra | Unfair dismissal | R15 082 600 | ? |
| 13 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/174 | Lt P V Mokhobo | Administrative discharge | ? | ? |
| 14 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/176 | ? | ? | ? | ? |
| 15 | Total | | | ? | ? |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/001 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/002 | WO1 M L Segole | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/003 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/004 | | | | |
| 2 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/005 | Col C W Bezuidenhout | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 3 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/006 | WO2 F J Neehling | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 4 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/007 | A P Winter | Contractual liability | ? | ? |
| 5 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/008 | Ms Rigaart | ? | ? | ? |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/009 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/010 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/011 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/012 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/013 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/014 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/015 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/016 | | | | |
| 6 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/017 | A M Mosiane | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/018 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/019 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/020 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/021 | | | | |
| | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/022 | | | | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 41 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/073 | Mr H M Ntoagae | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 42 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/077 | Mr H Herman | ? | ? | ? |
| 43 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/079 | Mr E Noble | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 44 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/081 | Mrs M Bekker | Damage to a private vehicle | ? | ? |
| 45 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/083 | Ls S Goruknath | Unlawful termination of a medium-term service | ? | ? |
| 46 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/084 | Mr J M Patterson | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 47 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/087 | M Pillay | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 48 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/092 | Khara Hais Municipality | Fuel spill | R 622 | ? |
| 49 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/093 | R S Muller | Spectacle claim | R 2 616 | ? |
| 50 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/097 | G G Collins | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 51 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/098 | K L Mpitso | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
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| 27 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/048 | Mrs F F Zikalala Hadebe | Claims regarding the death of husband | R 15 000 000 | ? |
| 28 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/049 | Mr J Heathfield | Vehicle accident | R 4 459 | ? |
| 29 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/050 | Col P Q B Simelane | Retirement Extension to 65 | ? | |
| 30 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/051 | WO2 H J Geldenhuys | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
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| 32 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/056 | Mr J J Buys | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 33 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/057 | Mr J L Keene and others | Unlawful arrest | R 1 856 877 | ? |
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| 34 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/ 061 | Mr Hunt | Damage to a car's window | ? | ? |
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| 35 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/064 | L/Cpl M Zokufa | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
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| 36 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/068 | Mr P Maloto | Damage to a hired car | R 126 | ? |
| 37 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/069 | Mr C Nyathi | Damage to a hired car | R 923 | ? |
| 38 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/070 | Mr A M Buthelezi | Damage to a hired car | R 3 572 | ? |
| 39 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/071 | Mr A Mann | Damage to a hired car | R 323 | ? |
| 40 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/072 | Mr J Links | Damage to a hired car | R 500 | ? |

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| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
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| 71 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/131 | Mr S Mbomvana | Damage to a hired car | R 81 420 | ? |
| 72 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/138 | Mr G Harrison | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 73 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/139 | Lt Col S S Knoetze | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 74 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/140 | B J Maya | Reimburse-ment | ? | ? |
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| 75 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/143 | Mr C Janson de la Querre | ? | ? | ? |
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| 76 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/145 | Cpl G Prince | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 77 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/146 | Ramgold International CC | Confiscated goods | ? | ? |
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| 78 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/148 | Mr L J Farisani | False charges | ? | ? |
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| 79 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/154 | Ms U Oosthuizen | Damage to private car | ? | ? |
| 80 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/155 | Mr C van Deventer | ? | ? | ? |
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| 81 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/160 | P J Jordaan and another | ? | ? | ? |
| 82 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/161 | Mr A P Mbuwana | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 83 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/162 | Capt N G Grous | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
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| 84 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/165 | Ms J N Memela | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 85 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/166 | Dr J Frows | ? | ? | ? |

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| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
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| 52 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/108 | Mr J R Scott | Damage to a private vehicle | R 1 980 | ? |
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| 53 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/113 | Mr T Manyana | Damage to a hired car | R 1 700 | ? |
| 54 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/114 | Mr J Barker | Damage to a hired car | R 360 | ? |
| 55 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/115 | Mr S Langa | Damage to a hired car | R 356 | ? |
| 56 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/116 | Mr J Macalagh | Damage to a hired car | R 5 420 | ? |
| 57 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/117 | Mr G Els | Damage to a hired car | R 690 | ? |
| 58 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/118 | Mr J J Maasdorp | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 59 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/119 | F/sgt M L Kgabale | Damage to a hired car | ? | ? |
| 60 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/120 | Mr G Geyser | Damage to a hired car | R 780 | ? |
| 61 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/121 | Mr J Mans | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 62 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/122 | Mr W Prinns | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 63 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/123 | Mr J W Eybers | Damage to a hired car | R 17 219 | ? |
| 64 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/124 | Mr S Shoke | Damage to a hired car | R 1 704 | ? |
| 65 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/125 | Mr F Viljoen | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | ? |
| 66 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/126 | Mr A K Dingwayo | Damage to a hired car | R 1 666 | ? |
| 67 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/127 | Mr Z I Mbiliza | Damage to a hired car | R 152 | ? |
| 68 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/128 | Mr A T Monde | Damage to a hired car | R 3 149 | ? |
| 69 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/129 | Mr J Laubscher | Damage to a hired car | R 62 | ? |
| 70 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/130 | N M Links | Spectacle claim | R? | ? |

## ENCLOSURE 2: CIVIL CLAIMS (EXCLUDING MVA CLAIMS)

| *Serial No* | *By whom/Plaintiff* | *Type of Claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount Paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | P.O.W. Vermeulen | Medical claim | R 226,116 | – |
| 2 | WO1 M.L. Segole | Spectacle claim | R 3,650 | R 3,650 |
| 3 | Ms N. Ndongeni | Unlawful termination of employment | R 100,000 | – |
| 4 | Col C.W. Bezuidenhout | Spectacle claim | R 1,103 | R 1,103 |
| 5 | WO2 F.J. Neethling | Spectacle claim | R 600 | R 600 |
| 6 | A.P. Winter | Contractual liability | R 37,757 | R 37,757 |
| 7 | Ms Rigaart | Damages | R 165 | – |
| 8 | M.A. van Tonder | Electrical shock | R 30,000 | – |
| 9 | Ms C.M. Cakaza | Assault and robbery | R 123,700 | – |
| 10 | Primeserv Employee Solutions (Pty) Ltd. | Contractual Dispute | R 3,381,519 | – |
| 11 | A.J. Davids | Damage to private car | – | – |
| 12 | Telkom (SA) Ltd. | Damage to property (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 13 | T.E. Maine (Josenta Ntholeng) | Pension payment GEPF | R 185,000 | – |
| 14 | SASFU | Rejected stop order | – | – |
| 15 | Rfn T.E.Z. Mlilo | Unfair dismissal | – | – |
| 16 | A.M. Mosiane | Damage to a hired car | R 395 | R 395 |
| 17 | Giant Concerts CC. | Vacation after property sale | – | – |
| 18 | Mr J.D. van Staden | Defamation | R 25,000 | – |
| 19 | Waweth Agency | Outstanding payment | R 30,000 | – |
| 20 | Mr M.W. Dayimane | Medical claim | R 70,000 | |
| 21 | A.M. P. van den Heede | Death of live stock | R 25,000 | R 25,000 |
| 22 | L.I. Mamogale | Spectacle claim | R 1,356 | R 1,356 |
| 23 | Brig Gen T.Z. Manyama | Vehicle accident | R 2,110 | R 2,110 |
| 24 | R.A. Lotriet | Damage to a hired car | R 536 | R 536 |
| 25 | Sgt. V.S. Plaatjie | Assault | R 450,000 | – |
| 26 | Mrs T.G. Ntshaube | Damage to property | R 49,000 | R 49,000 |
| 27 | Rfn. M.E. Magopane | Spectacle claim | R 900 | R 900 |
| 28 | Mr A. Mathebula | Damage to a hired car | R 5,513 | R 5,513 |
| 29 | Mr C. Malawi | Damage to a hired car | R 3,437 | R 3,437 |
| 30 | Mr V.B. Zambodla | Damage to a hired car | R 959 | R 958 |
| 31 | Mr D. Forrest | Damage to a hired car | R 70 | R 70 |
| 32 | Mr N.A. Makgale | Damage to a hired car | R 2,628 | R 2,628 |
| 33 | Mr A. Mdekazi | Damage to a hired car | R 442 | R 442 |
| 34 | Mr E. Penzhorn | Damage to a hired car | R 324 | R 324 |

| *Item* | *File Reference* | *Plaintiff* | *Type of claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
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| 86 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/168 | Ms H N Bhengu | Broken consignment | R 673 | ? |
| 87 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/169 | L/Cpl J L Mohlamme | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
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| 88 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/171 | WO1 J A Hattingh | Outstanding salary | ? | ? |
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| 89 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/177 | R E Allingham and five others | Notice of motion | ? | ? |
| 90 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/178 | Capt N Brown | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 91 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/179 | Mr M K G Mohlahlo | ? | ? | ? |
| 92 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/182 | Capt D J Sekade | Spectacle claim | ? | ? |
| 93 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/184 | Mr C Viljoen | Damage to a private car | ? | ? |
| 94 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/185 | Mr P Knoetze | Damage to a hired car | R 12 207 | ? |
| 95 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/186 | MR A Blake | Damage to a hired car | R 650 | ? |
| 96 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/187 | MR A Blake | Damage to a hired car | R 720 | ? |
| 97 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/188 | Mr J M Madumbo | Damage to a hired car | R 45 392 | ? |
| 98 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/189 | Mr Z Mbilini | Damage to a hired car | R 152 | ? |
| 99 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/190 | Mr M G P Lekota | Damage to a hired car | R 10 555 | ? |
| 100 | CFO/R/505/6/4/05/191 | Ms S Robin | Damage to a hired car | R 3 409 | ? |
| 101 | Total | | | ? | ? |

| *Serial No* | *By whom/Plaintiff* | *Type of Claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount Paid* |
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| 69 | Mr A.M. Buthelezi | Damage to a hired car | R 3,572 | R 3,572 |
| 70 | Mr A. Mann | Damage to a hired car | R 323 | – |
| 71 | Mr J. Links | Damage to a hired car | R 500 | R 500 |
| 72 | Mr H.M. Ntoagae | Notice of motion | – | – |
| 73 | Ms B. Potgieter t/a Bell-lu Guest House | Damages | R 3,060 | R 3,765 |
| 74 | Miss Skosana obo Unborn child | Deceased estate (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 75 | I.R. Macleod | Damage to private car | R 6,904 | – |
| 76 | Mr H. Herman | Salary increase | R 66,600 | – |
| 77 | Lt. Z.O. Qampa | Labour dispute | – | – |
| 78 | Mr E. Noble | Damage to a hired car | R 3,454 | – |
| 79 | J.M. Koaho | Sundry (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 80 | Mrs M. Bekker | Damage to a private vehicle | R 800 | R 800 |
| 81 | Mr K.K. Schwartz & 3 others | Labour dispute | – | – |
| 82 | Ls S. Goruknath | Unlawful termination of a medium-term service | – | – |
| 83 | Mr J.M. Patterson | Spectacle claim | R 3,596 | R 3,596 |
| 84 | Mrs N.A. Lubuzo | Deceased estate | – | – |
| 85 | N.W.G. Skosana | Unlawful withdrawal from course | R 100,000 | – |
| 86 | M. Pillay | Damage to a hired car | R 456 | – |
| 87 | P.R. Koloti | Damage to a private car | R 9,209 | R 8,078 |
| 88 | S/sgt M. Venter | Legal fees | R 2,060 | R 2,060 |
| 89 | Mr M.W.G. Skosana | Unlawful arrest | R 100,000 | – |
| 90 | L. Kgosana | Unlawful arrest | R 100,000 | – |
| 91 | Khara Hais Municipality | Fuel spill | R 622 | R 622 |
| 92 | R.S. Muller | Spectacle claim | R 2.616 | R 2,616 |
| 93 | Lt. Col E. Weitz | Defamation | R 100,000 | – |
| 94 | Cpl P.J. Gerste | Damages | R 50,000 | R 15,000 |
| 95 | Mr J. Cato | Outstanding payment | R 11,500 | – |
| 96 | G.G. Collins | Spectacle claim | R 3,689 | R 3,689 |
| 97 | K.L. Mpitso | Spectacle claim (referred) | – | – |
| 98 | Haitec Trading | Vehicle accident | R 8,339 | – |
| 99 | Pte L.B. Shongwane | Recision of judgement | – | – |
| 100 | M.C. Petje | Benefits claim | R 5,216 | – |
| 101 | Mr T.D.J Masiya | Rank dispute (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 102 | F.M. Damons | Legal costs | R 855 | R 855 |
| 103 | Ninian and Lester | Contractual damages | R 928,506 | – |
| 104 | M. Landrews | Vehicle accident | R 11,313 | R 11,313 |

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| 35 | Mr W. Prins | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | R 340 |
| 36 | M.M. Mbanjwa | Unlawful arrest | R 25,000 | – |
| 37 | Department of Trans and Public Works | Damage to a truck PA 2434 | R 1,400 | – |
| 38 | Mr S.P. Havenga | Damage to a hired car | R 3,543 | R 3,543 |
| 39 | Mr A.M. Scott | Damage to a hired car | R 19 | R 19 |
| 40 | Mr A. Fielies | Damage to a hired car | R 1,487 | R 1,487 |
| 41 | Lt Col R.R. Lyer | Discharge (reinstated) | – | – |
| 42 | K.R. Lottering | Notice of motion (reinstatement) | – | – |
| 43 | Mr W. van Dyk | Parachuting accident | R 100,000 | – |
| 44 | N.I. Npayana | Animal bite | R 10,000 | – |
| 45 | Mr G.R. Marlow | Damage to a hired car | R 2,260 | R 2,260 |
| 46 | Mr R. Barske | Damage to a hired car | R 194 | R 194 |
| 47 | Mrs F.F. Zikalala Hadebe | Claims regarding the death of husband | R 15,000,000 | – |
| 48 | Mr J. Heathfield | Vehicle accident | R 4,459 | – |
| 49 | Col. P.Q.B. Simelane (reinstatement) | Retirement Extension to 65 | – | – |
| 50 | WO2 H.J. Geldenhuys | Spectacle claim | – | – |
| 51 | Mr M.L. Mashike | Unfair dismissal (reinstatement) | – | – |
| 52 | Mr M. Lewis | Grievance | – | – |
| 53 | Cpl. M.S. Chaba | Assault | R 100,000 | – |
| 54 | Cpl. S.B. Komane | Unlawful discharge (reinstatement) | – | – |
| 55 | Mr J.J. Buys | Damage to a hired car | R 387 | R 387 |
| 56 | Mr J.L. Keene and others | Unlawful arrest | R 1,856,877 | – |
| 57 | Mr P.J. Gerber | Money deducted from salary | R 5,191 | – |
| 58 | L.M. Sangweni | Assault | R 400,000 | – |
| 59 | Thusano Engineering & Suppliers CC. | Contractual Dispute | R 200,000 | – |
| 60 | Mr Hunt | Damage to a car's window | R 1,707 | R 1,707 |
| 61 | Mr D.J. Cornelissen | Motor vehicle accident | R 1,635 | – |
| 62 | Lt/Col W.J.L. Barnard | Salary dispute (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 63 | L/Cpl M. Zokufa | Spectacle claim | R 1,314 | R 1,314 |
| 64 | Stonehurst Development | Notice of motion | – | – |
| 65 | Mrs T.A. Nkhulumeni | Pension payment (GEPF will pay) | – | – |
| 66 | York International SA Inc. | Contractual Dispute | R 588,170 | – |
| 67 | Mr P. Maloto | Damage to a hired car | R 126 | R 126 |
| 68 | Mr C. Nyathi | Damage to a hired car | R 926 | R 926 |

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| 142 | Mr C. Janson de la Querre | Unlawful arrest | R 1,000,000 | – |
| 143 | S.G. Sambo | Outstanding payment (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 144 | Cpl G. Prince | Spectacle claim | R 812 | R 812 |
| 145 | Ramgold International CC. | Return of confiscated goods | R 35,000 | – |
| 146 | Gen S. Nyanda | Retirement benefits | R 5,000,000 | R 2,500,000 |
| 147 | Mr L.J. Farisani | False charges | R 2,000,000 | – |
| 148 | Mr A. Serra | Unfair dismissal | R 15,082,600 | – |
| 149 | Lt D. Henderson & another | Damages | R 371,100 | – |
| 150 | Canon and Automated office Tech | Outstanding payment | R 25,796 | – |
| 151 | N.H. Baloyi | Unfair labour practise (promotion) | – | R 40,000 |
| 152 | SANDU | Defamation | R 100,000 | – |
| 153 | Ms U. Oosthuizen | Damage to private car | R 570 | R 570 |
| 154 | Mr C. van Deventer | Damage to vehicle | R 15,589 | – |
| 155 | Maj A.M. Cindi | Review/Labour (no amount claimed) | – | – |
| 156 | B. Makola | Unfair dismissal | – | – |
| 157 | Mr D.S. du Preez | Sundry (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 158 | M.M. Mostoeneng | Shooting incident | R 100,000 | – |
| 159 | P.J. Jordaan and another | Medical claim | R 5,020,000 | – |
| 160 | Mr A. P. Mbuwana | Spectacle claim | R 1,190 | R 1,190 |
| 161 | Capt N.G. Grous | Spectacle claim | R 1,834 | R 1,834 |
| 162 | Adm C.H.D. Smart & 2 others | Application for State Representation | – | – |
| 163 | G. Marshall | damage to a pvt car | R 1,928 | R 1,928 |
| 164 | Ms J.N. Memela | Damage to a hired car | R 88,049 | – |
| 165 | Dr J. Frows | Pension payment | R 72,473 | – |
| 166 | Gen ST. Heyns | Defamation | R 100,000 | – |
| 167 | Ms H.N. Bhengu | Broken consignment | R 674 | R 674 |
| 168 | L/Cpl J.L. Mohlamme | Spectacle claim | R 1,016 | R 1,016 |
| 169 | L.A. Mosingathi | Abnormal living expences | R 9,237 | – |
| 170 | WO1 J.A. Hattingh | Outstanding salary | R 1,000 | R 770 |
| 171 | L.A. Ferreira and 6 others | Labour Dispute | R 23,916,915 | – |
| 172 | Sani-tec | Damage toilets | R 7,296 | R 7,296 |
| 173 | Lt P.V. Mokhobo | Admin discharge (no amount claimed) | – | – |

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| 106 | T.T. Mabindla | Discrimination (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 107 | Mr J.R. Scott | Damage to a private vehicle | R 9,402 | – |
| 108 | Group Compass S A | Contractual damages | R 82,703 | |
| 109 | BA-THATHE HOLDINGS | No claim — opinion | – | – |
| 110 | Mr C.B. Hadebe | Vehicle accident | R 50,000 | – |
| 111 | Sgt S. Nortje | Spectacle claim | R 1,902 | R 1,902 |
| 112 | Mr T. Manyana | Damage to a hired car | R 1,700 | – |
| 113 | Mr J. Barker | Damage to a hired car | R 360 | R 360 |
| 114 | Mr S. Langa | Damage to a hired car | R 356 | R 355 |
| 115 | Mr J. Macalagh | Damage to a hired car | R 5,420 | – |
| 116 | Mr G. Els | Damage to a hired car | R 685 | R 685 |
| 117 | Mr J.J. Maasdorp | Damage to a hired car | R 61 | R 61 |
| 118 | F/sgt M.L. Kgabale | Damage to a hired car | R 8,000 | R 1,011 |
| 119 | Mr G. Geyser | Damage to a hired car | R 780 | – |
| 120 | Mr J. Mans | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | – |
| 121 | Mr W. Prins | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | R 340 |
| 122 | Mr J.W. Eybers | Damage to a hired car | R 17,219 | R 17,219 |
| 123 | MrS. Shoke | Damage to a hired car | R 1,704 | R 1,704 |
| 124 | Mr F. Viljoen | Damage to a hired car | R 340 | R 340 |
| 125 | Mr A.K. Dingwayo | Damage to a hired car | R 1 ,666 | – |
| 126 | Mr Z.I. Mbiliza | Damage to a hired car | R 152 | R 152 |
| 127 | Mr A.T. Monde | Damage to a hired car | R 3,149 | R 3,149 |
| 128 | Mr J. Laubscher | Damage to a hired car | R 62 | R 62 |
| 129 | N.M. Links | Spectacle claim | R 1,052 | – |
| 130 | Mr S. Mbomvana | Damage to a hired car | R 81,420 | R 81,420 |
| 131 | Mr S.W. Zondi | Unlawful arrest | R 750,000 | – |
| 132 | Hlatswayo | Assault | R 100,000 | |
| 133 | Mr A. Moeng | Defamation | R 100,000 | – |
| 134 | Mr O.S. Kekana | Unlawful arrest/Assault | R 200,000 | – |
| 135 | Mr S.B. Nzama | Unlawful arrest/Assault | R 200,000 | – |
| 136 | Mr A.S. James and 2 others | Labour dispute | – | – |
| 137 | Mr G Harrison | Damage to a hired car | R 530 | – |
| 138 | Lt Col S.S. Knoetze | Spectacle claim | R 5,637 | R 5,637 |
| 139 | B.J. Maya | Reimbursement | R 3,822 | – |
| 140 | G.J.M. Badenhorst | Unfair dismissal | – | – |
| 141 | BAG-SHAW Footwear (Pty) Ltd. | Contractual Dispute | R 562,051 | – |

| *Serial No* | *By whom/plaintiff* | *Claim detail* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
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| 6 | Scorpion Lagel Proctec obo S. J. Sebiloane | MVA Damages | R 45,000,00 | R 20,000,00 |
| 7 | Oosthuizen Attorney obo D. Kruger | MVA Damages | R 29,380,00 | R 29,000,00 |
| 8 | Hulley Associates obo T. Vries | MVA Damages | R 10,125,00 | R 14,420,00 |
| 9 | Qwelane Theron & van Niekerk Attorney obo S. E. Masenkane | MVA Damages | R 6,740,00 | R 6,740,00 |
| 10 | Naude's Attorneys obo P. C. Bunyaz | MVA Damages | R 37,457,10 | R 37,457,10 |
| 11 | Outsurance obo N. Palecker | MVA Damages | R 15,991,78 | R 13,510,33 |
| 12 | Nonyane Attorneys obo A. Mashego | MVA Damages | R 29,058,81 | R 24,385,11 |
| 13 | Scheepers Attorneys obo N. M. P. Nyokong | MVA Damages | R 11,944,01 | R 10,477,21 |
| 14 | Boosen Dreyer Inc obo M. A. Motklhaga | MVA Damages | R 23,226,98 | R 23,226,98 |
| 15 | Askew & Associates Inc obo A. Akoomjee | MVA Damages | R 36,139,63 | R 29,405,93 |
| | | Interest | R 7,180,28 | R 7,180,28 |
| 16 | Andre du Plessis Attorneys obo E. Brown | MVA Damages | R 10,950,00 | R 10,950,00 |
| | Hollard Insurance obo M. D. Gazzard | MVA Damages | R 21,721,85 | R 19,054,26 |
| 17 | Ethekwini Municipality | MVA Damages | R 5,384,72 | R 5,384,72 |
| 18 | Hough Bremner Attorneys obo H. de Villiers | MVA Damages | R 15,942,19 | R 13,984,38 |
| 19 | A. Dias | MVA Damages | R 10,547,62 | R 10,547,62 |
| 20 | ABSA obo L. Kiewiet | MVA Damages | R 12,451,88 | R 10,922,71 |
| | Outsurance obo M. A. Mekgoe | MVA Damages | R 16,055,50 | R 17,634,30 |
| 21 | A. M. Molubi | MVA Damages | R 8,351,64 | R 8,351,64 |
| 22 | Grove Deysel Inc obo Sebohona | MVA Damages | R 5,900,00 | R 5,900,00 |
| | | Interest | R 4,145,00 | R 4,145,00 |
| 23 | Chapman Dyer Attorneys obo P. K. Govender | MVA Damages | R 17,378,58 | R 15,244,37 |
| | | Interest | R 2,621,82 | R 2,621,82 |
| 24 | D.M.C.P. Borges | MVA Damages | R 3,881,91 | R 3,881,91 |
| 25 | A. Salie | MVA Damages | R 14,229,58 | R 15,729,58 |

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| *Serial No* | *By whom/Plaintiff* | *Type of Claim* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount Paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 174 | SA History Archive Trust | Information Request (no amount claimed) | – | – |
| 175 | Rfn L.S. Mphela | Sundry (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 176 | R.E. Allingham and five others | Notice of motion | – | – |
| 177 | Capt N. Brown | Spectacle claim | R 2,496 | R 2,496 |
| 178 | Mr M.K.G. Mohlahlo | Notice of motion | – | – |
| 179 | K.O.M. Cholo | damage to private car | R 2,740 | R 2,740 |
| 180 | L. Botha | damage to private car | R 4,923 | R 4,923 |
| 181 | Capt DJ. Sekade | Spectacle claim | R 2,748 | R 2,748 |
| 182 | Ms D. Vos | Discrimination (not quantumised) | – | – |
| 183 | Mr C. Viljoen | Damage to a private car | R 2,150 | – |
| 184 | Mr P. Knoetze | damage to a hired car | R 12,207 | R 12,207 |
| 185 | Mr A. Blake | damage to a hired car | R 650 | – |
| 186 | Mr A. Blake | damage to a hired car | R 718 | R 718 |
| 187 | Mr J.M. Madumbo | damage to a hired car | R 45,392 | R 45,392 |
| 188 | Mr Z. Mbilini | damage to a hired car | R 151 | R 151 |
| 189 | Mr M.G.P. Lekota | damage to a hired car | R 10,554 | R 10,554 |
| 190 | Ms S. Robin | damage to a hired car | R 3,409 | R 3,409 |
| | TOTAL | | R 79,817,575 | R 2,960,373 |

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ENCLOSURE 3: MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT CLAIMS (MVA)

| *Serial No* | *By whom/plaintiff* | *Claim detail* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Honey & Partner Inc obo B. J. Roode | MVA Damages | R 9,800,00 | R 0.00 |
| 2 | Solomon Nicholson Reinart Verster obo PRV Construction | MVA Damages | R 20,529,96 | R 20,529.96 |
| 3 | D. van der Merwe Attorney obo M. G. P. Lekota | MVA Damages | R 7,058,56 | R 6,191,72 |
| 4 | MFW Insurance Brokers obo Halongwane | MVA Damages | R 59,472,18 | R 47,577,74 |
| 5 | Steyn van Rhyn Inc obo E. W. Philander | MVA Damages | R 24,517,22 | R 15,000,00 |

| *Serial No* | *By whom/plaintiff* | *Claim detail* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 55 | N. Jacobsen | MVA Damages | R 14,101,00 | R 7,495,46 |
| 56 | W. R. Lottering | MVA Damages | R 9,529,70 | R 0,00 |
| 57 | G. Mpofu | MVA Damages | R 10,525,01 | R 0,00 |
| 58 | Mfulem Fire Station | Security gate damages | R 6,198,00 | R 6,198,00 |
| 59 | R. P. Mnguni | MVA Damages | R 500,00 | R 500,00 |
| 60 | L. Motlhakane | MVA Damages | R 29,403,07 | R 22,000,00 |
| 61 | Insurance Risk Solutions obo van der Merwe | MVA Damages | R 21,628,17 | R 17,056,99 |
| 62 | Bembe Attorneys obo T. I. Molale | MVA Damages | R 34,000,00 | R 24,000,00 |
| 63 | Alex Bosman Attorneys obo J. Panos | MVA Damages | R 19,165,20 | R 19,842,52 |
| 64 | M. Erasmus Inc obo T. Nkosi | MVA Damages | R 119,043,67 | R 0,00 |
| 65 | J. J. Pretorius | MVA Damages | R 953,04 | R 953,04 |
| 66 | Grimbeek & kie obo S. Bezuidenhout | MVA Damages | R 11,720,00 | R 9,141,60 |
| 67 | Schaefer Inc obo F. M. Tessner | MVA Damages | R 5,231,48 | R 5,231,48 |
| 68 | Maponya Attorneys obo A. M. Maponya | MVA Damages | R 41,000,00 | R 41,700,00 |
| 69 | Slabber Venter Yanoutsos Inc obo H. W. Lawrence | MVA Damages | R 10,000,00 | R 0,00 |
| 70 | Lucas Dysel Crouse Inc obo J. Broekman | MVA Damages | R 28,114,13 | R 24,661,52 |
| 71 | H. R. Abrahams | MVA Damages | R 10,513,86 | R 0,00 |
| 72 | Santam obo Atlas Printers | MVA Damages | R 7,415,01 | R 7,820,18 |
| 73 | H. S. Linden | MVA Damages | R 6,470,00 | R 8,270,00 |
| 74 | SA Eagle obo C. C. Poparcap | MVA Damages | R 9,114,13 | R 6,873,30 |
| | Adams Attorneys obo G. Davis | MVA Damages | R 12,110,77 | R 10,623,44 |
| 75 | E.M. Knorr | MVA Damages | R 3,426,38 | R 3,426,38 |
| 76 | Manson Inc obo G. J. von Vollenste | MVA Damages | R 8,089,77 | R 7,096,29 |
| 77 | C. H. Etzebeth | MVA Damages | R 8,753,09 | R 8,753,09 |
| 78 | V. Ramchand | MVA Damages | R 3,969,48 | R 0,00 |
| 79 | Mutual & Federal obo J. A. Myburgh | MVA Damages | R 11,921,28 | R 10,457,26 |
| 80 | M. P. Magubane | MVA Damages | R 2,000,00 | R 2,000,00 |
| 81 | Meyer & Venter Attorneys obo H. Mudau | MVA Damages | R 26,402,94 | R 26,402,94 |

| *Serial No* | *By whom/plaintiff* | *Claim detail* | *Amount claimed* | *Amount paid* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 26 | T. Tinneli | MVA Damages | R 8,903,14 | R 8,903,14 |
| 27 | Claassens Attorneys obo L. A. Pieterse | MVA Damages | R 15,526,52 | R 15,526,52 |
| 28 | R. Rose | MVA Damages | R 5,640,00 | R 5,640,00 |
| 29 | A Venter & Partners obo Swanepoel | MVA Damages | R 90,738,80 | R 42,967,37 |
| 30 | M. Mahabeer | MVA Damages | R 5,003,25 | R 4,388,82 |
| 31 | Pheiffer | MVA Damages | R 10,038,00 | R 5,019,00 |
| 32 | T. Manaswe | MVA Damages Towing | R 41,600,00 | R 0,00 |
| 33 | A. Scholtz | MVA Damages | R 40,000,00 | R 25,000,00 |
| 34 | D. J. Stuurman | MVA Damages | R 6,696,37 | R 6,696,37 |
| 35 | Weavind & Weavind Attorneys obo Plessey Products | MVA Damages | R 4,069,80 | R 2,223,91 |
| 36 | SA Eagle obo C. Tayfield | MVA Damages | R 8,089,77 | R 8,731,79 |
| 37 | R. V. Richards | MVA Damages | R 2,382,97 | R 2,382,97 |
| 38 | Hotline obo P. Busch | MVA Damages | R 11,773,56 | R 10,327,68 |
| 39 | E. Gumede | MVA Damages | R 50,000,00 | R 0,00 |
| 40 | Masclwanana Gumede | MVA Damages | R 3,317,40 | R 24,956,90 |
| 41 | Brocker Help Insurance obo E. Swanepoel | MVA Damages | R 15,987,87 | R 15,987,87 |
| 42 | Mutual & Federal obo E. C. van Staden | MVA Damages | R 7,660,73 | R 7,660,73 |
| 43 | Tlhatlha Attorneys obo J. B. Baloyi | MVA Damages | R 59,440,00 | R 59,440,00 |
| 44 | Naudes Attorneys obo R. O. Schropfer | MVA Damages | R 4,869,03 | R 4,869,03 |
| 45 | C. J. E. Koekemoer | MVA Damages | R 5,090,92 | R 5,090,92 |
| 46 | F. Hosking | MVA Damages | R 4,390,64 | R 0,00 |
| 47 | Sanlam obo J. I. Neethling | MVA Damages | R 5,000,00 | R 5,000,00 |
| 48 | D. P. Breedt | MVA Damages | R 18,587,85 | R 13,760,72 |
| 49 | R. Mkhabela | MVA Damages | R 23,009,58 | R 18,000,00 |
| 50 | Krygkor obo S. Levendall | MVA Damages | R 10,653,85 | R 10,000,00 |
| 51 | Badenhorst | MVA Damages | R 1,750,00 | R 1,750,00 |
| 52 | Cook McFarlane Rosine obo G. M. Freeman | MVA Damages | R 17,063,40 | R 16,940,59 |
| 53 | Mzobe & Marais Inc obo G. J. Gericke | MVA Damages | R 2,995,09 | R 2,995,09 |
| 54 | Mzobe & Marais Inc obo C. M. S. Schmitt | MVA Damages | R 2,820,65 | R 2,820,65 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 113 | V. Gerber | MVA Damages | R 27,614,40 | R 27,614,40 |
| 114 | SA Eagle obo K. Bester | MVA Damages | R 8,569,95 | R 6,121,07 |
| 115 | Du Randt & Louw Attorneys obo C. S. Botha | MVA Damages | R 13,201,20 | R 0,00 |
| 116 | Outsurance obo R. Steyn | MVA Damages | R 26,826,92 | R 0,00 |
| 117 | R Fruidge | MVA Damages | R 8,663,30 | R 8,663,30 |
| 118 | J. Duysel | MVA Damages | R 3,062,77 | R 3,062,72 |
| 119 | Schur Marais & Doman Attorneys obo D. Gibbs | MVA Damages | R 34,000,00 | R 0,00 |
| 120 | Santam obo JHJ Electricals | MVA Damages | R 5,777,37 | R 0,00 |
| 121 | Deneys Reitz Inc | MVA Damages | R 88,398,86 | R 0,00 |
| 122 | Mutual & Federal obo C. Serfontein | MVA Damages | R 11,140,00 | R 0,00 |
| 123 | W. Sampson | MVA Damages | R 9,159,67 | R 9,159,67 |
| 124 | Mutual & Federal obo U. R. McCleod | MVA Damages | R 5,523,49 | R 0,00 |
| 125 | J. J. Mkhatshwa | Damages Towing Storage | R 6,850,00 | R 0,00 |
| 126 | Briedenman Inc obo Putco | MVA Damages | R 8,467,52 | R 8,467,52 |
| 127 | Van der Merwe Attorneys obo A. G. Basson | MVA Damages | R 16,710,00 | R 16,710,00 |
| 128 | Frese Moll & Partners obo A. van der Schyff | MVA Damages | R 34,034,00 | R 0,00 |
| 129 | H. E. Lubbe | MVA Damages | R 44,063,10 | R 0,00 |
| 130 | Macquet | House damages | R 8,967,55 | R 8,967,55 |
| 131 | Goodrickes Attorneys obo T Buthelezi | MVA Damages | R 20,244,30 | R 0,00 |
| 132 | Manirakiza Samson | MVA Damages | R 39,600,00 | R 13,125,00 |
| 133 | Santam oboE. N. de Agrela | MVA Damages | R 7,824,37 | R 6,883,48 |
| 134 | Europ Assistance obo T. Zulu | MVA Damages | R 15,090,34 | R 17,759,95 |
| 135 | C. H. Badenhorst | MVA Damages | R 40,393,67 | R 51,858,49 |
| 136 | Alex Bosman Attorneys obo P. G. Potgieter | MVA Damages | R 32,508,00 | R 0,00 |
| 137 | Santam obo L. Els | MVA Damages | R 26,008,50 | R 19,167,54 |
| 138 | Outsurance obo le Rouz | Damages with Interest | R 35,881,83 | R 39,519,55 |
|  | Alex Bosman Attorneys obo B. B. King | Damages with Interest | R 37,295,38 | R 41,917,37 |

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| 82 | Fourie Basson & Veldman obo P. M. Twutwuba | MVA Damages | R 6,395,40 | R 6,395,40 |
| 83 | Department of Transport | MVA Damages | R 3,967,84 | R 3,967,84 |
| 84 | J. Dippenaar | MVA Damages | R 1,393,00 | R 1,393,00 |
| 85 | R. Oosthuizen | MVA Damages | R 6,889,61 | R 6,889,61 |
| 86 | A. Dutton | MVA Damages | R 7,092,99 | R 4,965,09 |
| 87 | G. J. van der Merwe | MVA Damages | R 2,100,00 | R 2,100,00 |
| 88 | C. Steyn | MVA Damages | R 7,830,28 | R 7,830,28 |
| 89 | Findley & Niemeyer Attorneys obo C. W. Prinsloo | MVA Damages | R 5,689,26 | R 5,689,26 |
| 90 | Lt Col G. van Zyl | MVA Damages | R 9,097,80 | R 9,097,80 |
| 91 | A. P. Redelinghuys | MVA Damages | R 2,201,00 | R 2,201,00 |
| 92 | D. H. Holl | MVA Damages | R 5,305,40 | R 5,305,40 |
| 93 | F. J. van Duyker | MVA Damages | R 1,494,10 | R 1,494,16 |
| 94 | E. G. M. Ntlolwana | MVA Damages | R 1,265,40 | R 1,265,40 |
| 95 | D. F. Valentine | MVA Damages | R 2,748,86 | R 2,748,86 |
| 96 | R. A. Deutschem | MVA Damages | R 5,107,20 | R 5,107,20 |
| 97 | SAPS | MVA Damages | R 5,739,90 | R 5,739,90 |
| 98 | C. J. van der Merwe | MVA Damages | R 2,118,61 | R 2,118,61 |
| 99 | Thasigan Hair | MVA Damages | R 21,800,00 | R 0,00 |
| 100 | L. E. Roux | MVA Damages | R 741,00 | R 741,00 |
| 101 | C. L. Smit | MVA Damages | R 6,000,00 | R 0,00 |
| 102 | Auto & General obo A Abdullah | MVA Damages | R 13,871,33 | R 0,00 |
| 103 | Piet van Dyk Inc obo L. Mashele | MVA Damages | R 9,000,00 | R 0,00 |
| 104 | L. J. Theron | MVA Damages | R 6,386,27 | R 6,386,27 |
| 105 | B.V. Walters | MVA Damages | R 1,771,75 | R 1,771,75 |
| 106 | S. Nelson | MVA Damages | R 7,806,26 | R 7,806,26 |
| 107 | Julian Knights &Associates Inc obo Ford Motor Company | MVA Damages | R 3,402,90 | R 0,00 |
| 108 | Frieldland Hartman Inc obo B. S. Mashiane | MVA Damages | R 18,768,60 | R 0,00 |
| 109 | ABSA ob H. E. Ferreira | MVA Damages | R 64,697,66 | R 64,697,66 |
| 110 | Hotline obo N. Barnard | MVA Damages | R 37,130,90 | R 32,650,70 |
| 111 | Regent Insurance obo R. G. Solomons | MVA Damages | R 13,345,16 | R 13,435,16 |
| 112 | City of Tshwane | MVA Damages | R 94,483,20 | R 0,00 |

The MINSTER OF LABOUR:

Mr Lowe, in response to your question, and before I decide on whether I support the removal of any supposed racial bias in current labour legislation, it would be wise to establish whether such bias exists in the first place. According to me, and according to the majority of people in this country, it can be clearly said that the bias you are talking about does not exist. I therefore cannot support the removal of something that does not exist.

Secondly, you need to please note the huge distinction between "bias" and "redress". Also note that South Africa comes from a generation of, amongst others, the Bantu Education Act of 1953. The author of this legislation, Dr Hendrik Verwoerd, stated that its aim was to prevent Africans from receiving an education that would lead them to aspire to positions they would not be allowed to hold in society. He went on to say that Africans were to receive an education designed to provide them with skills to serve their own people in the homelands or to work in labouring jobs under whites. Most of the disparities we sit with today, in our economy and in general society as well, stem from similar pieces of legislation, which we can proudly say is something of the past.

In 1994 the democratic government decided to set three broad objectives for South Africa — namely the growing of our economy; social development; and the achievement of equity and equality — hence the introduction of labour legislation and policies to meet these objectives.

Nowhere in our legislation is there any mention of any racial grouping being excluded from skills development, employment or any other economic activity. On the contrary our legislation does not promote the exclusion of any grouping, but it promotes the inclusion of groups that have been previously marginalised and are still largely excluded today. I believe and support the fact that we all carry the responsibility to ensure that we have an equitable, fair and just South Africa for all of its people. This means that South Africans of all racial groupings with the necessary competencies should have first priority to occupy vacancies that require scarce and critical skills.

**Senior employees receiving performance bonuses**

1571. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

(1) With regard to the period covered by the annual financial statements of his department for the year ended 31 March 2006, (a) how many senior employees received a performance bonus; (b) what was the (i) quantum and (ii) criterion used in the decision to pay each performance bonus and (c) how many senior employees, who had not signed the performance agreement at 31 March 2006, received a performance bonus;

(2) in light of the findings contained in the Auditor-General's report for the year ended 31 March 2006, what factors were taken into account in awarding each performance bonus to each senior employee? N2070E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

Mr Lowe, it appears to me that you might have been on a "high" when you conceptualised this question.

In response to your question, and before I decide on whether I support the removal of any supposed racial bias in current labour legislation, it would be wise to establish whether such bias exist. According to me, and according to majority of the people in the country, it can be clearly said that this bias you are talking about does not exist. I therefore cannot support the removal of something that does not exist.

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| 139 | Gouws Attorneys obo J J Lourens | MVA damages | R8 804,25 | R 0,00 |
| 140 | N Robertse | MVA damages | R4 951,20 | R4 951,20 |
| 141 | Du Plessis de Heus & van Wyk Attorneys obo W Brown | MVA damages | R3 753,51 | R 0,00 |
| 142 | Arangies Inc obo P Khoncha | MVA damages | R49 140,04 | R43 105,32 |
| 143 | C Dreyer | MVA damages | R3 637,20 | R3 190,53 |
| 144 | Frese Moll & Partners obo W Stokes | MVA damages | R137 850,00 | R0,00 |
| 145 | G Fouche | MVA damages | R11 181,36 | R11 181,36 |
| 146 | E G Nkuna | MVA damages | R57 001,71 | R57 001,71 |
| | SA Eagle obo B Buitendag | MVA damages | R28 524,01 | R24 874,60 |
| 147 | Brolinck obo V Louw | MVA damages | R7 741,96 | R6 791,17 |
| 148 | Santam obo V Kermode | MVA damages | R6 500,00 | R3 284,41 |
| 148 | Auto & Genaral obo L Evans | MVA damages | R3 225,95 | R0,00 |
| 149 | S W Houman | MVA damages | R4 500,00 | R4 500,00 |
| 150 | Blakes Maphanga Inc obo A R Pretorius | MVA damages | R13 686,76 | R0,00 |
| 151 | Aventis Pharmacy | MVA damages | R3 720,00 | R3 720,00 |
| 152 | Mutual & Federal obo N Horn | MVA damages | R24 825,00 | R0,00 |
| 153 | M J Wojno | MVA damages | R1 368,00 | R1 368,00 |
| 154 | Mutual & Federal obo J van der Westhuizen | MVA damages | R11 129,98 | R9 763,14 |
| | Total | | R2 850 641,27 | R1 701 564,89 |

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**Removal of racial bias in current labour legislation**

1570. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

Whether he will support the removal of the racial bias that exists in current labour legislation in order to help urgently fill the scarce and critical skills vacancies that were identified by the Joint Initiative on Priority Skills Acquisition (Jipsa) task team; if not, (a) why not and (b) how does he then propose filling such vacancies; if so, (i) what amendments will he support and (ii) by what date will they be effected? N2069E

stages of being filled. Strategies for shortlisting/interviews have been put in place to identify the right candidates.

(c) The key positions that have not yet been filled shall be filled by not later than March 2007.

(d) Leadership has been provided in the various components through knowledgeable employees who have been appointed to act in such vacancies.

**Home Affairs office: posts available**

1574. Ms S J LOE (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

How many posts were available for (a) counter staff, (b) supervisors and (c) management at each Home Affairs office in the Western Cape as at 28 February 2006? N2073E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

As per the table below.

| | *How many posts were available as at 28 February 2006* | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Office* | (a) *Counter staff* | (b) *Supervisors* | (c) *Management* |
| Cape Town Regional Office (R/O) | 69 | 17 | 3 |
| Wynberg District Office (D/O) | 27 | 6 | 1 |
| Bellville D/O | 40 | 9 | 1 |
| Immigration Inspectorate | 12 | 9 | 3 |
| Cape Town Harbour | 11 | 3 | 0 |
| Cape Town Refugee Reception Office | 16 | 9 | 1 |
| Cape Town International Airport | 48 | 11 | 2 |
| Paarl R/O | 19 | 4 | 2 |
| Worcester D/O | 18 | 5 | 1 |
| Malmesbury D/O | 16 | 5 | 0 |
| Vredendal D/O | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Khayelitsha R/O | 33 | 13 | 3 |
| Mitchells Plain D/O | 21 | 4 | 3 |
| Caledon D/O | 9 | 3 | 1 |
| Nyanga D/O | 30 | 5 | 2 |
| George R/O | 10 | 2 | 2 |
| Oudtshoorn D/O | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Beaufort West D/O | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Total per category | 393 | 109 | 25 |
| Total for province | | | 527 |

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**Vacant posts in department**

1572. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

(1) (a) How many vacant positions existed in his department as at 23 August 2006 and (b) how many of those posts are considered key positions covering areas such as (i) statistics, (ii) research, (iii) programme management, (iv) finance management and (v) human resources management;

(2) with regard to each key position not yet filled, (a) how long has the position been vacant, (b) why has it not yet been filled, (c) by what date will it be filled and (d) what steps has he taken to ensure that his department continues to function without the position being filled? N2071E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

(1) (a) Of the total establishment of 7 482 permanent approved posts on the departmental establishment 443 posts were active vacant and 241 posts were unfunded (frozen vacancies) on 23 August 2006.

(b) (i) Nine of the 443 vacancies could be regarded as statistical key positions.

(ii) Two of the 443 vacancies could be regarded as research key positions.

(iii) 17 Senior Management posts (SR 13-15), 20 posts (SR 11-12) and 36 (SR 9-10) of the 443 vacancies could be regarded as programme management key positions.

(iv) 15 of the 443 vacancies could be regarded as financial management key positions.

(v) Eleven of the 443 vacancies could be regarded as human resources key positions.

(2) (a) The period that the above-mentioned key positions are vacant varies from one month to twelve months.

(b) All key positions have been advertised and are now in different

nition stolen have been or are suspected of being used by any person or groups during attacks in any countries in which South Africa is involved in peace support; if so, (a) by whom, (b) when and (c) where;

(4) whether any injuries occurred as a result of this; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) whether any SA National Defence Force personnel have been held accountable for such losses or theft; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, (a) what are the (i) names and (ii) ranks of these persons and (b) what action has been taken against each person? N2173E

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The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) (a) (i) No military vehicles were stolen during peace support missions.

(ii) A Casspir vehicle was damaged beyond economical repair in April 2004 in the DRC when it rolled into a lake.

(b) Equipment was stolen and lost during peace support missions and this is reflected in the table below. For the purpose of completeness the responses to Questions (2) and (5) have been integrated into the table below and must be read with the explanatory notes provided separately under Question (2) and Question (5).

(c) (i)(ii)

| *No* | *Question (1) how much (b) equipment has been (i) stolen or (ii) lost during peace support missions* | *Question (2)(a) from whom recovered & (b) action taken against person/groups* | *Question (5)(a) what are the (i) names & (ii) ranks of these persons & (b) action taken against each person* |
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| Burundi | | | |
| 1. | Jul 03: Theft of approx 22 000 rounds 5,56 mm ammunition from the storage container. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Board of Inquiry (BOI) has not been finalised because witnesses from the Burundian Armed Force have to be traced | Pending |
| 2. | 8 Sep 03: Loss of Kenwood radio and battery charger. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Cpl A Thabongale was tried and fined R500 | (i) A Thabongale<br>(ii) Corporal<br>(b) Placed under deduction of pay to the value of the lost equipment |
| 3. | 27 Sep 03: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not ascertain responsibility | None |
| 4. | 18 Oct 03: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not ascertain responsibility | None |
| 5. | 7 Nov 03: Loss of Dect phone | (a) The phone was recovered.<br>(b) The investigation could not ascertain responsibility | None |

**Tender procedures followed during tenders for the ammunition disposal plant**

1615. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether the required tender procedures were followed during tenders for the ammunition disposal plant; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) (a) how many tenders were received for the SA National Defence Force ammunition disposal plant, (b) what are the names of the companies that tendered, (c) which company was successful, (d) what were the criteria for selection of the successful bidder and (e) which companies that tendered, adhered to this criteria;

(3) whether the chief of logistics was involved in the process; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether the successful bidder is able to dispose of all calibres and types of ammunition; if not, (a) why not and (b) what are the limitations; if so, (i) what are the (aa) actual and (bb) required amounts of ammunition per month that should and will be disposed of and (ii) what are the further relevant details? N2172E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) No. The process, which was followed, is the National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme of which the DTI is the lead department. The NIP programme is managed by the Industrial Participation Secretariat within the DTI with the main objective of establishing trading partnerships between local companies and foreign multinationals. Under the NIP programme obligated companies are required to participate and conduct business in their core area of activity and in areas outside their core competencies like with the Ammunition Disposal Plant where SAAB/BAE has become involved.

(2) None, due to the initial proposal made by the DTI under the NIP terms and conditions.

(3) No tenders were received. Through the DTI, NIP programme, the Joint Venture (SANABO Pty Ltd) comprising SAAB; Nammo; Autumn Star Trading [BEE Component] which is the Joint Venture (single offer) is currently under review.

(4) The negotiations between the Department of Defence, DTI and the obligor are ongoing, and this is one of the fundamental issues that is being addressed. The proposed concept caters for ammunitions between 20 mm and 120 mm (mortars included). Negotiations encompass the inclusion of bombs, missiles, rockets and artillery ammunitions to ensure the full utilisation of the capability.

The present concept is based on a destruction rate of 5 000 tons/annum. In negotiating the types of ammunitions to be disposed of both the disposal targets and costs of the disposal plant will be interrogated.

**Stolen or lost vehicles, equipment and other supplies**

1616. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) How many (a) vehicles, (b) equipment and (c) other supplies have been (i) stolen or (ii) lost during peace support operations;

(2) whether any of these items have been recovered; if not, why not; if so, (a) from whom were they recovered and (b) what action has been taken against such persons or groups;

(3) whether any of the arms and ammu-

| *No* | *Question (1) how much (b) equipment has been (i) stolen or (ii) lost during peace support missions* | *Question (2)(a) from whom recovered & (b) action taken against person/groups* | *Question (5)(a) what are the (i) names & (ii) ranks of these persons & (b) action taken against each person* |
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| 19. | 10 Aug 04: Loss of R4 magazine and 30 rounds of ammunition | (a) R4 magazine & all rounds recovered in the field.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 20. | 4 Sep 04: Loss of 2 × Kenwood radios | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None. |
| 21. | 2 Nov 04: Loss of radio-CD player and Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) WO1 T W Mekgwe tried and fined R2 000 | (i) T W Mekgwe<br>(ii) WO1<br>(b) The individual was placed under deduction of pay to the value of the equipment. |
| 22. | 14 Dec 04 : Loss of 9 mm pistol | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Cpl B W Ndaba was tried and fined R4 000. | (i) B W Ndaba<br>(ii) Corporal<br>(b) The individual was placed under deduction of pay to the value of the pistol. |
| 23. | 18 Dec 04: Theft of TV and DSTV decoder | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) The culprit could not be identified | None |
| 24. | 22 Dec 04: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 25. | 19 Dec 04: Loss of medical bag | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 26. | 31 Dec 04: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 27. | 10 Feb 05: Loss of 2 × batteries | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 28. | 9 Mar 05: Theft of vehicles accessories whilst parked in town; spare wheel, wheel hubs, indicator lenses | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 29. | 29 Mar 05: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Recovered radio in the field<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 30. | 4 Apr 05: Theft of tyres, batteries and tools to the value of R62 400 | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 31. | 11 Apr 05: Loss of 2 × R4 magazines | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |

| *No* | *Question (1) how much (b) equipment has been (i) stolen or (ii) lost during peace support missions* | *Question (2)(a) from whom recovered & (b) action taken against person/groups* | *Question (5)(a) what are the (i) names & (ii) ranks of these persons & (b) action taken against each person* |
|---|---|---|---|
| 6. | 9 Nov 03: Shortages found of 738 × 5,56 mm rounds | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not ascertain responsibility | None |
| 7. | 14 Nov 03: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Sgt D C Temin was tried and fined R300 | (i) D C Temin<br>(ii) Sgt<br>(b) The individual was placed under deduction of pay to the value of the radio |
| 8. | 15 Nov 03: Loss of Dect phone | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Members were tried but found not guilty | None |
| 9. | 30 Nov 03: Loss of R4 rifle, 3 × magazines and 90 × rounds of 5,56 mm ammunition and 1 × battle jacket | (a) Not recovered<br>(b) Rfn B S Morodi was tried and fined R600. | (i) B S Morodi<br>(ii) Rfn<br>(b) Member was placed under deduction of pay to the value of the lost equipment |
| 10. | 6 Dec 03: Loss of a Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Sgt M I Thinane was tried and fined R300 | (i) M I Thinane<br>(ii) Sgt<br>(b) The individual was placed under deduction of pay to the value of the radio |
| 11. | 12 Dec 03: Theft of 80 × 60 mm mortar bombs | BOI reopened in 2005 and outcome pending | Pending |
| 12. | 1 Mar 04: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not ascertain responsibility. | None |
| 13. | 16 Apr 04: Loss of 9 mm pistol and 8 rounds | BOI convened but could not determine responsibility for loss | None |
| 14. | 26 Mar 04: Theft of 3 × Samil batteries | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 15. | 11 May 04: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 16. | 17 May 04: Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 17. | 15 Jun 04: Loss of digital camera | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 18. | 27 Jun 04: Theft of R4 rifle, 2 × magazines and 60 × 5,56 mm rounds of ammunition | BOI convened but could not determine responsibility for loss | None |

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| DRC | | | |
| 45. | 10 Jun 02 : Loss of Cellphone | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 46. | 6 Apr 04 : Loss of 1 × CASSPIR and 11 × R4 rifles, as well as 6 troops losing their lives when the vehicle swerved off the road and landed in Lake Kivu. | (a) Vehicle, rifles and ammunition recovered. 2 hand-grenades and 3 × magazines were not recovered.<br>(b) The accident was investigated & found to have occurred due to human error. No disciplinary action was taken. | None |
| 47. | 25 Nov 04 : Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 48. | 27 Jul 05 : Theft of battery charger and 2 × batteries. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 49. | 28 Jul 05 : Theft of 2 × Batteries | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 50. | 17 Jan 05 : Theft of 2 × satellite dishes. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 51. | 17 Oct 05 : Loss of 1 × rifle grenade | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) BOI convened but could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 52. | 8 Dec 05 : Theft of 2 × Batteries | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 53. | 4 Jan 06 : Loss of laser range-finder and 1 × binoculars | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 55. | Apr 06 : Loss of Kenwood radio | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) BOI to be confirmed by Legal Satellite Office (LEGSATO) regarding possible prosecution. | Pending |
| 56. | 21 May 06 : Loss of hand grenade | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None. |
| 57. | Aug 06 : Loss of laptop | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation ongoing. | Pending |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 32. | 16 Apr 05 : Loss of 2 × batteries. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 33. | 20 Apr 05 : Theft of vehicle accessories to the value of R145,853 | BOI re-opened in 2006 & outcome pending. | Pending |
| 34. | 23 Apr 05 : Loss of 11 rounds of 5,56 mm ammunition. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 35. | 29 May 05 : Loss of medical bag | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 36. | 2 Jul 05 : Theft of undisclosed amount of fuel and 4 × SAMIL tyres. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility | None |
| 37. | 19 Aug 05 : Theft of generator | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility.<br>Security regarding local labourers was strengthened. | None |
| 38. | 27 Nov 05 : Loss of R4 magazine and 30 rounds of ammunition. | (a) Magazine recovered in the field without the rounds.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 39. | Sep 05 : Loss of Dect 'phone | Not recovered. Investigation could not ascertain responsibility. | None |
| 40. | 17 Dec 05 : Loss of Kenwood radio. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 41. | 18 Dec 05 : Loss of Kenwood radio. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 42. | 19 Feb 06 : Loss of Kenwood radio. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |
| 43. | 9 Mar 06 : Loss of 3 × magazines and 90 × 5,56mm rounds, 1 × sleeping bag, 1 × flack jacket and 1 × mattress. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Military Police are investigating the matter. | Pending |
| 44. | 14 Aug 06 : Loss of 1 × R4 magazine and 30 rounds 5,56 mm ammunition. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None |

tion in every year since these operations were launched up to the latest specified date for which information is available;

(2) whether any records have been kept of every transaction where goods and services were purchased for peace support operations; if not, (a) why not and (b) how many transactions are suspected not to have records; if so, what are the relevant details?

N2174E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE: (1)

| *Serial No* | *Year* | *2000 Rm* | *2001 Rm* | *2002 Rm* | *2003 Rm* | *2004 Rm* | *2005 Rm* | *2006 Rm* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | a | b | c | d | e | f | g | h |
| 1 | OP MISTRAL (Congo) | 41 000 | 48 000 | 54 000 | 336 000 | 310 000 | 342 000 | 173 000 |
| 2 | OP FIBRE (Burundi) | 0 000 | 145 000 | 297 000 | 464 000 | 382 000 | 315 000 | 140 000 |
| 3 | OP CORDITE (Sudan) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 5 890 | 70 000 | 135 000 |
| 4 | OP ESPRESSO (Ethiopia) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 663 | 0 723 | 0 686 |
| 5 | OP TEUTONIC (Congo) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 2 700 | 39 000 | 41 000 |
| 6 | OP PRISTINE (Ivory Coast) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 13 461 | 9 482 |
| 7 | OP TRITON III & IV(Comoros) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 109 | 13 092 | 70 000 |
| 8 | OP SOLITAIRE (Congo) | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 0 000 | 91 000 |

(2) Yes. Financial records have been kept for all transactions where goods and services have been purchased for peace support operations.

All expenditures have been approved by the relevant Expenditure Control Committee (ECC). Minutes are kept of their meetings and the authority control-number of those meetings serves as authority to initiate the financial process.

In the case of cash purchases funds have only been paid out on the authority of such ECCs and against an approved signature. Specimen signatures are updated at the financial offices at least once a year or when a new incumbent is appointed as Approval Authority (AA).

In the case of Government Order (GO) purchases these orders have been generated against an approved Financial Authority (FA), which again required the ECC's authority number to be initiated. The GOs have only been paid once the receipt and Receipt Voucher (RV) particulars were registered on the Financial Management System.

**Number of people employed per category**

1627. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

(1) In respect of each category of employment, what was the total number of (a) persons employed, (b) jobs at the (i) beginning and (ii) end of the latest twelve-month period for which

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|---|---|---|---|
| Sudan | | | |
| 58. | Feb 05 : Loss of satellite phone | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) Investigation could not determine responsibility. | None. |
| 59. | 10 Jul 06 : Theft (ambush) of 4 × African Union (AU) vehicles, 34 × R4 rifles, 3 × 7,62 mm LMGs, 1 × 60 mm Patmor, 31 battle jackets, 1 × GPS, 1 × Maglite, 2 × Binoculars, 5 × Kenwood radios, 3 × Motorola radios, 16 × 60 mm HE mortar bombs, 1,800 × 7,62 mm rounds and 4,950 × 5,56 mm rounds. | (a) Not recovered.<br>(b) RSA investigation of the incident resulted in the contingent being issued with better rigged vehicles (Mambas) and better equipped support weapons. | None.<br>Note: previously the loss of 5,56 mm ammunition was erroneously reported as 25 500 rounds from the mission area (Question N1254E). Now confirmed as 4 950. |
| 60. | 21 Jul 06 : Theft (ambush) of 1 × 7,62 mm Light Machine Gun (LMG) and 8 × R4 rifles | (a) Recovered 1 x LMG outside the Internal Displaced Persons (IDP) camp at Kassab.<br>(b) Investigation could not ascertain responsibility. | None. |

(2) Yes. The detail of items recovered is contained in the table under question 1. Recovery entailed the following: (a) equipment being salvaged from Lake Kivu; (b) equipment recovered after being dropped by the thieves whilst fleeing the area; and (c) equipment reported as lost being found during searches. Further where Boards of Inquiry found members guilty of negligence such members were tried and where convicted they were sentenced to a fine being deduction of pay to the value of the equipment lost. These details are also reflected in the table under question 1.

(3) This department has no knowledge nor has it received any complaint from any international organisation like the United Nations or African Union nor from any Government or any other organisation indicating that any of the stolen arms or ammunition have been or are being used by any person or group of persons in any of the countries in which South Africa is involved in peace support missions.

(4) This department has no knowledge of any injuries that may have occurred as a result of any theft of arms or ammunition in any of the countries where South Africa is involved in peace support missions.

(5) Yes. A number of SA National Defence Force personnel have been held accountable for losses and thefts incurred. The particulars of these persons and the actions taken against them are reflected in the table under question 1.

**Stats on peace support operation**

1617. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) What amount has been spent in respect of each peace support opera-

information is available, (c) how many (i) new jobs were created and (ii) jobs were lost during this period and (d) what were the reasons for (i) the creation of new jobs and (ii) the loss of jobs during this period;

(2) what was the total number of unemployed persons using the (a) broad and (b) narrow definition of unemployment at the (i) beginning and (ii) end of the said twelve-month period? N2184E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

(1) As defined by Statistics South Africa, a person aged 15-65 years is classified as employable if he/she did any work or did not work but he/she had a job or business in the seven days prior to the survey interview.

(a) Total number of persons employed at the beginning and end of the latest twelve-month period by employment categories:

- In March 2005, the total number of persons employed was estimated at about 11 907 000. However, in March 2006, it was estimated at 12 451 000. This implies that 544 000 jobs were created over the twelve-month period. Table 1 provides the breakdown information of total employment between March 2005 and March 2006.

*Table 1: Persons employed ('000) by Sector*

| *Sector* | *Mar-05* | *Mar-06* | *Annual change* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Formal excl agriculture | 7 750,0 | 8 059,0 | 309,0 |
| Informal excl agriculture | 2 071,0 | 2 190,0 | 119,0 |
| Domestic work | 850,0 | 850,0 | — |
| Agriculture | 1 163,0 | 1 311,0 | 148,0 |
| Unspecified* | 73,0 | 41,0 | -32,0 |
| Total employment | 11 907 (at the beginning) | 12 451 (at the end) | 544,0 |

*Note: individuals whose employment status could not be classified

(b) Total number of jobs created and lost over twelve-month period:

- Overall, the South African economy has created about 544 000 jobs between March 2005 and March 2006. Over the same period, jobs increased in the following industries: Agriculture (about 148 000), Manufacturing (74 000), Construction (51 000), Wholesale and retail trade (347 000), Finances (53 000) and Private households (12 000).
- However, the following industries experienced an employment decline between March 2005 and March 2006. These were: Mining (about 27 000), Utilities (22 000), Transport (38 000), and Community (52 000).

(c) The reasons for the creation of new jobs and the loss of jobs over twelve-month period

(i) Job creation is associated with the South African business cycle which in turn follows the development and implementation of specific government interventions. At present, various labour

| *Rank* | *Balance 01/04/ 2005* | *Balance 31/03/ 2006* | *Months outstand-ing* | *Provision for doubt-ful debts* | *Write-off* | *Steps taken to recover* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Senior Adminis-tration Officer | R400,00 | 0 | — | 0 | 0 | Advance settled during 2005-06 financial year |
| Senior Adminis-tration Officer | R3 000,00 | 0 | — | 0 | 0 | Advance settled during 2005-06 financial year |
| Assistant Manager | R9 701,48 | R6 901,48 | 56 months | 0 | 0 | R2 000,00 standing advance extended up to 31 March 2007. R4 901,48 settled during 2006-07 financial year. |
| Assistant Manager | R2 000,00 | R2 000,00 | 132 months | 0 | 0 | Standing advance extended up to 31 March 2007. |
| Medical Doctor | R3 000,00 | R3 000,00 | 50 months | 0 | 0 | Standing advance extended up to 31 March 2007. |
| Senior Adminis-tration Officer | R7 000,00 | R7 000,00 | 117 months | 0 | 0 | Standing advance — the offi-cial became ill and is currently in the process to be discharged due to ill-health. Arrangements will be made to recover the amount from his pension benefits. |
| Assistant Manager | R1 000,00 | R1 000,00 | 22 months | 0 | 0 | This official was transferred to a Provincial Office in the Department of Labour in 2004. Written commitment has been received from the official to pay this amount before 31 March 2007. |
| Senior Executive Manager | R2 200,00 | R2 200,00 | 33 months | 0 | 0 | This official was an ex-Com-missioner. Her service was terminated in 2006. This case will be handed over to our legal section to instigate the necessary legal actions to re-cover this amount. |
| Senior Security Officer | R2 981,34 | R4 981,34 | 64 months | 0 | 0 | This official is in the process to be discharged due to ill-health. Arrangements will be made to recover the amount from his pension benefits. |
| Senior Adminis-trative Clerk | R1 500,00 | R1 500,00 | 33 months | 0 | 0 | Written commitment has been received from the official to pay this amount before 31 March 2007. |
| | **R39 282,82** | **R28 582,82** | | 0 | 0 | |

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## QUESTIONS

***For written reply:***

### Application for prospecting rights

966. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

(1) Whether, with reference to her reply to Question 366 on 22 May 2006, an application by a certain company (name furnished) for prospecting rights in terms of the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act, Act 28 of 2002, in respect of various farms in the Piketberg district had been considered by the Regional Mining Development and Environmental Committee (REMDEC) by 31 May 2006; if so,

(2) whether a decision has been made in respect of the application; if not, (a) what is the current status of the application and (b) when is it anticipated that a decision will be made; if so, what was the outcome of the application? N1250E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

(1) The application was considered by REMDEC.

(2) A decision has been made. The application has been refused for non-compliance.

### Applications regarding the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act

967. Dr A I VAN NIEKERK (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

(1) Since the promulgation of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, Act 28 of 2002, on 1 May 2004, how many (a) applications have been received by her department for the conversion of old order (i) prospecting, (ii) mining and (iii) OP 26 rights and (b) applications have been (i) granted, (ii) refused and (iii) referred back to the applicants;

(2) how many judicial review applications have been (a) received in relation to (i) the conversion of old order prospecting, mining or OP 26 rights and (ii) new applications for prospecting, mining, exploration or production rights and (b)(i)(aa) settled and (bb) granted by her department and (ii)(aa) granted and (bb) refused by order of the court;

(3) what is the total amount of costs her department has been ordered to pay in this regard;

(4) whether she will make a statement on the matter? N1276E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

(1) Since the promulgation of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, the department has received (i) 369 applications for the conversion of old order prospecting rights of which 233 have been converted (ii) 354 applications for conversion of old order mining rights of which 26 have been converted and five applications for conversion of OP26 sublease of which one has been converted. [note that the processing of applications for OP26 is carried out by the Petroleum Agency SA].

(2) As far as prospecting rights conversions are concerned 126 are being processed and in relations to mining rights conversions 328 have been returned to the applicants with requests for further compliance information and the department is waiting for such information.

**Diamonds, other precious stones, ivory, rhino horns or other items found in military bases**

1715. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) Whether any non-military items of value such as (a) diamonds, (b) other precious stones, (c) ivory, (d) rhino horns or (e) other items have been found in military bases in which the SA National Defence Force (SANDF) are present both in South Africa or in peace support bases abroad; if so,

(2) whether any SANDF members were involved in acquiring such items; if so, (a) who are the members concerned, (b) which items were they involved with, (c) what is the value of each item, (d) where were these items found and (e) who is currently in possession of these items;

(3) whether any criminal investigations have taken place with regard to each case; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2295E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) No. Non-military items of value such as (a) diamonds, (c) ivory, (d) rhino horns or (e) other items have been found in military bases in which the SANDF is present in South Africa or in Peace Support Operational bases abroad except for the bag of (b) gemstones that was found in a safe in Kinshasa.

(2) No SANDF members (a-e) were involved in acquiring such items.

(3) Yes. On the 15th of June 2005 the SA Military Police Agency started with an investigation. As the investigation progressed the UN requested that due to the fact that it was in their territory, they be allowed to take over the investigation in total. The SA Military Police Agency then handed the investigation and all articles found in the safe over to the UN investigation team. The UN subsequently started their investigation and after completion of it they concluded that no South African soldier could be found liable for the theft of the gemstones and that no further investigation is deemed necessary.

**Complaints from CCMA pending against department**

1735. Mr V C GORE (ID) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether there are any complaints from employees pending against her department with the Commission for Conciliation, Mediation and Arbitration; if so, what are the relevant details? N2316E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

No. There are currently no complaints pending against my department at the Commission for Conciliation, Mediation and Arbitration.

Provinces across the country. A detailed breakdown of the deployment, depicting the field of expertise and the area in which each one is deployed, is attached as Annexure A.

(c) Their fields of expertise are specified in Annexure A.

**ANNEXURE A**

| *Name* | *Field of Expertise* | *Area Deployed* |
|---|---|---|
| **KZN and Mpumalanga** | | |
| 1. Ajithroy Boodhoo | Project Manager | KZN (Hlabisa & Jozini) |
| 2. Andrew Siddle | Financial Expert | KZN (Indaka, Hlabisa & Jozini) |
| 3. Dev Rugbeer | Technical Expert | KZN (Indaka) |
| 4. Johannes Crouse | Project Manager | Mpumalanga (Ehlanzeni) |
| 5. Louis Cronje | Financial Expert | Mpumalanga (Ehlanzeni) |
| 6. PC van der Westhuizen | Technical Expert | Mpumalanga (Albert Luthuli & Govan Mbeki) |
| 7. Zanda van Rooyen | Financial Expert | KZN (Indaka, Jozini & Hlabisa) |
| 8. Patrick Maisiri | Project Manager/Technical Expert | KZN (Jozini & Umhlabuyalingana) |
| 9. Pieter Bell | Financial Expert | Mpumalanga (Albert Luthuli & Govan Mbeki) |
| **Limpopo** | | |
| 1. Dikeledi Rapodile | Planner | Limpopo (Mopane District) |
| 2. Oliver Amutike | Project Manager/Technical Expert | Limpopo (Thabazimbi) |
| 3. Willem Matthews | Financial Expert | Limpopo (Thabazimbi & Maruleng) |
| 4. Errol Myburg | Planner | Limpopo (Mopane District) |
| 5. Mark Armstrong | Project Manager/Technical Expert | Limpopo (Mopane District) |
| 6. Renier Esais du Toit | Financial Expert | Limpopo (Mopane District) |
| **Northern Cape and Western Cape** | | |
| 1. Louis Bosman | Project Manager | Northern Cape (Moshaweng) |
| 2. Esais Pieterse | Project Manager | WC (Kannaland) |
| 3. Cornelius Basie Strydom | Financial Expert | WC (Kammiesberg) |
| 4. Marius Brand | Project Manager | WC (Caledon) |
| **North West and Free State** | | |
| 1. George Williams | Financial Expert | NW (Vryburg & Schweizer-Reinecke) |
| 2. Eduzie Ifezulike | Project Manager | N (Mafikeng) |
| 3. Jacobus Vermeulen | Financial Expert | FS (Phumelela, Sesutu & Theunissen) |
| 4. Richard van Zyl | Project Manager | FS (Vrede) |
| 5. Shephard Gadzikwa | Project Manager/Technical Expert | Free State (Pumelela) |
| 6. Ekow Ackon | Financial Expert | NW (Vryburg & Schweizer-Reinecke) |

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(3) It must be noted that in terms of the second Schedule to the MPRDA, no conversion application can be refused. Hence the continuous requests for further information to ensure compliance.

(2) (a) (i) The department has received one judicial review application in respect of a conversion application. The matter is being dealt with internally, and the application is currently being processed by the department.

(ii) The department received 54 judicial review applications relating to new applications for prospecting and mining rights.

(b) (i) (aa) The department settled five of the above matters internally either in terms of section 103(4) of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, Act 28 of 2002 or by means of negotiations.

(bb) Refer to the answer in (b)(i)(aa) above.

(ii) (aa) The court granted one application for prospecting rights. The department did not oppose the application.

(bb) No applications have been refused by an order of court.

(3) A cost order was made against the department in one judicial review application. Costs have, however, not been taxed as yet, and the amount therefore not determined.

(4) No.

**Deploying experienced professionals and managers to local government**

1040. Mr W P DOMAN (DA) asked the Minister for Provincial and Local Government:

(1) With regard to the project managed by the Development Bank of Southern Africa aimed at deploying experienced professionals and managers to local government, (a) how many (i) professionals and (ii) managers have been so deployed, (b) to which local governments have they been deployed, (c) what are the fields of expertise of each of these professionals and managers and (d) from where were these professionals and managers sourced;

(2) whether any more (a) professionals and (b) managers are still to be deployed to local governments; if so, (i) to which local governments and (ii) when;

(3) what are the general timeframes with regard to this project;

(4) whether the timeframes have been kept; if not, (a) why not and (b) what action has been taken against those responsible; if so, what are the relevant details? N1360E

The MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

(1) (a) (i) and (ii) The Siyenza Manje programme has, to date, appointed 50 experts for deployment in municipalities. This team comprises:

- 35 project managers;
- 2 town planners; and
- 13 financial experts.

(b) The experts have been deployed to over 30 municipalities in all the

(b) The Division of Revenue Act requires that a municipal council must approve "a three-year capital plan linked to its IDP and budget no later than 30 June of each year". The Act also states that "the approved budget must reflect operational and maintenance costs for the three years and beyond".

At a programme level, the MIG planning requirements include the following:

- Projects identified in the IDP including the development of MIG project proposals;
- Checking the feasibility of projects before they can be approved for MIG funding;
- Ensuring alignment between the project budgets and the MIG allocation;
- Preparing a three year capital plan (which is part of the IDP Financial Plan);
- Preparing a three year operational plan (also part of the IDP Financial Plan), which has to illustrate that there is a sufficient operational budget in the future to fund the ongoing operation and maintenance of the infrastructure.

On the MIG project registration form (section 4.5), the Operation and Maintenance section of the form dealing with the projected cash flow for the first five years of the infrastructure must be completed. In the "Declaration of the Municipal Manager" section (section 9), the municipal manager of a municipality must declare if the project and operation and maintenance budget was approved (resolution number and date must be provided), and that the municipality will maintain the asset.

(c) This specific question must be directed to the National Treasury.

(2) No. It has been identified that there is a lack of sustainable and comprehensive municipal infrastructure plans which can reflect on both new infrastructure capital and operational budgets. The dplg is now in a process of supporting municipalities to develop such plans.

(3) No.

**Eastern Cape Province**

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nelson Mandela | 65 469 | 71 372 | 179 125 | 315 967 |
| Camdeboo | | 0 | 8 050 | 8 050 |
| Blue Crane Route | 0 | 0 | 10 562 | 10 562 |
| Ikwezi | 0 | 0 | 6 269 | 6 269 |
| Makana | 0 | 7 839 | 14 846 | 22 685 |
| Ndlambe | 0 | 5 303 | 7 047 | 12 351 |
| Sundays River Valley | 0 | 6 674 | 16 742 | 23 416 |
| Baviaans | 0 | 0 | 13 027 | 13 027 |
| Kouga | 0 | 5 580 | 16 410 | 21 989 |
| Koukamma | 0 | 0 | 3 736 | 3 736 |
| Cacadu DM | 27 907 | 25 796 | | 53 703 |

| *Name* | *Field of Expertise* | *Area Deployed* |
|---|---|---|
| 8. Charles Mvungi | Technical Expert | FS (Welkom & Boshoff) |
| **Eastern Cape** | | |
| 1. Barend Rautenbach | Financial Expert | EC (Ukhahlamba & Chris Hani) |
| 2. Eric Britton | Project Manager | EC (Ukhahlamba District) |
| 3. Saulo Simpasa | Technical Expert | EC (OR Tambo) |
| 4. Joseph Barnard | Project Manager/Technical Expert | EC (Koukamma & Cacadu District) |
| 5. Vivian Mostert | Project Manager/Technical Expert | EC (Chris Hani District) |
| 6. Andrew Magadagela | Project Manager/Technical Expert | EC (OR Tambo) |
| 7. Chalmers Pagiwa | Project Manager/Technical Expert | EC (OR Tambo) |

(d) The professionals are from the South Africa and were recruited through advertisements in the media (newspapers). These professionals are linked to the Engineering Council of South Africa. However, two professionals were recruited from the SADC region, namely Namibia and Zimbabwe. Those currently employed in municipalities were excluded from the selection process.

(2) (a) and (b) Yes. The target of Siyenza Manje is to deploy 90 experts and 28 young graduates by March 2007. (i) The DBSA is currently consulting with the dplg to identify municipalities for future deployment. The additional experts and 28 graduates will be recruited before the end of March 2007.

(3) The average timeframes for deployment in municipalities is 18 months. The programme has been running for three months in municipalities. The Siyenza Manje programme has a timespan of five years.

(4) The programme is running on schedule.

**Grants given to each municipality**

1087. Mr I O DAVIDSON (DA) asked the Minister of Finance:

(1) (a) What is the total value of grants that have been given to each municipality under the municipal infrastructure grant (MIG) programme since its inception, (b) what consideration is given to the municipality's ability to maintain the infrastructure for which the grant has been applied for when considering an application for a grant and (c) what systems does the National Treasury have in place to monitor the level of maintenance and state of repair of infrastructure established as a result of any infrastructure grant;

(2) whether any reference is made to the level of maintenance of infrastructure established under the previous grants when a municipality applies for a further infrastructure grant under the MIG programme; if not, why not;

(3) whether any municipalities have been refused grants under the programme as a result of a lack of maintenance of infrastructure established under prior MIGs; if so, what are the relevant details? N1408E

The MINISTER OF FINANCE:

(1) (a) The total value of the grants transferred to each municipality since the inception of MIG is attached as Annexure A.

**Free State Province**

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Letsemeng | | 3 905 | 9 542 | 13 446 |
| Kopanong | | 0 | 20 473 | 20 473 |
| Mohokare | | 3 000 | 12 731 | 15 731 |
| Xhariep DM | 9 555 | 13 347 | 0 | 22 902 |
| Naledi | | 3 000 | 7 634 | 10 634 |
| Mangaung | 64 182 | 79 430 | 86 956 | 230 567 |
| Mantsopa | | 6 318 | 23 646 | 29 963 |
| Motheo DM | 7 432 | 13 245 | 0 | 20 677 |
| Masilonyana | 0 | 5 261 | 39 744 | 45 005 |
| Tokologo | 0 | 0 | 10 381 | 10 381 |
| Tswelopele | 0 | 6 947 | 15 085 | 22 032 |
| Matjhabeng | 50 278 | 74 266 | 83 733 | 208 277 |
| Nala | 0 | 24 419 | 26 185 | 50 603 |
| Lejweleputswa DM | 27 199 | 14 162 | 0 | 41 361 |
| Setsoto | 0 | 17 491 | 31 926 | 49 417 |
| Dihlabeng | 0 | 26 754 | 20 399 | 47 153 |
| Nketoana | 0 | 11 110 | 15 253 | 26 363 |
| Maluti-a-Phofung | 37 639 | 52 684 | 50 946 | 141 268 |
| Phumelela | 0 | 3 000 | 16 382 | 19 382 |
| Thabo Mofutsanyana DM | 61 409 | 13 828 | 20 447 | 95 683 |
| Moqhaka | 10 142 | 17 254 | 19 082 | 46 477 |
| Ngwathe | 0 | 19 981 | 22 894 | 42 875 |
| Metsimaholo | 10 414 | 14 172 | 16 631 | 41 217 |
| Mafube | 0 | 8 341 | 13 826 | 22 167 |
| Fezile Dabi DM | 35 723 | 3 000 | 0 | 38 723 |
| **Total** | **313 971** | **434 913** | **563 896** | **1 312 779** |

**Gauteng Province**

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ekurhuleni | 194 254 | 222 050 | 256 006 | 672 311 |
| City of Johannesburg | 217 330 | 247 721 | 284 522 | 749 573 |
| City of Tshwane | 152 239 | 182 126 | 200 697 | 535 062 |
| Nokeng tsa Taemane | 0 | 0 | 6 145 | 6 145 |
| Kungwini | 0 | 0 | 13 018 | 13 018 |
| Metsweding DM | 12 928 | 20 323 | 0 | 33 251 |
| Emfuleni | 35 915 | 46 279 | 57 074 | 139 268 |
| Midvaal | 0 | 6 551 | 7 217 | 13 768 |
| Lesedi | 0 | 10 997 | 10 504 | 21 501 |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mbhashe | | 0 | 11 490 | 11 490 |
| Mnquma | | 14 657 | 16 444 | 31 101 |
| Great Kei | | 0 | 2 521 | 2 521 |
| Amahlathi | 0 | 0 | 7 234 | 7 234 |
| Buffalo City | 71 270 | 85 603 | 97 156 | 254 029 |
| Ngqushwa | 0 | 3 999 | 4 821 | 8 820 |
| Nkonkobe | 0 | 0 | 6 724 | 6 724 |
| Nxuba | | 0 | | 0 |
| Amatole DM | 139 883 | 148 259 | 142 742 | 430 885 |
| Inxuba Yethemba | 0 | 0 | 2 097 | 2 097 |
| Tsolwana | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Inkwanca | | 0 | | 0 |
| Lukhanji | | 6 996 | 8 776 | 15 772 |
| Intsika Yethu | | 0 | 8 542 | 8 542 |
| Emalahleni | 0 | 0 | 5 662 | 5 662 |
| Engcobo | 0 | 6 340 | 6 692 | 13 033 |
| Sakhisizwe | 0 | 0 | 3 180 | 3 180 |
| Chris Hani DM | 119 457 | 135 003 | 129 964 | 384 423 |
| Elundini | 0 | 0 | 9 055 | 9 055 |
| Senqu | 0 | 6 565 | 7 328 | 13 893 |
| Maletswai | 0 | 0 | 2 830 | 2 830 |
| Gariep | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ukhahlamba DM | 71 023 | 91 670 | 69 739 | 232 432 |
| Mbizana | | 8 787 | 10 047 | 18 835 |
| Ntabankulu | | 0 | 5 853 | 5 853 |
| Qaukeni | 0 | 0 | 10 947 | 10 947 |
| Port St. Johns | 0 | 5 815 | 6 106 | 11 921 |
| Nyandeni | 0 | 0 | 11 474 | 11 474 |
| Mhlontlo | 0 | 0 | 9 573 | 9 573 |
| King Sabata Dalindyebo | 13 698 | 16 011 | 17 266 | 46 975 |
| O.R. Tambo DM | 269 948 | 296 751 | 295 864 | 862 563 |
| Umzimkhulu | | 6 843 | | 6 843 |
| Umzimvubu | 0 | 7 706 | 30 755 | 38 461 |
| Alfred Nzo DM | 105 965 | 100 248 | 61 423 | 267 635 |
| Matatiele | 0 | | 10 136 | 10 136 |
| **Total** | **884 620** | **1 063 817** | **1 288 257** | **3 236 694** |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dannhauser | 0 | 0 | 3 998 | 3 998 |
| Amajuba DM | 14 424 | 17 525 | 16 212 | 48 161 |
| eDumbe | 0 | 0 | 2 887 | 2 887 |
| uPhongolo | 0 | 0 | 4 622 | 4 622 |
| Abaqulusi | 0 | 0 | 6 416 | 6 416 |
| Nongoma | 0 | 0 | 6 370 | 6 370 |
| Ulundi | 0 | 0 | 6 859 | 6 859 |
| Zululand DM | 95 286 | 124 755 | 95 241 | 315 282 |
| Umhlabuyalingana | 0 | 5 290 | 5 796 | 11 086 |
| Jozini | 0 | 0 | 7 625 | 7 625 |
| The Big Five False Bay | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Hlabisa | 0 | 0 | 4 990 | 4 990 |
| Mtubatuba | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Umkhanyakude DM | 85 184 | 83 545 | 81 075 | 249 805 |
| Mbonambi | 0 | 3 675 | 3 628 | 7 303 |
| uMhlathuze | 24 612 | 25 533 | 28 040 | 78 184 |
| Ntambanana | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Umlalazi | 0 | 0 | 6 977 | 6 977 |
| Mthonjaneni | 0 | 0 | 2 035 | 2 035 |
| Nkandla | 0 | 4 909 | 5 091 | 10 000 |
| uThungulu DM | 68 680 | 77 691 | 71 223 | 217 594 |
| eNdondakusuka | 0 | 0 | 6 492 | 6 492 |
| KwaDukuza | 7 806 | 9 124 | 9 846 | 26 777 |
| Ndwedwe | 0 | 0 | 6 080 | 6 080 |
| Maphumulo | 0 | 4 274 | 4 660 | 8 934 |
| Ilembe DM | 61 743 | 66 991 | 60 799 | 189 533 |
| Ingwe | 0 | 4 099 | 4 526 | 8 625 |
| Kwa Sani | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Matatiele | 0 | 0 | 4 251 | 4 251 |
| Greater Kokstad | 0 | 3 509 | 4 886 | 8 395 |
| Ubuhlebezwe | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Sisonke DM | 35 304 | 35 414 | 56 804 | 127 522 |
| Umzimkhulu | | | 7 666 | 7 666 |
| **Total** | **943 017** | **1 116 278** | **1 262 412** | **3 321 708** |

## Limpopo Province

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Makhuduthamaga | 0 | 10 135 | 12 069 | 22 204 |
| Fetakgomo | 0 | 0 | 4 733 | 4 733 |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sedibeng DM | 10 062 | 11 000 | 0 | 21 062 |
| Mogale City | 23 747 | 26 645 | 28 998 | 79 390 |
| Randfontein | 8 288 | 9 687 | 10 967 | 28 942 |
| Westonaria | 0 | 25 552 | 23 406 | 48 958 |
| Merafong City | 21 776 | 30 453 | 0 | 52 229 |
| West Rand DM | 22 682 | 2 029 | 0 | 24 712 |
| Total | 699 221 | 841 414 | 898 554 | 2 439 188 |

**KwaZulu-Natal Province**

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| eThekwini | 226 133 | 260 311 | 304 940 | 791 384 |
| Vulamehlo | 0 | 0 | 3 222 | 3 222 |
| Umdoni | 0 | 5 172 | 3 008 | 8 180 |
| Umzumbe | 0 | 0 | 7 993 | 7 993 |
| uMuziwabantu | 0 | 0 | 3 908 | 3 908 |
| Ezinqolweni | 0 | 0 | 2 192 | 2 192 |
| Hibiscus Coast | 6 392 | 17 571 | 8 304 | 32 267 |
| Ugu DM | 92 283 | 95 091 | 100 360 | 287 735 |
| uMshwathi | 0 | 0 | 3 927 | 3 927 |
| uMngeni | 0 | 2 863 | 3 144 | 6 007 |
| Mooi Mpofana | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Impendle | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Msunduzi | 37 855 | 44 246 | 51 646 | 133 748 |
| Mkhambathini | 0 | 2 141 | | 2 141 |
| Richmond | 0 | 0 | 3 210 | 3 210 |
| uMgungundlovu DM | 36 144 | 46 604 | 38 847 | 121 595 |
| Emnambithi/Ladysmith | 5 822 | 6 805 | 8 294 | 20 921 |
| Indaka | 0 | 0 | 4 613 | 4 613 |
| Umtshezi | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Okhahlamba | 0 | 0 | 5 634 | 5 634 |
| Imbabazane | 0 | 0 | 4 832 | 4 832 |
| Uthukela DM | 52 596 | 64 150 | 63 988 | 180 735 |
| Endumeni | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Nquthu | 0 | 0 | 6 435 | 6 435 |
| Msinga | 0 | 0 | 6 847 | 6 847 |
| Umvoti | 0 | 4 249 | 3 738 | 7 988 |
| Umzinyathi DM | 72 617 | 77 205 | 68 985 | 218 807 |
| Newcastle | 20 136 | 23 535 | 29 249 | 72 920 |
| Utrecht | 0 | 0 | | 0 |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pixley Ka Seme | 0 | 7 566 | 8 817 | 16 383 |
| Lekwa | 0 | 10 125 | 12 805 | 22 930 |
| Dipaleseng | 0 | 0 | 5 089 | 5 089 |
| Govan Mbeki | 23 424 | 37 504 | 29 906 | 90 834 |
| Gert Sibande DM | 53 353 | 50 208 | 0 | 103 561 |
| Delmas | 0 | 5 610 | 6 221 | 11 831 |
| Emalahleni | 24 681 | 32 462 | 30 921 | 88 064 |
| Steve Tshwete | 8 455 | 10 138 | 10 696 | 29 289 |
| Emakhazeni | 0 | 0 | 3 052 | 3 052 |
| Thembisile | 0 | 0 | 35 631 | 35 631 |
| Dr JS Moroka | 5 250 | 31 397 | 36 582 | 73 229 |
| Nkangala DM | 61 279 | 34 617 | 0 | 95 896 |
| Thaba Chweu | 0 | 0 | 8 866 | 8 866 |
| Mbombela | 51 101 | 58 729 | 65 189 | 175 020 |
| Umjindi | 0 | 8 042 | 7 030 | 15 072 |
| Nkomazi | 0 | 17 460 | 44 601 | 62 062 |
| Ehlanzeni DM | 49 149 | 37 231 | 17 942 | 104 323 |
| Bushbuckridge | | | 91 212 | 91 212 |
| **Total** | **276 693** | **360 506** | **470 284** | **1 107 483** |

## Northern Cape Province

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gamagara | 0 | 0 | 15 057 | 15 057 |
| Moshaweng | 0 | 0 | 10 293 | 10 293 |
| Ga-Segonyana | 0 | 16 749 | | 16 749 |
| Kgalagadi DM | 57 613 | 37 361 | 7 706 | 102 681 |
| Richtersveld | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Nama Khoi | 0 | 8 527 | 8 355 | 16 883 |
| Kamiesberg | 0 | 0 | 410 | 410 |
| Hantam | 0 | 0 | 3 128 | 3 128 |
| Karoo Hoogland | 0 | 196 | | 196 |
| Khai-Ma | 0 | 752 | | 752 |
| Namakwa DM | 9 839 | 5 579 | 4 568 | 19 986 |
| Ubuntu | 0 | 0 | 1 445 | 1 445 |
| Umsobomvu | 0 | 0 | 7 524 | 7 524 |
| Emthanjeni | 0 | 0 | 2 357 | 2 357 |
| Kareeberg | 0 | 0 | 3 470 | 3 470 |
| Renosterberg | 0 | 0 | 4 721 | 4 721 |
| Thembelihle | 0 | 0 | 1 085 | 1 085 |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Greater Marble Hall | 0 | 0 | 5 084 | 5 084 |
| Greater Groblersdal | 0 | 8 414 | 9 873 | 18 286 |
| Greater Tubatse | 0 | 0 | 12 992 | 12 992 |
| Greater Sekhukhune Cross Boundary | 143 826 | 153 289 | 168 647 | 465 763 |
| Maruleng | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Bushbuckridge | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Bohlabela DM | 76 087 | 94 922 | | 171 009 |
| Greater Giyani | 0 | 0 | 10 264 | 10 264 |
| Greater Letaba | 0 | 0 | 11 571 | 11 571 |
| Greater Tzaneen | 14 079 | 16 455 | 17 452 | 47 986 |
| Ba-Phalaborwa | 0 | 0 | 4 766 | 4 766 |
| Mopani DM | 78 823 | 98 257 | 110 292 | 287 372 |
| Maruleng | | | 4 193 | 4 193 |
| Musina | 0 | 0 | 2 584 | 2 584 |
| Mutale | 0 | 0 | 3 422 | 3 422 |
| Thulamela | 0 | 20 969 | 23 705 | 44 674 |
| Makhado | 0 | 18 442 | 21 247 | 39 688 |
| Vhembe DM | 97 440 | 86 737 | 124 467 | 308 644 |
| Blouberg | 0 | 0 | 8 346 | 8 346 |
| Aganang | 0 | 0 | 6 743 | 6 743 |
| Molemole | 0 | 0 | 5 875 | 5 875 |
| Polokwane | 59 857 | 69 081 | 77 725 | 206 662 |
| Lepelle-Nkumpi | 0 | 0 | 9 736 | 9 736 |
| Capricorn DM | 64 098 | 78 824 | 74 997 | 217 919 |
| Thabazimbi | 0 | 0 | 12 322 | 12 322 |
| Lephalale | 0 | 12 639 | 12 818 | 25 458 |
| Mookgopong | 0 | 3 710 | 3 226 | 6 935 |
| Modimolle | 0 | 0 | 12 068 | 12 068 |
| Bela Bela | 0 | 3 992 | 4 076 | 8 068 |
| Mogalakwena | 0 | 0 | 45 972 | 45 972 |
| Waterberg DM | 58 212 | 51 902 | 0 | 110 114 |
| **Total** | **592 423** | **727 769** | **821 264** | **2 141 455** |

## Mpmulanga Province

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Albert Luthuli | 0 | 19 416 | 25 723 | 45 139 |
| Msukaligwa | 0 | 0 | 11 694 | 11 694 |
| Mkhondo | 0 | 0 | 18 306 | 18 306 |

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Potchefstroom | 9 223 | 10 780 | 12 083 | 32 086 |
| Klerksdorp | 31 003 | 52 137 | 63 335 | 146 474 |
| Maquassi Hills | 0 | 8 173 | 27 447 | 35 620 |
| Southern DM | 10 763 | 5 100 | | 15 863 |
| Merafong City | | | 29 253 | 29 253 |
| **Total** | **334 865** | **422 254** | **525 574** | **1 282 693** |

## Western Cape Province

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| City of Cape Town | 154 387 | 167 802 | 196 657 | 518 846 |
| Matzikama | 0 | 3 078 | 5 729 | 8 808 |
| Cederberg | 0 | 4 031 | 2 000 | 6 031 |
| Bergrivier | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Saldanha Bay | 2 184 | 2 553 | 2 928 | 7 666 |
| Swartland | 0 | 4 598 | 3 556 | 8 153 |
| West Coast DM | 10 511 | 5 504 | 4 330 | 20 344 |
| Witzenberg | 0 | 0 | 3 796 | 3 796 |
| Drakenstein | 9 881 | 9 527 | 9 822 | 29 231 |
| Stellenbosch | 7 466 | 10 138 | 9,407 | 27 012 |
| Breede Valley | 5 411 | 6 325 | 6 906 | 18 642 |
| Breede River Winelands | 0 | 3 551 | 4 223 | 7 774 |
| Cape Winelands | 10 661 | 3 955 | | 14 616 |
| Theewaterskloof | 0 | 8 134 | 6 674 | 14 807 |
| Overstrand | 2 509 | 3 002 | 4 575 | 10 085 |
| Cape Agulhas | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Swellendam | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Overberg DM | 8 101 | 3 857 | 2 411 | 14 369 |
| Kannaland | 0 | 0 | 3 818 | 3 818 |
| Hessequa/Langeberg | 0 | 400 | | 400 |
| Mossel Bay | 2 530 | 3 477 | 5 750 | 11 756 |
| George | 7 020 | 8 205 | 9 461 | 24 687 |
| Oudtshoorn | 0 | 6 162 | 3 609 | 9 771 |
| Bitou/Plettenberg Bay | 0 | 6 271 | 2 602 | 8 873 |
| Knysna | 0 | 6 012 | 5 969 | 11 980 |
| Eden DM | 15 581 | 4 302 | 6 708 | 26 591 |
| Laingsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Prince Albert | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Beaufort West | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Central Karoo DM | 27 091 | 26 141 | 3 209 | 56 441 |
| **Total** | **263 334** | **297 027** | **304 137** | **864 497** |

Cross-boundary municipality that moved from one province/district to another

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Siyathemba | 0 | 0 | 3 326 | 3 326 |
| Siyancuma | 0 | 6 532 | 3 902 | 10 435 |
| Karoo DM | 14 258 | 22 620 | 6 214 | 43 092 |
| Mier | 0 | 338 | | 338 |
| Kaiy Garib | 0 | 599 | 4 124 | 4 722 |
| //Khara Hais | 0 | 3 000 | 6 033 | 9 033 |
| YKheis | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Tsantsabane | 0 | 7 473 | | 7 473 |
| Kgatelopele | 0 | 203 | | 203 |
| Siyanda DM | 18 506 | 16 873 | 5 870 | 41 250 |
| Sol Plaatje | 20 617 | 23 753 | 16 983 | 61 353 |
| Dikgatlong | 0 | 3 000 | 4 815 | 7 815 |
| Magareng | 0 | 0 | 2 797 | 2 797 |
| Phokwane | 0 | 6 929 | 6 741 | 13 670 |
| Frances Baard DM | 10 966 | 11 700 | 0 | 22 666 |
| **Total** | **131 800** | **172 184** | **130 922** | **434 906** |

## North West Province

| *Municipality* | *2004-05 Fin Year* | *2005-06 Fin Year* | *2006-07 Fin Year* | *Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moretele | 0 | 29 397 | 34 175 | 63 572 |
| Madibeng | 52 266 | 64 167 | 67 720 | 184 154 |
| Rustenburg | 57 230 | 57 898 | 69 010 | 184 137 |
| Kgetlengrivier | 0 | 0 | 6 464 | 6 464 |
| Moses Kotane | 0 | 34 845 | 41 184 | 76 029 |
| Bojanala Platinum DM | 63 256 | 14 939 | 0 | 78 195 |
| Ratlou | 0 | 0 | 5 171 | 5 171 |
| Tswaing | 0 | 0 | 6 412 | 6 412 |
| Mafikeng | 0 | 11 423 | 12 593 | 24 015 |
| Ditsobotla | 0 | 0 | 8 310 | 8 310 |
| Zeerust | 0 | 0 | 7 107 | 7 107 |
| Central DM | 69 129 | 71 630 | 69 231 | 209 990 |
| Kagisano | 0 | 4 218 | 4 443 | 8 661 |
| Naledi | 0 | 0 | 2 571 | 2 571 |
| Mamusa | 0 | 2 844 | 3 338 | 6 183 |
| Greater Taung | 0 | 7 594 | 8 988 | 16 582 |
| Molopo | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Lekwa-Teamane | 0 | 0 | 3 073 | 3 073 |
| Bophirima DM | 41 996 | 40 809 | 37 648 | 120 452 |
| Ventersdorp | 0 | 6 301 | 6 017 | 12 319 |

The following table depicts some of the projects and programmes:

| *Events host(s)* | *Event name and brief description* | *Date* | *Venue* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dplg and KZN Provincial Govt (mainly the Premier's Office and other provincial departments) | Farm Workers' Awareness Project:<br>The event sought to highlight the susceptibility of farm workers (mainly women and children) to abuse and violence, to raise their awareness of their rights, to involve farmers in finding solutions, and to bring government services closer to them. | 13 October 2006 | Ladysmith, KZN |
| Limpopo Provincial Govt (Dept. of Roads and Transport) | Monitoring of Child Maintenance<br>The event targeted men who pay traffic fines. They checked whether those men who are supposed to be paying child-support are actually doing so. In addition, this will highlight the fact that non-payment of child maintenance is tantamount to abuse through neglect as it deprives children of their right to food, clothing and other needs. | 9 November 2006 | All municipalities in the province where traffic fines are paid |
| Limpopo | Street demonstration and picketing on rape and domestic violence. The event aims to raise public awareness and to prompt action against rape and domestic violence | 27 November 2006 | Belabela, Limpopo |
| Dplg (Quality of Life) | Children's and Women's Clothing Drive. The project will collect clothing to be distributed to destitute women and children who have been displaced and live in shelters as a result of abuse and domestic violence. The drive will highlight the impact of abuse as well as provide the necessary support. | 1-30 November 2006 | Designated areas within dplg |

**Transactions by the National Conventional Arms Control Committee (NCACC)**

1239. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister for Provincial and Local Government:

(a) What transactions have been (i) approved and (ii) refused by the National Conventional Arms Control Committee (NCACC) (aa) in the 2005-06 financial year and (bb) to date in the 2006-07 financial year, (b) what items were sold in each transaction, (c) to whom were the items sold in each case and (d) what was the value of each transaction? N1642E

The MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

The 2005 NCACC Annual Report has been drafted. This report will be tabled in Parliament through the relevant channels. The information required by the hon member is contained in the 2005 draft Annual Report.

Information relating to 2006 will be tabled in Parliament in 2007.

**Campaigns for the 16 Days of Activism against Gender Violence**

1377. Ms F BATYI (ID) asked the Minister for Provincial and Local Government: *(Interdepartmental transfer on 20 October 2006)*

(1) Whether there are any government campaigns planned for the upcoming 16 Days of Activism Against Gender Violence; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether there are any government programmes in place aimed at (a) preventing and (b) putting an end to the abuse of women; if not, why not; if so, what programmes;

(3) whether any other methods are considered to reduce violence against women; if not, why not; if so, what methods? N1784E

The MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

The Minister is not responsible for this programme. The Presidency assigned the management of the programme to the Deputy Minister for Provincial and Local Government, who has furnished the following response:

(1) There are numerous government events, activities, projects and programmes planned around the 16 Days of Activism Campaign. In addition to its own programmes, the Department of Provincial and Local Government (the dplg) is coordinating the programmes of sector departments and provincial Offices on the Status of Women. The Deputy Minister, Ms Nomatyala Hangana, as National Convenor of the campaign, has utilised a number of forums to garner support for the campaign across the country. She has addressed a variety of audiences at conferences, Izimbizo, etc, to ensure that the campaign reaches and benefits the most disempowered women and children living in far-flung, rural, and often economically-depressed areas of our country.

The 2006 campaign has, as its primary outcome, behaviour change among perpetrators and potential perpetrators as well as empowerment for victims and survivors of abuse and violence.

On 13 September 2006, Deputy Minister Hangana wrote to all Cabinet Ministers soliciting their support and requesting that sector departments forward their programmes to her office for integration.

The submissions that have been received thus far have been analysed to ensure that they contain the necessary detail. The National 16 Days of Activism Campaign Programme has been posted on the Women's Net website: www.womensnet.org.za.

erment of women. Women who are economically self-sufficient are unlikely to be trapped in abusive situations. They are much more likely to leave abusive situations and raise their children in safer environments where the children are less likely to learn that abuse and violence against women is an acceptable practice in our society.

- Confronting and challenging ingrained attitudes and beliefs that underpin the abuse of women and children through educational and empowerment initiatives.
- Engaging men as partners in programmes that are aimed at ending violence against women and children.
- Addressing the question of violence, broadly, as an unacceptable means of resolving problems.
- Highlighting the role women themselves may be playing in encouraging children into perpetuating violence against women. For example, if mothers encourage their boy children to use violence or aggressive means to resolve problems, they might inadvertently be sowing the seeds for future violent behaviour.

**Budget for annual reports**

1413. Adv P S SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of her department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to her, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost, (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1867E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

**ANNEXURE**

| *Department/Entity* | *Annual Report* | *Cost/Number 2005-06* | *Cost/Number 2004-05* |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Communications | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | R300 000,00 | R285 000,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R162 941,80 | R197 080,92 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R108,62 | R65,59 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 1 500 | 3 000 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 950 | 3 000 |
| 2. Entities: 2.1 SENTECH | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | R400 000,00 | R350 000,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R456 950,00 | R305 000,00 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R304,63 | R231,00 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 1 500 | 1 500 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 1 500 | 1 041 |
| 2.2. SABC | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | R180 000,00 | R337 500,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R724 245,00 | R902 490,00 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R362,00 | R451,00 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 2 000 | 2 000 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 1 990 | 1 880 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dplg (Equity and Development) | Inter-departmental campaign targeting men and boys. Male employees from national sector departments will serve as campaign ambassadors and engage male commuters at taxi ranks around Tshwane on women and children abuse. They will also distribute educational material on the scourge and its impact and urge males to take action even though they themselves might not be abusers. | 24 November 2006 | Taxi ranks around Tshwane, Gauteng |
| The Presidency, Dplg, GCIS, other sector departments and provincial governments | Launch (Opening Ceremony): The 16 Days of Activism Campaign: The Campaign launch will focus the nation and other SADC countries on the 2006 Campaign itself as well as on its messages and will mark the beginning of a targeted and concerted effort to end violence against women and children. | 25 November 2006 | Limpopo (Actual venue to be confirmed) |
| The Presidency, the dplg, GCIS, sector departments and provincial governments | Closing Ceremony — 16 Days of Activism Campaign. While the ceremony will mark the end of the 16 Days of Activism, it will highlight the need to retain the vigilance and corrective actions throughout the year. | 10 December 2006 | Upington, Northern Cape |

(2) Yes, all programmes, projects, events and activities implemented as part of the 16 Days Campaign are designed to both:

(a) prevent the abuse of children and women; and

(b) put an end to the abuse of women and children.

In addition, some programmes seek to give support and to empower victims and survivors of abuse while they encourage everybody (all members of our society), to take action to end violence and abuse of women and children in all their deplorable forms.

(3) Yes. A variety of methods and approaches are used to end violence against women. These include:

- Promulgation of legislation such as the Sexual Offences Bill which, once finalised, will broaden the definition of sexual violence and ensure heavy sentences for convicted offenders.
- Engaging local government structures such as Ward Committees and traditional leaders to play an active role in reducing, and ultimately putting an end to, violence against women and children in their communities.
- Supporting grassroots, nongovernmental organisations (NGOs) and community-based organisations (CBOs) that run programmes aimed at facilitating the economic empow-

| *Metro council* | *Count* |
|---|---|
| Buffalo City | 16 074 |
| City of Cape Town | 97 115 |
| City of Johannesburg | 136 858 |
| Ekurhuleni | 114 308 |
| Emfuleni | 19 997 |
| eThekwini | 94 986 |
| Mangaung | 19 480 |
| Mbombela | 12 438 |
| Nelson Mandela | 24 487 |
| Tshwane | 18 080 |

(ii) The DoT does not administer the appointment/booking process for driving licence and learners licence applications on the National Traffic Information System (NaTIS). Such applications for appointments/bookings are done at local authority level or are managed by provincial offices on manual systems and offline independent systems as the NaTIS does not currently provide this functionality. As from January 2007 with the implementation of the eNaTIS system (replacement for the NaTIS), the appointments/bookings will be administered, making use of the online booking module in the eNaTIS system, which will give accurate information regarding available test appointments throughout all driving licence testing centres throughout the nine provinces. In addition, other management information will also be available, including reports on understaffing and capacity shortage.

(b) (i) Firstly, due to the lack of accurate online appointment/booking information, capacity planning cannot be effectively done. Secondly, due to the lack of accurate online appointment/booking information, many available slots are not utilised due to a breakdown in the manual communication between the Testing Centres and Call Centres administrating bookings. Thirdly, applicants do not arrive on time for the allocated time slots and due to the fact that such tests cannot start late, such tests have to be rescheduled. Fourthly, and probably the most important, infrastructure such as the number of examiners for driving licences and the number of test tracks are not sufficient. Lastly, the record number of vehicles sold each month had a snowball effect on the number of applicants that increased as a result thereof. The limited capacity is further compounded by the low test pass rate as shown below: —

| | *Driving licence tests* | | | *Learner's licence tests* | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Applications* | *Issued* | *Pass Rate %* | *Applications* | *Issued* | *Pass Rate %* |
| Eastern Cape | 93 784 | 31 220 | 33,29 | 151 601 | 95 557 | 63,03 |
| Free State Province | 83 533 | 26 831 | 32,12 | 149 996 | 67 802 | 45,20 |
| Gauteng | 335 275 | 143 187 | 42,71 | 562 275 | 344 743 | 61,31 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 210 839 | 82 132 | 38,95 | 358 365 | 176 827 | 49,34 |
| Limpopo | 111 451 | 52 241 | 46,87 | 138 442 | 89 645 | 64,75 |
| Mpumalanga | 75 726 | 35 216 | 46,50 | 102 371 | 59 335 | 57,96 |
| North West | 106 609 | 36 199 | 33,95 | 186 392 | 87 468 | 46,93 |

| *Department/Entity* | *Annual Report* | *Cost/Number 2005-06* | *Cost/Number 2004-05* |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2.3. SAPO | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | No budgeted cost | R248 738,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R956 928,00 | R412 557,00 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R613,02 | R275,00 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 1 561 | 1 500 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 1 561 | 1 500 |
| 2.4. USAASA | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | R150 000,00 | R225 000,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R122 500,00 | R208 330,44 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R141,85 | — |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 800 | 1 500 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 560 | 750 |
| 2.5. NEMISA | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | Part of printing budget | Part of marketing budget |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R57 246,00 | R42 070,56 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R71,55 | R42,07 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 1 000 | 1 000 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 535 | 535 |
| 2.6. ICASA | **(a)** | | |
| | (i) Budgeted cost | R350 000,00 | R500 000,00 |
| | (ii) Actual cost | R315 027,00 | R303 933,14 |
| | (iii) Unit cost of each report | R157,51 | R151,97 |
| | **(b)** | | |
| | (i) Number of copies produced | 2 000 | 2 000 |
| | (ii) Number of copies distributed | 2 050 | 2 000 |

## Learners and drivers licences

1487. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(a) How many (i) applications for (aa) learner's licences and (bb) driving licences have there been since 2005 in each metro council and (ii) of these applications could not be accommodated in each relevant year and (b) why (i) is there such a long waiting period for learner's and driving licences and (ii) are so many applicants unsuccessful in their first appointment? N1949E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(a) In order to answer the question, the Department of Transport (DoT) consolidated statistics for the period 1 January 2005 to 31 July 2006 for all driving licence testing centres operated by the metropolitan Councils.

(i) Applications processed for (aa) learner's licences per Metro Council (alphabetical order): —

| *Metro council* | *Count* |
|---|---|
| Buffalo City | 34 821 |
| City of Cape Town | 126 017 |
| City of Johannesburg | 181 832 |
| Ekurhuleni | 206 795 |
| Emfuleni | 36 928 |
| eThekwini | 154 588 |
| Mangaung | 41 222 |
| Mbombela | 6 798 |
| Nelson Mandela | 46 774 |
| Tshwane | 62 100 |

(bb) driving licence tests per metro council (alphabetical order): —

The details of sponsorships received by the Department of Transport for the 2005/06 financial year are as follows: —

Received in cash

| *(a) (i) and (ii)* | *(b)* | *(c)* |
|---|---|---|
| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *What was it used for* |
| Fleet Africa | 250 000 | All of these sponsorships were for the Conference of African Union Ministers responsible for Air Transport that was held from 16-19 May 2005. |
| Airports Company South Africa Limited (ACSA) | 250 000 | |
| ComAir | 100 000 | |
| South African National Roads Agency Limited (SANRAL) | 5 000 | |
| Standard Bank | 20 000 | |
| South African Rail Commuter Corporation Limited (SARCC) | 60 000 | |
| South African Civil Aviation Authorite (SACAA) | 100 000 | |
| ATNS | 20 000 | |
| Ethiopian Air | 30 000 | |
| TOTAL | 835 000 | |

The details of sponsorships received by the Department of Transport for the 2006-07 financial year are as follows: —

Received in kind

| *(a) (i) and (ii)* | *(b)* | *(c)* |
|---|---|---|
| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *What was it used for* |
| Commutanet | 3 500 | Wreath laid in commemoration of World Remembrance Day for victims of road accidents |
| TOTAL | 3 500 | |

No further sponsorships were received in the 2006-07 financial year. A number of pledges were, however, made as listed below: —

| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *Purpose* |
|---|---|---|
| National Association of Automobile Manufacturers of South Africa (NAAMSA) | 250 000 | World Remembrance Day |
| SANRAL | 25 000 | World Remembrance Day |
| Road Accident Fund (RAF) | 1 000 000 | World Remembrance Day |

| | *Driving licence tests* | | | *Learner's licence tests* | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Applications* | *Issued* | *Pass Rate %* | *Applications* | *Issued* | *Pass Rate %* |
| Northern Cape | 24 580 | 8 566 | 34,85 | 47 926 | 22 751 | 47,47 |
| Western Cape | 163 803 | 58 728 | 35,85 | 254 056 | 130 651 | 51,43 |
| Grand total | 1 205 600 | 474 320 | 39,34 | 1 951 424 | 1 074 779 | 55,08 |

(ii) Firstly, the South African pass rate is in line with, for example that of the United Kingdom, the basis for the South African driving test. The big difference is most likely the quality of driver training available in the UK. Secondly, there are problems with access to driver training, especially in the rural areas. Thirdly, quite a number of people have the attitude that driving is simple and as soon as they have mastered the principle of clutch control they believe they will pass the test, which is far from the truth.

## Sponsorships received

1672. Mr S B FARROW (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, his department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2232E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

The details of sponsorships received by the Department of Transport for the 2004-05 financial year are as follows: —

Received in cash

| *(a) (i) and (ii)* | *(b)* | *(c )* |
|---|---|---|
| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *What was it used for* |
| Air Traffic and Navigation Services Company Limited (ATNS) | 20 000 | South African Search and Rescue video |
| Kagiso TV & Communication | 50 000 | Maritime Yearbook |
| Subtotal | 70 000 | |

Received in kind

| *(a) (i) and (ii)* | *(b)* | *(c)* |
|---|---|---|
| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *What was it used for* |
| Imperial Fleet Services | 250 000 | 20 Vehicles plus fuel and insurance |
| South African Breweries | 60 000 | Sponsorship of patrol car launch |
| Pick 'n Pay | 150 000 | Flighting road safety messaged on TV |
| Subtotal | 460 000 | |
| TOTAL | 530 000 | |

## QUESTIONS

***For written reply:***

### Cost of annual reports

1411. Mrs D VAN DER WALT (DA) asked the Minister of Arts and Culture:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of his department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to him, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1865E

The MINISTER OF ARTS AND CULTURE:

My department is responsible for a number of entities dealing with Arts and Culture issues of this country. Each of these entities has the responsibility to submit an annual report on their activities and how funds allocated by this department have been utilized.

In response to the hon member's question, a detailed copy of the annual reports of all the entities is attached for your attention.

### SAPS obtaining sponsorships

1667. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, the SA Police Service has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2227E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

Donations, gifts and sponsorships to the SAPS are regulated in terms of a draft National Instruction. The National Instruction will be finalised once it has been consolidated but is utilised in the SAPS in the interim to manage this issue.

| *(a) (i) & (ii) company & parastatal* | *purpose & year sponsored* | *(b) & (c) cash/service & amount received* |
|---|---|---|
| National office | | |
| POPCRU | 2006, Polmusca National Festival | Payment for flights made by POPCRU for adjudicators travel and accommodation in Durban — R34 336,52 |
| Old Mutual | 2006, Polmusca National Festival | R120 000 — Organisation of the event (paid directly to the supplier) |
| Assupol Life — Pretoria | 2005 — Southern African Regional Police Chiefs cooperation organisation games | clothing valued @ R132 000 |
| Chinese Corporation Centre — Durban | National badminton championships 2006 | R20 000 — Organisation of event |
| SABS (South African Bureau of Standards) | Namibia tour | clothing valued @ R32 000 |
| Assupol Life | 2005 & 2006 National Championships | R30 000 — Organisation of event |
| Metropolitan Life | National Golf Championships 2005 | clothing valued @ R120 000 |

| *Name of organisation* | *Amount received (Rands)* | *Purpose* |
|---|---|---|
| RAF | 15 000 | Exhibition stands for the Transport Indaba (October 2006) |
| SANRAL | 15 000 | Exhibition stands for the Transport Indaba (October 2006) |
| Commuter Hotline | 7 500 | Exhibition stands for the Transport Indaba (October 2006) |
| KwaZulu-Natal Transport | 15 000 | Exhibition stands for the Transport Indaba (October 2006) |
| Precision Safety Appliance | 15 000 | Exhibition stands for the Transport Indaba (October 2006) |
| SARCC | 250 000 | Transport Indaba |
| RAF | 50 000 | Transport Indaba |
| SANRAL | 25 000 | Transport Indaba |
| South African Maritime Safety Authority (SAMSA) | 25 000 | Transport Indaba |
| ACSA | 25 000 | Transport Indaba |
| TOTAL | 1 717 500 | |

**Protests by taxi industry**

1677. Mr B W DHLAMINI (IFP) asked the Minister of Transport:

Whether, in light of the chaos flowing out of anti-recapitalisation protests by the taxi industry, his department is concerned about the criminal elements within the taxi industry; if so, what measures will his department take to prevent further eruption of chaos and violence? N2251E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

The implementation and rollout of the Taxi Recapitalisation Project (TRP) has reached a critical point. Commuter representative bodies that represent the users of public transport in the country have indicated their strong support for the need to have safe public transport vehicles. Furthermore, the National Household Travel Survey of 2003 revealed that the majority of the users of taxis are dissatisfied with the safety of the taxi vehicles.

The taxi industry itself, represented by the all-inclusive democratically elected South African National Taxi Council (SANTACO) has come out in support of the TRP. Apart from recent protests that highlighted aspects of the TRP, the National Taxi Alliance (NTA) has formally raised objections to the TRP.

Whilst Government would address technical issues regarding the implementation of the TRP and support the constitutional right of people to engage in peaceful protest, no illegal or violent activity would be tolerated and the full might of the law would be expected to run its course should violent and chaos erupt. The Department of Transport and the South African Police Services have established a Forum where all issues related to the safety and security issues are dealt with.

Whether the section of the N2 Highway between Witelsbos and the turnoff to the Storms River mouth will be upgraded in time for the 2010 World Cup; if not, why not; if so, (a) when will tenders be called for, (b) what (i) is the estimated cost and (ii) measures will be taken to safeguard the environment? N2286E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

The South African National Roads Agency Limited (SANRAL) has advised me that the reconstruction and upgrading of approximately 13,96 km of the National Route 2, Section 9, between Tsitsikamma and Witelsbos, Eastern Cape, will be finished in time for 2010 Soccer World Cup.

(a) Tenders were called for on 28 August 2006 and the tenders closed on 18 October 2006. The awarding of the contract is expected in early December 2006, with construction starting mid-January 2007.

(b) (i) The estimated cost is R280 million, excluding contingencies, contract price adjustment and VAT.

(ii) The mitigating actions as identified in the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Report are incorporated into the tender, as well as the stringent conditions set by the Department of Environment Affairs and Tourism (DEAT) in the Record of Decision (ROD). These conditions require, *inter alia*, that a full-time Environmental Control Officer must be appointed to oversee the construction, an independent Environmental Auditor will be appointed, who will audit the site quarterly, and an Environmental Monitoring Committee will be established that will have representation of DEAT, SANRAL, Department of Water Affairs and Forestry (local forestry), provincial environmental departments and other local environmental organisations, which will also meet quarterly. Furthermore the contractor must first submit an Environmental Management Plan for approval before he can start work on any section of the contract.

**Upgrading of certain section of N11 road**

1714. Mr M M SWATHE (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

Whether the N11 road between Greater Marble Hall and Mokopane will be upgraded prior to the 2010 World Cup; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2294E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

The SA National Roads Agency Limited (SANRAL) has informed me that the National Road 11 between Greater Marble Hall and Mokopane was proclaimed by the Agency during the last quarter of 2005. A routine road maintenance contractor was appointed in order to maintain the road for safe driving conditions.

SANRAL is currently investigating the demand for special road works along this route for further improvements. However, to date no projects are identified in SANRAL's three-year budget. The subject road is therefore not programmed for road rehabilitation and/or upgrade for the 2010 World Cup, due to insufficient funds.

**Computer equipment from the media information resource centre sponsored by the Norwegian government located in Alexandra**

1742. Dr R RABINOWITZ (IFP) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

(1) Whether, with reference to his reply to Question 1403 on 19 September 2005, the computer equipment from the media information resource centre sponsored by the Norwegian

| *(a) (i) & (ii) company & parastatal* | *purpose & year sponsored* | *(b) & (c) cash/service & amount received* |
|---|---|---|
| sita | 2006 national Martial Arts Championships | R10 000 — Organisation of event |
| Assupol Life | 2005 National Netball Championships<br>2006 National Netball Championships | Clothing valued @ R100 000<br>Clothing valued @ R140 000 |
| Alcom Motomo—Midrand<br>Metropolitan life—PTA | 2006 National Athletics Championships & Development Team Participation | R20 000 — Organisation of event<br>R25 000 — Organisation of event |
| Assupol Life | 2005 & 2006 National Soccer Championships | Clothing valued @ R150 000 |
| EASTERN CAPE PROVINCE | | |
| Old Mutual | 2006 Provincial eliminations — police music association (polmusca) | R30 000 — Organisation of event |
| Vodacom | 2006 - polmusca | tracksuits valued @ R21 000 |
| Metropolitan Life | 2006 - polmusca | uniforms for choir valued @ R29 000 |
| SAPS Development Fund | 2006, National Polmusca Festival in KZN | transport of officials — R10 000 |
| WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE | | |
| MEC Community Safety | 2006, polmusca events | tracksuits valued @ R26 000 |
| GAUTENG | | |
| SAPU | 2006, polmusca provincial eliminations | R10 000 — Organisation of the event |
| NORTHERN CAPE | | |
| MEC for Safety and Security and Absa Bank | 2006, polmusca event | tracksuits and bags valued @ R99 000 |

**Implementation of restructuring plans for FCS units**

1703. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

Whether, with regard to the restructuring of the Family Violence, Child Abuse and Sexual Offences (FCS) unit he will table the (a) business plan and (b) implementation plan for each province; if not, where can it be accessed; if so, what are the relevant details? N2282E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(a) to (b) The business plan with regard to the restructuring of the FCS can be accessed at the offices of the Divisional Commissioner, Career Management, SAPS Head Office and the implementation plan for each province can be accessed at the offices of each Provincial Commissioner once the deployment of the FCS units (and other employees) have been approved by the National Commissioner for that province.

**Tenders for upgrade of certain section of N2 highway**

1706. Mr E W TRENT (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

As indicated in one of my replies to Parliament during the Peace and Security Cluster Question and Answer session, I am no longer going to provide answers that will impact negatively on our operational deployments of human and material resources, or with respect to any area of our operational strategy and tactics.

**SAPS members involved in various programme structures of the SAPS**

1793. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) (a)(i) How many SA Police Service members are currently involved in various programme structures of the SAPS and (ii) in which programme structures in each case are they involved and (b) how many SAPS vehicles (Casspirs and other armoured vehicles excluded) are currently allocated to the various programme structures;

(2) whether each programme structure has at its disposal the number of vehicles as budgeted for each one individually; if not, (a) how many vehicles have been budgeted for and (b) what amount was allocated in each case;

(3) what is the (a) ratio of the number of detectives to the number of cases to be investigated and the number of vehicles needed for this, (b) average number of cases currently entrusted to each detective and (c) norm in respect of cases per detective for effective performance;

(4) whether each detective has a vehicle at his disposal; if not, why not;

(5) (a) on what basis does the chief financial officer himself synchronise his department's budget regarding vehicles for the various programme structures with (i) government policy, (ii) crime statistics and (iii) the needs of the members themselves and (b) how many kilometres were travelled (i) wrongfully, (ii) unofficially, (iii) without the necessary authorisation and/or (iv) for private use from 1 April 2005 to 30 April 2006 in respect of operational and administrative vehicles? N2367E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

As indicated in one of my replies to Parliament during the Peace and Security Cluster Question and Answer session, I am no longer going to provide answers that will impact negatively on our operational deployments of human and material resources, or with respect to any area of our operational strategy and tactics.

**Amount sponsored by Sentech/Siemens for certain function**

1811. Mr M M SWATHE (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

With reference to her reply to Question 825 on 22 August 2006, what amount was sponsored by (a)(i) Siemens and (ii) Sentech for food and refreshments, (b) the SA Post Office for the venue and (c)(i) the SA Broadcasting Corporation (SABC), (ii) Telkom and (iii) Vodacom for travel, accommodation and entertainers? 2387E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

(a) (i) Siemens sponsored R38 665 and (ii) Sentech R32 270 respectively for food and refreshments.

(b) The South African Post Office sponsored R15 000 for the venue.

(c) (i) The SA Broadcasting Corporation (SABC) sponsored R24 050 for flights, accommodation and transport for the entertainers, while (ii) Telkom and Cell C sponsored R15 000 and R20 000 respectively for the entertainment, and (iii) Vodacom sponsored R35 872 for flights, accommodation and transport for the entertainers.

government has been located in Alexandra; if so, (a) where and (b) who use the computers; if not,

(2) whether these are the same computers that have been stored at the Alexandra Renewal Project offices in Wynberg since the World Summit on Sustainable Development (WSSD); if so, why the computers are not being used for the purpose originally intended? N2303E

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

The furniture and equipment was handed over to the City of Johannesburg by the Johannesburg World Summit Company (JOWSCO) in April 2003. An agreement was reached with the Royal Norwegian Embassy to deploy some of the assets to the 3rd Avenue (Children's) and 8th Avenue Libraries and the rest was still going to go to the Local Business Support Centre (LBSC). Initially all assets were stored at Active Transport and Digital Designs because none of the facilities were ready to receive any assets due to construction and alterations which still had to be done.

In July 2003 the furniture destined for the libraries was delivered and after the alarm system was installed the audio-visual equipment was installed. This was followed by a small event whereby the assets were formally handed to the community of Alexandra by the Norwegian Ambassador.

The Local Business Support Centre only became operational in September 2006. It took a long time to get the necessary institutional arrangements in place. The balance of the assets, in storage all the time, has all now been deployed to the LBSC which is situated in the Alexandra Kopano Community Centre in Alexandra.

In my capacity as Minister, I have expressed appreciation and gratitude towards the Norwegian government for their support during the WSSD and the continued support for the follow-up work in meeting the Johannesburg targets.

## SAPS vehicles allocated for operational & administrative use

1792. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) (a) How many SA Police Service vehicles (excluding Casspirs and other armoured vehicles) have been allocated for (i) operational and (ii) administrative use, (b) what is the norm between the number of reported cases to be investigated and the number of vehicles needed to investigate them and (c) how many cases have been reported from 1 April 2005 until 30 April 2006;

(2) (a) how many vehicles for operational use are currently being repaired at workshops/garages, (b) what is the average period of time for which such a vehicle is not in use, (c) how many vehicles are in a working condition for use at any given time and (d)(i) what is the lifespan in kilometres for operational vehicles, (ii) how many of these vehicles have already passed this limit but are still in use and (iii) what is the reason for this;

(3) whether enough has been budgeted to service vehicles; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether all vehicles are officially serviced as required according to the kilometre reading; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) whether some SAPS members have vehicles repaired at their own expense in order just to have a vehicle at their disposal or so that their vehicles are not taken from them; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N2366E

| | *(a)(i) Company* | *(a)(ii) Para-statal* | *(b) Amount* | *(c) Purpose* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | SAPO | R15 000 | Budget vote dinner — venue |
| | | SABC | R24 050 | Budget vote dinner — Flights, accommodation and transport |
| | Vodacom | | R35 872 | Budget vote dinner — Flights, accommodation and transport |
| | Cell C | | R20 000 | Budget vote dinner — Part entertainment |
| | Telkom | | R27 000 | Budget vote dinner — Part entertainment |
| | Telkom | | R80 000 | Promotional Material for Government Focus Week (5000 T-shirts) |

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

**Allegations of illegal activities noted in forensic audit report arising from an investigation into those activities at the CETA**

1626. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minster of Labour:

(1) Whether he has (a) been informed of allegations of (i) fraud, (ii) corruption and (iii) other illegal activities and (b) taken note of the forensic audit report arising from an investigation into those activities at the Construction Education and Training Authority (CETA); if so (aa) what are the findings of the forensic investigation, (bb) which (i) current and (ii) former CETA (aaa) board members and (bbb) employees have been (aaaa) implicated in the alleged illegal activities and (bbbb) criminally charged and/or internally disciplined and (cc)(i) what is the amount of the (aa) financial and (bb) any other loss and (ii) how much has been recovered or will be recovered;

(2) what steps has been or will be taken to ensure that this type of illegal activities does not occur again? N2183E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

(1) Unfortunately no official information on allegations of fraud or corruption or other illegal activities has been received by me. Therefore I am unable to provide the information requested by the hon member.

**Sponsorships obtained**

1651. Adv P S SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, her department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2211E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

The department obtained the following sponsorships during 2005 and 2006. However, although the amounts for each of the sponsorships will be indicated, it should be noted that the department did not receive the moneys. The sponsors paid the amounts directly to the relevant service providers.

| | *(a)(i) Company* | *(a)(ii) Para-statal* | *(b) Amount* | *(c) Purpose* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2005 | Telkom | | R65 835 | Budget vote dinner — food and refreshments |
| | MTN | | R17 000 | Budget vote dinner — venue |
| | Vodacom | | R33 000 | Budget vote dinner — entertainment |
| | Siemens | | R26 000 | Budget vote dinner — entertainment |
| | Cell C | | R22 500 | Gift bags |
| 2006 | Siemens | | R38 676 | Budget vote dinner — food |
| | | Sentech | R20 000 | Budget vote dinner — refreshments |

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of this Act (details furnished); if not, why not; if so,

(2) whether the unilateral appointment of conveyancers by her department is in contravention of section 20 of this Act; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what steps will she take to prevent such unilateral appointments in the future? N2353E

The MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND LAND AFFAIRS:

(1) Reply to Question 1581 on 1 November 2006 does not contradict section 20 of the Deeds Registries Act, Act 47 of 1937. The appointment of a conveyancer to pass transfer or perform any other act in terms of land transfer is not the object of section 20 of the Deeds Registries Act, Act 47 of 1937.

(2) Appointment of conveyancers by the Department does not contradict section 20. Section 20 provides that the land owner executes the Deeds of transfer before the Registrar and if not in person, a conveyancer must have, as authority to act on behalf of the landowner, a power of attorney. The word "authorized" as used in section 20 only qualifies the power of attorney and nothing else. There is no law in South Africa which mandates a Seller in a land transaction to appoint a conveyancer to pass transfer of property. It is a vestige of practice which developed in some parts, not whole of South Africa. No one, including the Government, is bound by such practice.

**Land claim submitted by the Caguba community of Port St Johns *re* former military base has been resolved**

1797. Mr T D LEE (DA) asked the Minister for Agriculture and Land Affairs:

(1) Whether the land claim submitted by the Caguba community of Port St Johns in terms of the Restitution of Land Rights Act, Act 22 of 1994, in respect of the former military base has been resolved; if not, why not; if so,

(2) whether that land has now been valued; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether the land can now be transferred to the Port St Johns Municipality for housing development purposes; if not, why not; if so, what are therelevant details? N2371E

The MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND LAND AFFAIRS:

(1) No, the Land Claims Commission is still finalising issues such as:

- the outstanding electricity debts that have to be settled between the Department of Public Works and Eskom,
- the eviction of illegal occupants occupying the former military base and provision of alternative land for them by the Port St Johns Municipality.

(2) Yes, the Land Claims Commission is awaiting the valuation report from the independent, professional valuer.

(3) No, the claimants have opted for the restoration of land as they want to use the land for development purposes. The land will be restored back to the claimant community and if there is any portion that will be needed by the municipality for a housing development, the latter will be discussed with the claimant community and the municipality.

**Transnet Capital Projects Team identifying infrastructural requirements necessary to make the port of Ngqura operational**

1799. Mr E W TRENT (DA) asked Minister of Public Enterprises:

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Names of the outstanding land claimants in Simon's Town

1758. Ms B A HOGAN (DA) asked the Minister for Agriculture and Land Affairs:

With reference to her reply to Question 333 on 13 June 2006, what are the names of the (a) 74 outstanding land claimants in Simon's Town, (b) 16 claimants seeking restoration in Simon's Town and (c) 186 claimants whose claims have been settled?

The MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE AND LAND AFFAIRS:

(1) (a) There are now 32 outstanding urban land claims in Simon's Town. The claimants are Appleby, Craig, Morris, Davis, George, Yon, Omar, Koeries, Titus, Williams, Clayton, Beaton, Schuman, Hess, Bowers, Williams, Wyngaard, Cooposany, Peterson, James, Hendrickse, Barons, Karlie, Boola, Klein and Moola.

(b) There are now 10 claimants seeking restoration of land, namely Aziz, Dalwai, Davis, Klein, Kallis, Lotters, Lotters, Toefy, Millward and Davidson.

(c) The 186 settled claims referred to in Question 333 included settled claims in Simon's Town and surrounding areas. There are 185 settled claims in the Simon's Town area, namely Anthony, Andrews, Anthony, Atkins, Amlay, Baker, Varners, Booysen, Baker, Baker, Baker, Brown, Constant, Clarke, Craig, Craig, Cronke, Darries, Davis, Davids, DeKoker, De Bruyn, Edwards, Esterhuizen, Fakier, Finck, Fisher, Fortuin, Fisher, Gassiep, Holland, Hendricks, Horsewell, Herman, Hendricks, Jarley, Jarris, Henry, Hollman, Hendricks, Hendrickse, Johnson, Johnson, Daniels, Jenkins, Jacobs, Kallis, Kessow, Karriem, Kindo, Lewis, Levendall, Levendall, Lee, Lucas, Landore, Letsape, Waris, Levendall, Lamb, Laguma, Lotters, Layters, Lotters, Mentor, Marney, Moses, Macauley, Matussa, Manuel, Manuel, Mammat, Matthews, Muller, Messier, Moses, Nomdoe, Nelson, O'Malley, Peterson, Pheiffer, Pheiffer, Roberts, Redelinghuys, Raban, Jason, Simon, Simpson, Speelman, Swain, Stober, Solomons, Simpson, Thomas, Toefy, Toefy, Terry, Trutter, Van Zyl, Vigis, Visagie, Williams, Woodward, Webber, Witbooi, Wyngaard, Wyngaard, Wyngaard, Levendall, Daniels, Jales, Soul, Leeuwendal, Delcarme, Brookes, Williams, Potts, Lawrence, Quickfall, Meyer, Klein, Bull, Levendall, Campbell, Lawrence, Williams, Manual, Fernandez, Adams, Petersen, Jabaar, Thompson, Jackson, Jenkins, Manuel, Manuel, Solomons, Hoosen, Aziz, Ersipe, Jacson, Kindo and Wessels.

### Appointment of conveyancer by seller to do transfer

1780. Mr A H NEL (DA) asked the Minister for Agriculture and Land Affairs:

(1) Whether her reply to Question 1581 on 1 November 2006, namely that the focus of the Deeds Registries Act, Act 47 of 1937, is that a conveyancer must be appointed by the seller or the purchaser to do the land transfer, contradicts section 20

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Expenses incurred at certain ex-military bases

1314. Mr J P I BLANCHÉ (DA) asked the Minister of Public Works:

(1) What expenses have been incurred to date at the vacant, ex-military bases (a) Arton Villa in Limpopo, (b) Marie Vale in Nigel, (c) SAWCOL in George, (d) any other ex-military bases which her department must maintain and safeguard against vandalism and (e) any other vacant properties such as Cinderella Prison in Boksburg;

(2) whether there are any similar properties safeguarded by the provinces, if so, at what cost?

N1718E

The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS:

(1) (a) Arton Villa Military Base (116 SAI BN) in Messina, Limpopo — Security cost per annum R552 301,28

(b), (c), (d) and (e) Regarding Marie Vale Military Base in Nigel the issue of cost does notarise, since the Base is not vacant. Maintenance and security of State property is a responsibility of DPW.

(2) National Department of Public Works (NDPW) is the custodian of State properties vested in the National Government. The administration of provincial properties is conducted by the respective provincial governments.

### Investigation into construction of a dam to meet water needs of Simon's Town

1475. Mrs P DE LILLE asked the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry:

Whether a study undertaken by the City of Cape Town aimed to investigate the construction of a dam to serve the future water needs of Simon's Town has been completed; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

N1933E

The MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY:

Yes, a Water Resource Feasibility Study looking at the feasibility of all potential water resource options in the Simon's Town area was commissioned and completed in 2004. The City of Cape Town is currently awaiting a response from the Land Claims Commission, who is in the process of adjudicating claims for land in the area above Simon's Town. The land claims cover an area previously earmarked for a possible future dam.

### Brand naby N7: besonderhede van omgewing/gevolge

1477. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) vra die Minister van Openbare Werke:

(1) Of sy, met verwysing na die brand in 'n plakkerskamp onder die N7-brug by Goodwood, Kaapstad, daarvan ingelig is dat (a) daar 'n ammunisiebergingsterrein van die SA Nasionale Weermag aangrensend tot die brug is, (b) 'n spoorlyn teenaan die oorspronklike informele nedersetting geleë is, (c) die parlementêre dorp, Akasiapark, ook langs die brug is en (d) die huidige padsluiting vanweë die brand verkeersontwrigtings en ekonomiese gevolge inhou;

(2) of haar departement gaan toelaat dat 'n informele nedersetting vroeër of later weer op dieselfde plek hervestig gaan word; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, waarom?

N1937A

(1) Whether, with reference to his reply to Question 188 on 27 March 2006, the Transnet Capital Projects Team has identified any other infrastructural requirements necessary to make the port of Ngqura operational; if so, (a) what is the (i) nature of the infrastructure, (ii) anticipated cost and (iii) the timeframes for completion in each case and (b) what date will the cranes have to be ordered for the timeframes to be met?

(2) whether any timeframes exist for the final commissioning of the Port of Ngqura? N2373E

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

(1) The business case to operationalise Port Ngqura will be submitted to the Board of Directors of Transnet for consideration before the end of this year.

(2) The timeframes for the final commissioning of the Port of Ngqura will be determined once the Board has approved the business case.

- Supporting the development of Institution Level Support Teams through ongoing mentoring, consultation and monitoring
- Building capacity of teachers through school-based training and mentoring to provide curriculum support to learners who experience barriers to learning
- Building capacity of schools to introduce effective counselling and intervention strategies
- Performing crisis intervention
- Running and co-ordinating support and intervention programmes in targeted schools for vulnerable children, with specific attention to victims of violence, street children, orphans and other out-of school children and youth
- Ensuring the effective functioning of health advisory structures and coordinating and monitoring the assistance programmes of the social partners in an area

**Municipalities empowered to increase their capacity in implementing environmental laws and regulations**

1542. Moulana M R SAYEDALI-SHAH (DA) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

Whether his department has initiated any project or programme to empower municipalities for and increase their capacity in implementing environmental laws and regulations; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2036E

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

The Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism's mission as relates to the support for local government is to "promote sustainable local environmental and economic development". DEAT has clustered its programmes for local government support in four clusters namely (1) environmental planning, (2) capacity building, (3) regulation and (4) implementation. The activities in terms of engagement with the local government are outlined in detail below and are set according to name, purpose, target group and the brief description.

(1) Development of Environmental IDP Toolkits: The purpose of the toolkit is to assist municipalities incorporate environment and sustainability issues into the IDP processes. In 2004 three pilots were initiated in the Western Cape, Gauteng and Free State. In March 2006, capacity building workshops of the Western Cape municipalities were conducted to assist municipalities incorporate sustainability concerns into the Integrated Development Plan. Mpumalanga and Limpopo indicated that they will finance development of their own toolkits with technical advised from the national department, and in 2006 toolkits processes were initiated for North West, Northern Cape, KwaZulu-Natal and Eastern Cape.

(2) City State of Environment Report: DEAT has assisted the City of Joburg, Ekurhuleni, City of Tshwane, Mangaung, between the period of 2003 and 2006 to develop the City State of environment Report, these reports provide valuable information about the environments of this city spaces and continue to inform both economic and social development decision making.

(3) Integrated Waste Management Guidelines: In 2004 DEAT developed the integrated waste management guidelines to assist municipalities manage waste and refuse removal in their jurisdiction, whilst municipalities have some challenges, these guidelines have empowered them to tackle our waste problems.

(4) Community environmental workers: To date DEAT has appointed 19 community environmental workers in the country district municipalities to assist

*(Translation follows):*

**[Fire near N7: details of surrounding area/consequences**

1477. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister of Public Works:

(1) Whether, with reference to the fire in a squatter camp below the N7 bridge at Goodwood, Cape Town, she has been informed that (a) there is an ammunition storage facility of the SA National Defence Force adjacent to the bridge, (b) a railway line is situated right up against the original informal settlement, (c) the parliamentary village Acacia Park is also situated near the bridge and (d) the current road closure due to the fire is causing traffic disruptions and economic repercussions;

(2) whether her department will allow an informal settlement eventually to be re-established at the same site; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, why? N1937E]

The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS:

(1) (a) It is not correct. According to the Department of Defence (SANDF) the Navy's ammunition storage facility is not at Wingfield.

(b) Yes

(c) Yes

(d) Yes, however one double lane on the southern part of the bridge was opened on Tuesday, 17 October 2006 for two-way traffic.

(2) No, the department has already indicated a site where the occupants will be relocated and negotiations with the Cape Town City Council were already in process before the fire of 2 October 2006.

**Plans to deal with victims of violence in schools**

1510. Mr G G BOINAMO (DA) asked the Minister of Education:

Whether a plan will be implemented that will make provision for (a) funding, (b) counselling and (c) medical services for victims of violence in schools; if not, why not; if so, (i) what plan and (ii) when will it be implemented? N1974E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

Yes, a plan is in place that will make provision for funding and counselling services for victims of violence in schools. Agreements are being reached with the Department of Health for the provision of medical services.

The plan is being implemented in stages: The first stage started in 2004 and should be completed by 2009. The next stage will continue from 2009 to 2020. The plan is part of the implementation plan of Education White Paper six on Building an Inclusive Education and Training System. The plan is part of the overarching development of safe and inclusive school environments, the improvement of discipline in schools and developing effective district support.

Education White Paper six outlines the services to be provided by the district-based support teams and institution-level support teams. All psychologists and social workers who are currently employed in the system will become part of these transversal district support teams who will focus on building the capacity of schools to run preventative as well as intervention programmes at schools.

Because current services for social counselling and support are currently far from adequate, funds were allocated in the 2006-07 Medium Term Budget Policy Statement for the creation of 150 posts for counselling and support staff based in districts, starting with the poorest districts in the country. The responsibilities attached to these posts have been outlined as follows:

(2) (a) I wish to refer the hon member to the replies by my predecessor to Written Questions 1518 and 1598 of 2005, the contents of which are still applicable. In addition to the contents of those replies, I wish to reiterate that no investigation has been done into the possible raising of Bronkhorstspruit Dam, because it is not regarded as a viable option. Future water use of Bronkhorstspruit was investigated along with that of the Western Highveld Region (WHR) as part of the recently completed WHR Water Augmentation Pre-feasibility study. Water use was projected until 2020 and various levels of service were considered ranging from Free Basic Water (6 000 litre per household per month) to that which can be used by more affluent people who can afford to pay for water. On the other hand the Short-Term Regional Intervention Programme (STRIP) identified most of the reasons why overuse of water is occurring in the WHR. Various recommendations were made on water conservation and water demand management interventions that should be implemented in the WHR supply area. These recommendations were conveyed to all stakeholders, including the various municipalities (water services authorities).

(b) The hon member is referred to my predecessor's replies, to part (4) of Question 1518 in particular and Question 1598.

(3) The new Rand Water pipeline was commissioned in June 2006 and is fully-operational. As previously explained, this pipeline is expected to meet the water requirements of the area until 2020. Further augmentation options to cater for growth in water demands beyond 2020 will be investigated and implemented at an appropriate time in future.

**Schools receiving a pass rate of less than 10%**

1582. Mr G G BOINAMO (DA) asked the Minister of Education:

In each of the latest specified five years for which information is available, in each province, (a) which schools received a pass rate of less than 10%, (b) what was the actual pass rate at each school, (c) what are the names of the school principals and (d) how many pupils completed matric in each of those years in each school? N2081E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

The information relating to the questions presented in (a), (b), (c) and (d) are contained in the four attached tables. The names of the school principals are only provided for those schools that obtained a pass rate of below 10% in the 2005 Senior Certificate examination.

with the environmental sustainability concerns in the municipal IDPs. Only Alexandra and Umkhanyakude district municipality have not yet appointed CEWs.

(5) DEAT is currently reviewing the draft National LED Strategy. DEAT is also currently compiling information on DEATs local government programmes and legislation and implications for local government. This document will assist and inform DPLG, its provincial counterparts and municipalities on the sectors initiatives.

During June 2006, a DEAT five-year strategy for local government interventions was developed and is a matter of refinement between our department and the department of provincial and local government (DPLG).

(6) Together with provinces a series of workshops were held in order to find solutions to assist municipalities in the 14 environmental and tourism management issues stemming from the 2005 National IDP Hearings. These discussions resulted in a local government sector strategy which is primarily a programme of national and provincial initiatives and interventions in the environment sector at a local level.

In addition to these interventions that are aimed at ensuring that our sphere of local government has the appropriate competencies, skills and systems to manage and protect their environments, through our Social Responsibility Programme we have invested a total of 270 million rand in Capricorn, Southern District, Umkhanyakude and West Coast Municipalities. These investments are through projects in Youth Awareness, Tourism Hiking Trails, Fish Farming, Recycling, Waste Buy-Bay etc.

Our department will continue to support local government to ensure that our agenda for championing sustainable development is implemented and promoted at all levels.

**Insufficient supply of water from Bronkhorstspruit Dam to meet growing demands**

1560. Ms H WEBER (DA) asked the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry:

(1) Whether, in light of the fact that the current water supply of the Bronkhorstspruit Dam is not sufficient to supply the needs of the town during times of low rainfall and the expected population growth in the near future, the pipeline from Rand Water is sufficient to supply the needs of the town and the growing surrounding areas; if not, why not;

(2) whether a feasibility study has been conducted to ascertain whether it would be (a) cheaper and (b) more viable to heighten the wall of the current dam; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether a new pipeline is ready to supply the water needed in future; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2058E

The MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY:

(1) The new Rand Water pipeline can supply an additional 30 megalitres of water per day to the area, which is about eleven million cubic metres per annum. The volume delivered from this pipeline together with supplies from the Bronkhorstspruit Dam and other existing sources will be sufficient to supply the highest projected growth in water requirements of the town and the growing surrounding areas until 2020. The implementation of water conservation and demand management must also be sustained to ensure that adequate supply of water to the Western Highveld Region is maintained.

| *Province* | *District* | *School Name* | *Entered* | *Wrote* | *Pass Senior Certificate* | *Pass Senior Certificate with Endorsement* | *Total Pass* | *Total Pass %* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | LADY FRERE | MFANTA S.S. SCHOOL | 35 | 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,33 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | MFAZWE COP-TECH HIGH SCHOOL | 62 | 61 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4,92 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | MHLAMBISO | 43 | 38 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7.89 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | MPINGANA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOOL | 25 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,88 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | MPOZOLO S.S. SCHOOL | 80 | 74 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5,41 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT AYLIFF | MT. AYLIFF S.S. SCHOOL | 286 | 257 | 24 | 0 | 24 | 9.34 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | MZAMO SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 64 | 61 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 8,2 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | NANGAMSO | 15 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7,14 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | NGUBENGCUKA S.S. SCHOOL | 61 | 61 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 9,84 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | NKULULEKO S.S. SCHOOL | 97 | 87 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6.9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | NOBANGILE S.S. SCHOOL | 125 | 101 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 4.95 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | NOGEMANE S.S. SCHOOL | 128 | 112 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 7,14 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BIZANA | NOMAGQWATHEKANA COMM TECH | 37 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6,6 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | NOMPUMELELO SEN. SEC. SCHOOL | 131 | 110 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 4,55 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LADY FRERE | NONKQUBELA S.S. SCHOOL | 123 | 107 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 7,48 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | NQABARA S.S. SCHOOL | 38 | 35 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,57 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | NTSHILINI S.S. SCHOOL | 99 | 79 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2,53 |
| EASTERN CAPE | ENGCOBO | PAKAMANI S.S.S | 43 | 37 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8.11 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | QINGQOLO S.S SCHOOL | 28 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,7 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MALUTI | RALEBITSO S.S.S | 51 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | RESHWA S.S.SCHOOL | 12 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | TSOLO | REUBEN NTULI S.S.S | 109 | 86 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6,98 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | SAPHUKANDUKU S.S. SCHOOL | 127 | 109 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 7,34 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MALUTI | SIBABALE S.S. SCHOOL | 75 | 66 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4,55 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | SIBONILE J.S. SCHOOL | 40 | 39 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7.69 |
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | SINETHEMBA | 140 | 128 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 6.25 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | SIYABABALWA | 73 | 72 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 8.33 |
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | SIYAZAKHA S.S.SCHOOL | 12 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9.9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | SMUTS NDAMASE S.S. SCHOOL | 287 | 178 | 15 | 0 | 15 | 8,43 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | SOBABA COMBINED HIGH SCHOOL | 20 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,26 |
| EASTERN CAPE | TSOLO | SOMAGUNYA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 33 | 28 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3.57 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | SOTININI | 18 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MALUTI | THAKABANNA S.S.SCHOOL | 36 | 30 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6.67 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MALUTI | TSITSANA COMPREHENSIVE S.S.S. | 39 | 35 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,86 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | AMAJINGQI SECONDARY SCHOOL | 136 | 88 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5,68 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | B.KAT SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 23 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,76 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | BEKIZULU S.S. SCHOOL | 158 | 144 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 4.86 |
| EASTERN CAPE | TSOLO | BELE-ZINGCUKA TECH. COLLEGE | 91 | 79 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 6,33 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | BLIKANA S.S. SCHOOL | 107 | 105 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3,81 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | BOMELA S.S. SCHOOL | 57 | 49 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8,16 |
| EASTERN CAPE | GRAAFF-REINET | CAREL DU TOIT HIGH SCHOOL | 39 | 37 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,11 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | CIBENI S.S.SCHOOL | 55 | 47 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,38 |
| EASTERN CAPE | ENGCOBO | CLARKEBURY S.S. SCHOOL | 38 | 36 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,78 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | COMMUNITY CO-OP F/T | 124 | 84 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3,57 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | DALUKHANYO S.S. SCHOOL | 176 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | DINIZULU SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 53 | 48 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,25 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | DUMALISILE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 26 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | ELLIOTDALE COMM & TECH S.S.S. | 175 | 162 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 6,17 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | EMGWALI | 94 | 88 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5.68 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | GWEBITYALA S.S.S | 35 | 29 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,45 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | H.D. NDZIMELA TECHNICAL HIGH S | 19 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,88 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | HEBEHEBE S.S. SCHOOL | 136 | 109 | 8 | 0 | 8 | 7,34 |
| EASTERN CAPE | TSOMO | JOBE SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | JONAS GODUKA S.S. SCHOOL | 93 | 88 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5,68 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | JONGINTABA S.S. SCHOOL | 63 | 57 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 8,77 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | JOYI S.S. SCHOOL | 63 | 52 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 7.69 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | LINGANI S.S.SCHOOL | 43 | 42 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7,14 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | LINGELETHU | 48 | 45 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,67 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | LUTUBENI S.S. SCHOOL | 143 | 98 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4,8 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | MABALENGWE S.S. SCHOOL | 26 | 23 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,7 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | MABOBOTI S.S. SCHOOL | 127 | 112 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 8,93 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | MAKUKHANYE S.S. SCHOOL | 8 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | MASIMANYANE | 72 | 67 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4,48 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | MASIZAKHE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 43 | 40 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7,5 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | MENTE SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 28 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7,69 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | MENZIWA S.S. SCHOOL | 55 | 50 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6 |

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| KWAZULU-NATAL | NKANDLA | MNQANDI HIGH SCHOOL | 98 | 79 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5.6 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | NKANDLA | MPHAHLENI HIGH SCHOOL | 65 | 58 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 8.62 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESHOWE | MTHENGENI HIGH | 36 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6.6 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | CAMPERDOWN | NOMAVIMBELA HIGH SCHOOL | 19 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | SCOTTBURGH | NOMAZWE HIGH | 27 | 26 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7,69 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | NKANDLA | NONGAMLANA HIGH SCHOOL | 124 | 103 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 4,85 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | KWAMASHU | PHEMBIZIZWE HIGH SCHOOL | 155 | 128 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 8,59 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMBUMBULU | PHEZULU HIGH SCHOOL | 216 | 192 | 14 | 0 | 14 | 7,29 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | KWAMASHU | V N NAIK SPECIAL SCHOOL | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | NDWEDWE | WOSIYANE HIGH SCHOOL | 39 | 34 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5,88 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | CAMPERDOWN | ZAMAKAHLE HIGH SCHOOL | 34 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | MNAMBITHI | ZANKOSHENI HIGH SCHOOL | 32 | 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,33 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMLAZI SOUTH | ZIPHATHELE HIGH SCHOOL | 102 | 86 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 9,3 |
| LIMPOPO | MALAMULELE | JOHANNES RAMAVHOYA HIGH | 30 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| LIMPOPO | BOHLABELA AREA OFFICE | MAKIDI SEC SCHOOL | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LIMPOPO | MAGAKALA AREA OFFICE | NKGOMELENG SEC SCHOOL | 24 | 23 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,7 |
| LIMPOPO | BAKENBERG | SENWANE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 56 | 52 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 9,62 |
| MPUMALANGA | KWAGGAFONTEIN EAST CIRCUI | ENTOKOZWENI SEN SEC SCHOOL | 232 | 191 | 13 | 0 | 13 | 6,81 |
| MPUMALANGA | KWAGGAFONTEIN WEST CIRCUI | HLUZINGQODO SECONDARY SCHOOL | 202 | 184 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 5,43 |
| MPUMALANGA | STANEAST CIRCUIT | HOLMDENE. . .SECONDARY SCHOOL | 23 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,35 |
| MPUMALANGA | WELTEVREDE CIRCUIT | MAYISHA HIGH SCHOOL 2 | 185 | 149 | 12 | 1 | 13 | 8,72 |
| MPUMALANGA | SABIE CIRCUIT | PILGRIM'S REST CITY SECONDARY | 46 | 35 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,86 |
| MPUMALANGA | MOUTSE WEST CIRCUIT | REKHUDITSE. . .SEC SCHOOL | 141 | 132 | 11 | 0 | 11 | 8,33 |
| MPUMALANGA | CAROLINA CIRCUIT | SIPHAKAMILE COMBINED SCHOOL | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NORTH WEST | POTCHEFSTROOM-WEST CIRCUI | KELESEDI SECONDARY SHOOL | 19 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WESTERN CAPE | WEST COAST/WINELANDS | BOSTON HOUSE COLLEGE (ABET) | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | VELALANGA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 25 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,33 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | VISISIZWE TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOO | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | TSOLO | WELSH S.S. SCHOOL | 52 | 50 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 4 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | ZANOKHANYO S.S.S | 90 | 66 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | ENGCOBO | ZULULIYAZONGOMA S.S.SCHOOL | 73 | 66 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 6,6 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | ZWELIDUMILE S.S. SCHOOL | 59 | 54 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1,85 |
| FREE STATE | NO ALLOCATION | DINARE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 76 | 71 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 5,63 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | EVUNGWINI SECONDARY SCHOOL | 115 | 105 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 9,52 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | IKAELELO SECONDARY SCHOOL | 16 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,25 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | JEVINGTON COMBINED SCHOOL | 30 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,7 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | MODDERPOORT COMBINED SCHOOL | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | MONYAKENG HIGH SCHOOL | 141 | 128 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 7,81 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | MOOKODI SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 81 | 74 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 9,46 |
| FREE STATE | NOT ALLOCATED | TSHIRELA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 32 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,68 |
| GAUTENG | 9 JOHANNESBURG EAST | BEYHAN COLLEGE | 13 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 5 EAST RAND EAST | D T K PRIVATE COMBINED SCHOOL | 9 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 7 SEDIBENG EAST | EQUITY COLLEGE | 40 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,56 |
| GAUTENG | 7 SEDIBENG EAST | SOPHISTRY ADULT CENTRE | 20 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | MSINGA | BATSHAZWAYO HIGH | 17 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7,69 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | MNAMBITHI | BHEKABATHEMBU SECONDARY SCHOOL | 23 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMLAZI SOUTH | CHESTERVILLE SENIOR SECONDARY | 90 | 80 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 8,75 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMVOTI | EKUPHOLENI SECONDARY | 56 | 54 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7,41 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESTCOURT | EKWALUSENI HIGH SCHOOL | 61 | 45 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,22 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESHOWE | ETHEL MTHIYANE SPECIAL SCHOOL | 12 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | LOWER TUGELA | IMBUYISELO SECONDARY SCHOOL | 23 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,35 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESTCOURT | ISIBUKO HIGH SCHOOL | 67 | 56 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 8,93 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | NDWEDWE | MAGUDWINI SECONDARY | 18 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5,88 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | NDWEDWE | MAPHINDA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 32 | 29 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,45 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESTCOURT | MAQOQA SECONDARY | 25 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | CENTACOW HIGH | MAVANGANA SEC. SCHOOL | 11 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | RISE & SHINE COLLEGE | 37 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9,1 |
| GAUTENG | 12 JOHANNESBURG WEST | SIZWILE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | TSHEBETSO HIGH SCHOOL | 171 | 117 | 9 | 1 | 10 | 8,5 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESHOWE | ETHEL MTHIYANE SPECIAL SCHOOL | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | CHATWORTH | MASON LINCOLN SP SCHOOL | 8 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UBOMBO | MSHANGUZANA HIGH SCHOOL | 79 | 74 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 9,5 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESHOWE | MTHENGENI HIGH | 41 | 36 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,3 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ESHOWE | NOKHALELA HIGH SCHOOL | 53 | 37 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,1 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | INGWAVUMA | QOSHAMA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 48 | 43 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 9,3 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | MNAMBITHI | WESSELSNEK COMBINED SCHOOL | 20 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6,3 |
| LIMPOPO | HLANGANANI | GIDELA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LIMPOPO | NEBO | MAHLABA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 45 | 41 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 9,8 |
| LIMPOPO | MAGAKALA AREA OFFICE | POTLAKE SEC SCHOOL | 45 | 41 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 9,8 |
| MPUMALANGA | LYDENBURG CIRCUIT | TONTELDOOS SECONDARY SCHOOL | 19 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MPUMALANGA | BALFOUR CIRCUIT | TSHEPEHA COMBINED SCHOOL | 37 | 32 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,4 |
| NORTH WEST | POTCHEFSTROOM-WEST CIRCUI | KELESEDI SECONDARY SHOOL | 20 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,3 |
| WESTERN CAPE | CENTRAL METROPOLE | HEADSTART COLLEGE | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WESTERN CAPE | CENTRAL METROPOLE | Y-2-K COLLEGE | 37 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9,1 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | AMAJINGQI SECONDARY SCHOOL | 89 | 71 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5,6 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | DALUKHANYO S.S. SCHOOL | 134 | 101 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 6,9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMZIMKULU | DUMAKUDE SENIOR SECONDARY SCHO | 32 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,7 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | ELUKHANYISWENI NIGHT SCHOOL F/ | 7 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | GXABA S.S. SCHOOL | 84 | 67 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | PORT ELIZABETH | INSIGHT LEARNING CENTRE | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | JONAS GODUKA S.S. SCHOOL | 76 | 71 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 8,5 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KHUMBULANI | 60 | 55 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 7,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | LURWAYISO S.S.S | 50 | 45 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8,9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | MASAKHANE S.S. SCHOOL | 98 | 93 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6,5 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | MASIMANYANE | 65 | 55 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5,5 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | MENTE SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 30 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9,1 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | MPOZOLO S.S. SCHOOL | 66 | 53 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5,7 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | MPUMZI | 51 | 49 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,1 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | MZOMHLE S.S. SCHOOL | 124 | 95 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 5,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | NKULULEKO S.S. SCHOOL | 116 | 111 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 6,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | NOMPUMELELO SEN. SEC. SCHOOL | 89 | 67 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 7,5 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LADY FRERE | PAKAMANI SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 16 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUMBU | REUBEN NTULI S.S.S | 44 | 37 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5,4 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | SAMUEL NOMBEWU S.S. SCHOOL | 37 | 29 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,4 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | SISEKO | 42 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6,1 |
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | SOPHATHISANA SEN SEC SCHOOL | 57 | 57 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 8,8 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | TINANA S.S.S | 33 | 29 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,4 |
| FREE STATE | REGION 2 | ABERFELDY SCHOOL | 28 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FREE STATE | REGION 3 | LETSIE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 55 | 44 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,3 |
| FREE STATE | REGION 1 | PHEHELLO J S SCHOOL * | 19 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,3 |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | AVONDALE GIRLS HIGH | 73 | 60 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 8,3 |
| GAUTENG | 9 JOHANNESBURG EAST | BEYHAN COLLEGE | 12 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 5 EAST RAND EAST | D T K PRIVATE COMBINED SCHOOL | 13 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 4 TSHWANE SOUTH | PRINCEFIELD TRUST SCHOOL | 23 | 23 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,7 |

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| KWAZULU-NATAL | EMAWELENI | ZUZUMQHELE HIGH SCHOOL | 63 | 31 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6,45 |
| LIMPOPO | POLOKWANE AREA OFFICE | GEORGE MORAGULA SEC SCHOOL | 13 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LIMPOPO | BAKENBERG | MATATANE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 21 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4,76 |
| LIMPOPO | MOGODUMO AREA OFFICE | SEPHAKABATHO SEC SCHOOL | 26 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,33 |
| LIMPOPO | MKHUHLU AREA OFFICE | WEM-MKHUHLU HIGH SCHOOL | 31 | 30 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6,67 |
| MPUMALANGA | KWA MHLANGA | VEZUBUHLE HIGH SCHOOL | 11 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NORTH WEST | OTTOSDAL CIRCUIT | BOSCHPOORT COMBINED SCHOOL | 29 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NORTH WEST | KLERKSDORP-NORTH CIRCUIT | NORTH WEST ACADEMY KLERKSDORP | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WESTERN CAPE | METROPOLE EAST | ISAIAH CHRISTIAN ACADEMY | 13 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8,33 |
| WESTERN CAPE | CENTRAL METROPOLE | SIMON ESTES MUSIEK HOËRSKOOL | 18 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,88 |

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| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | AMAHLEKE | 29 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3.85 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | BETHANIA S.S. SCHOOL | 57 | 54 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 9.26 |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | BONGOLETHU SENIOR SECONDARY SC | 65 | 58 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 6,9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUMBU | DILIZINTABA S.S SCHOOL | 107 | 102 | 9 | 1 | 10 | 9.8 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | DINIZULU S.S. SCHOOL | 45 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMTATA | HOLOMISA S.S. SCHOOL | 93 | 79 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 8,86 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | AMAHLEKE | 23 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 9,9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | CIBENI S.S.SCHOOL | 39 | 32 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6.25 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LADY FRERE | DORDRECHT HIGH SCHOOL | 19 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | DUMEZWINI S.S.S | 122 | 113 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 8.85 |
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | GOOD HOPE SEN SEC SCHOOL | 24 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,88 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KANANA | 30 | 30 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6.67 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KEI ROAD | 85 | 82 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 8,54 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KWEZILENTABA S.S. SCHOOL | 30 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | LUKHOZANA SENIOR SECONDARY SCH | 25 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,56 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | MHLAMBISO | 9 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | NOMZI HIGH SCHOOL | 23 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4.55 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | NYANGILIZWE S.S. SCHOOL | 63 | 57 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 7,2 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | PHAKAMISANI SECONDARY SCHOOL | 31 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,68 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | SIVUMELENE S.S.S. | 37 | 34 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8.82 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | ST TERESA SCHOOL | 66 | 57 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 7,2 |
| FREE STATE | REGION 1 | THUSONG INTERMEDIATE | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 9 JOHANNESBURG EAST | BEYHAN COLLEGE | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 10 JOHANNESBURG NORTH | HEARTWOOD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 10 JOHANNESBURG NORTH | RABASOTHO COMBINED SCHOOL | 20 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,67 |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | RISE & SHINE COLLEGE | 15 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 4 TSHWANE SOUTH | STEVE TSHWETE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 54 | 52 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 7,69 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ILLEMBE | ISINYABUSI HIGH | 93 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OBONJENI | MANTINTI SECONDARY | 12 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8,33 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VRYHEID | MANZAMHLOPHE SECONDARY | 10 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VRYHEID | MAZONKE J S SCHOOL | 51 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VRYHEID | MHLAMBANSILA HIGH SCHOOL | 28 | 24 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8,33 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | MSINGA | NKONZA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 22 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VULINDLELA | NSIKAKAZI HIGH | 24 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,35 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ILLEMBE | NTULI COMBINED | 17 | 17 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,88 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | PORT SHEPSTONE | SUKAMUVA HIGH SCHOOL | 55 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| *Province* | *District* | *School Name* | *Entered* | *Wrote* | *Pass Senior Certificate* | *Pass Senior Certificate with Endorsement* | *Total Pass* | *Total Pass %* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| KWAZULU-NATAL | PORT SHEPSTONE | SAPHUMULA SENIOR SECONDARY SCH | 18 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMZINYATHI | ZONYAMA SENIOR SECONDARY | 19 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LIMPOPO | ACORNHOEK CIRCUIT CO-OFFI | JUBILEE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL | 12 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 8,33 |
| LIMPOPO | VUWANI CIRCUITS CO-OFFICE | MUTHURWANA SEC SCHOOL | 44 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LIMPOPO | SEKHUKHUNE CIRCUITS CO-OF | TSHEPHO SECONDARY SCHOOL | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MPUMALANGA | STANDERTON | TSHEPEHA COMBINED SCHOOL | 15 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7,69 |
| WESTERN CAPE | NORTHERN METROLE | GOOD HOPE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## SCHOOLS THAT PERFORMED BELOW 10% IN 2005

| *Province* | *District* | *School Name* | *Entered* | *Wrote* | *Pass Senior Certificate* | *Pass Senior Certificate with Endorsement* | *Total Pass* | *Total Pass %* | *Name of Principal* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | ENNERDALE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY | 11 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. S Rhoda |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | HIS MAJESTY EDUCA-TIONAL INSTIT | 17 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7,1 | Mr. Peter Mthisi |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | LITTLE ROCK CHRIS-TIAN ACADEMY | 56 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. C J Fick |
| GAUTENG | 8 SEDIBENG WEST | SAMELSON COLLEGE | 13 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. Paul Tanyara |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | AMAJUBA DISTRICT | SINQOBILE COMBINED SCHOOL | 16 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. Zulu |
| LIMPOPO | BAKENBERG CIRCUITS CO-OFF | MPEDI BAPEDING | 164 | 138 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 9,4 | Mr. Seletela |
| NORTH WEST | BRITS APO | B. MPOZA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mrs. B Mpoza |
| EASTERN CAPE | BUTTERWORTH | MZAMOMHLE SENIOR SEC SCHOOL | 36 | 29 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6,9 | S. Magxunyana |
| EASTERN CAPE | COFIMVABA DISTRICT | ZWELANDILE SENIOR SECONDARY SC | 31 | 27 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7,4 | E Z Sidloyi |

| *Province* | *District* | *School Name* | *Entered* | *Wrote* | *Pass Senior Certificate* | *Pass Senior Certificate with Endorsement* | *Total Pass* | *Total Pass %* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | JIBA SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL | 17 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | JONAS GODUKA S.S. SCHOOL | 35 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,3 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KANANA | 30 | 28 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 7,14 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | KHUMBULANI | 60 | 53 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5,66 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | LUTSHAYA S.S SCHOOL | 169 | 142 | 13 | 0 | 13 | 9,15 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | MPUMZI | 31 | 31 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,68 |
| EASTERN CAPE | UMZIMKULU | MTHWANE S.S.S | 42 | 41 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 9,76 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | NGWEKAZI | 10 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | NOMZI HIGH SCHOOL | 32 | 32 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,38 |
| EASTERN CAPE | IDUTYWA | NQABARA S.S. SCHOOL | 25 | 23 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,35 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | NTUNJA HIGH SCHOOL | 35 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | CRADOCK | PHAKAMA HOFMEYR HIGH SCHOOL | 28 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,7 |
| EASTERN CAPE | QUEENSTOWN | QUEENSTOWN PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOL | 17 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | SIVUMELENE S.S.S. | 28 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 |
| EASTERN CAPE | LIBODE | SOBABA COMBINED HIGH SCHOOL | 45 | 43 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,98 |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | TSITSANA COMPREHENSIVE S.S.S. | 55 | 49 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8,16 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | TYALI JUNIOR SECON SCHOOL | 22 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9,9 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | VUKILE TSHWETE SENIOR SEC SCH | 51 | 47 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,38 |
| EASTERN CAPE | FORT BEAUFORT | ZANOBUZWE J.S.S. | 11 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | ZIMLINDILE | 32 | 32 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9,38 |
| FREE STATE | REGION 1 | JUNIOR ACADEMY OF EXCELLENCE | 11 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | JOHWETO PRIVATE PRIMARY SCHOOL | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GAUTENG | 11 JOHANNESBURG SOUTH | QOQA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 128 | 121 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 8,26 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OTHUKELA | AMAZIZI HIGH SCHOOL | 81 | 72 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2,78 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ILLEMBE | DUMANE COMMERCIAL HIGH SCHOOL | 23 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMZINYATHI | EBUSI | 19 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5.26 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OTHUKELA | ENKOMOKAZINI TECHNICAL HIGH SC | 46 | 42 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7,14 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | ILLEMBE | GCINOKUHLE SECONDARY SCHOOL | 16 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6,25 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | AMAJUBA DISTRICT | KHETHUKUTHULA | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMZINYATHI | MLANDOWETHU SECONDARY SCHOOL | 30 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

**Scholarships granted: details**

1592. Mr L W GREYLING (ID) asked the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry:

(1) Whether her department granted any scholarships to any persons in the (a) 2003-04 and (b) 2004-05 financial years; if so, in each year, (i) how many scholarships were granted, (ii) what is the monetary value of each scholarship, (iii) what are the names of each person granted a scholarship and (iv)(aa) what course is each doing and (bb) what is the duration of the course;

(2) whether any such persons are non-South African citizens; if so, what are the relevant details? N2114E

The MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY:

(1) Yes. Please refer to the attached schedule.

(2) No, all scholars are South African citizens.

*Schedule: Reply to Question No. 1592 (National Assembly)*

| *(1)(a)* | *(1)(i)* | *(1)(ii)* | *(1)(iii)* | | *(1)(iv)(aa)* | | *(1)(iv)(bb)* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Financial Year* | *No* | *Monetary value for the specific financial year* | *Surname* | *Initials* | *Field of Study* | *Type of Qualification* | *Duration of studies (in years)* |
| 2003-04 | 1 | R53 470,00 | De Vos | S D | Civil Engineering | BEng. | 4 |
| | 2 | R2 102,96 | Dindi | I H | Business Administration | ND | 3 |
| | 3 | R30 813,73 | Erwee | P L | Civil | BEng. | 4 |
| | 4 | R19 890,00 | Greyling | R | Civil Engineering | BEng. | 4 |
| | 5 | R59 804,90 | Hendricks | O M | Electrical Engineering | BSc. | 4 |
| | 6 | R41 277,25 | Knipe | M | Civil Engineering | BSc. | 4 |
| | 7 | R21 410,00 | Lebungu | M | Environmental Sciences | BSc. | 4 |
| | 8 | R89 534,50 | Magaigai | V | Accounting | BComm. | 3 |
| | 9 | R42 703,00 | Maqhutyana | A S | Accounting | BComm. | 3 |
| | 10 | R50 638,61 | Mashabela | D E | Applied Mathematics | BSc. | 4 |
| | 11 | R5 278,90 | Mashatole | S P | Human Resources Management | ND | 3 |
| | 12 | R67 706,90 | Mthanthi | S B | Biochemistry | BSc. | 4 |
| | 13 | R93 364,08 | Mufamadi | T V E | Biochemistry | BSc. | 4 |
| | 14 | R196 141,65 | Naidoo | S | Civil Engineering | BEng. | 4 |
| | 15 | R111 966,40 | Padayachee | K K | Electrical | BEng. | 4 |
| | 16 | R32 640,00 | Pillay | M | Civil Engineering | BTech. | 1 |
| | 17 | R161 700,00 | Rangwetsi | D B | Mechanical Engineering | ND | 3 |
| | 18 | R45 902,00 | Siwelane | R W | Civil Engineering | ND | 3 |
| | 19 | R47 230,20 | Tjale | L J | Informatics | BComm. | 3 |
| | 20 | R24 360,95 | Wright | H J | Water Engineering | BEng. | 4 |
| | 21 | R51 060,00 | Zulu | J | Human Resources Management | ND | 3 |
| Total | | R1 248 996,03 | | | | | |
| 2004-05 | 1 | R90 931,15 | Botha | J C | Civil Engineering | BEng. | 4 |
| | 2 | R57 389,95 | Clark | E P | Mechanical | BEng. | 4 |
| | 3 | R34 446,00 | Madlala | N B | Hydrology | BSc. | 4 |
| | 4 | R7 813,00 | Mahlangu | S T | Mechanical Engineering | BTech. | 1 |
| | 5 | R158 901,60 | Motlogamang | L W | Civil Engineering | BTech | 1 |
| | 6 | R30 000,00 | Musetsho | M | Environmental Engineering | BSc. | 4 |
| | 7 | R28 918,00 | Ngcobo | K K | Hydrology | BSc. | 4 |
| | 8 | R23 287,35 | Reid | C C | Landscape Architecture | BSc. | 4 |
| | 9 | R93 910,00 | Richter | J N | Civil | BEng. | 4 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | MSOBOMVU H.S. (A4006) | 52 | 48 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 6,3 | S N Diki |
| EASTERN CAPE | EAST LONDON DISTRICT | OXFORD COLLEGE' | 23 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,8 | Mr. S Mtshala |
| MPUMALANGA | EERSTEHOEK | WAVERLEY HIGH SCHOOL | 31 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3,8 | Mr. T O Ngwenya |
| EASTERN CAPE | KING WILLIAMS TOWN | SOTININI | 12 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | V G Nxawe |
| NORTH WEST | KLERKSDORP APO | OVERVAAL PRIVAAT SKOOL | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. Allers |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | JIBA SENIOR SECOND-ARY SCHOOL | 15 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | C S Mkombe |
| EASTERN CAPE | LUSIKISIKI | MPINGANA SENIOR SEC-ONDARY SCHO | 93 | 76 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 7,9 | C N N Mpetshwa |
| LIMPOPO | MAHWELERENG CIR-CUITS CO-O | ACADEMY FOR SPORTS EXCELLENCE | 38 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | Mr. Madzibane |
| EASTERN CAPE | MALUTI | MOKHESENG S.S.S | 63 | 61 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 8,2 | F Mohlakola |
| MPUMALANGA | MASHISHILA II (BADPLAAS) | ENGELSEDRAAI COM-BINED SCHOOL | 31 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. J Mpangane |
| LIMPOPO | MOGODUMO CIRCUITS CO-OFFI | MOGALATJANE-MPHAHLELE SEC SCHO | 17 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. M C Sefoka |
| EASTERN CAPE | MOUNT FLETCHER | NTIBANE S.S.S. | 17 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | M M Gqakonqana |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OBONJENI | MALOBENI JUNIOR SEC-ONDARY | 41 | 34 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,8 | Mr Mngomezulu |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OBONJENI | MANKENKE SENIOR SECONDARY | 38 | 35 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 8,6 | Mr Ngema |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OTHUKELA | AMAZIZI HIGH SCHOOL | 71 | 61 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 4,9 | Mr Shabana |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OTHUKELA | NGCONGCOSI HIGH SCHOOL | 121 | 110 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 8,2 | Mr. Radebe |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | OTHUKELA | THINTWA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 34 | 31 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 6,5 | Mrs. Ntombela |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | PORT SHEPSTONE | KWAPHIKAZIWA HIGH SCHOOL | 30 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4,5 | Ms Chanane |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | PORT SHEPSTONE | SAPHUMULA SENIOR SECONDARY SCH | 50 | 50 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 | Mr Mseleku |
| EASTERN CAPE | STERKSPRUIT | SIVUMELENE S.S.S. | 22 | 21 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 9,5 | M D Mei |
| EASTERN CAPE | UITENHAGE | QHAYIYALETHU FET | 50 | 40 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2,5 | Ms T Memani |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | UMZINYATHI | MFUNZI COMBINED SCHOOL | 22 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 7,1 | Ms. B B Sithole |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VRYHEID | JOKO SECONDARY | 15 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. Zulu |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VULINDLELA | SIKHULILE HIGH SCHOOL | 66 | 52 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 5,8 | Mr. P Khoza |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VULINDLELA | SIZATHINA SECONDARY SCHOOL | 40 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | N G Mthimkhulu |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | VULINDLELA | THOKOZWAYO SECOND-ARY | 14 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mr. Ngcobo |
| MPUMALANGA | WITBANK | ROEPERSFONTEIN PRI-VATE SCHOOL | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Mrs Lloyd (Closed) |
| LIMPOPO | ZEBEDIELA CIRCUITS CO-OFF | SETUKA SEC SCHOOL | 50 | 46 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8,7 | Mr. B Sithole |
| NORTH WEST | ZEERUST APO | DOORNLAAGTE COM-BINED SCHOOL | 20 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5,3 | A M Mako |

ANNEXURE B
STATUS OF POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT

| *VOTE 04: HOME AFFAIRS* | *Oct-06* |
|---|---|
| Post Status | |
| Active, filled | 6 820 |
| Active, vacant | 3 243 |
| Additional, filled | 683 |
| Additional, vacant | 63 |
| Lent, vacant | 1 |
| Total posts | 10 810 |
| Total posts, filled | 7 504 |
| Total posts, vacant | 3 306 |

**Issue of learners forced to walk long distances to school**

1597. Ms R J MASHIGO (ANC) asked the Minister of Education:

Whether her department has any alternative plans to address the issue of learners from Regorile Village in the Thabazimbi municipality who still walk long distances to the nearest farm school; if not, why not; if so, what is the expected timeframe to address this matter? N2137E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

The Limpopo provincial department of education advises that a new school is being built at the Regorogile Township to address the problem. The eight-classroom project is currently under construction.

**Holder of a permanent residence permit qualifying to be an immigration practitioner**

1622. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether the holder of a permanent residence permit qualifies to be an immigration practitioner; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2179E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

No. The holder of a permanent residence permit does not qualify to be an immigration practitioner. Regulation 34(3) of the Immigration Regulations dated 27 June 2005 provides for the requirements to qualify for registration on the roll of immigration practitioners.

The requirements are as follows:

(a) Proof that the applicant is over 21 years of age, unless legally married;

(b) Proof of South African citizenship;

(c) An affidavit from the applicant to the effect that he or she is not an immediate family member of an official employed by the department;

(d) Demonstration of his or her knowledge of the Immigration Act and Immigration Regulations by successfully completing the required examination;

(e) Payment of the relevant registration fee to the department;

(f) A commitment in writing to the Director-General that he or she shall comply with the Code of Conduct for immigration practitioners; and

(g) A police clearance certificate.

**Plans to use Bisho airport during the 2010 Soccer World Cup tournament**

1642. Mr E W TRENT (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether there are any plans to use the airport at Bisho during the 2010 Soccer World Cup tournament; if not, why not; if so, for what specific purposes will it be used;

(2) whether any costs will be incurred for (a) rendering the airport operational, (b) general maintenance, (c) air traffic control, (d) upgrading and (e) any other costs; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the anticipated costs in each case;

(3) what steps will be taken to ensure that the airport remains operational as part of the 2010 legacy? N2201E

| *Schedule: Reply to Question No. 1592 (National Assembly)* | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 10 | R19 421,38 | Shoba | V M | Food Science | Bsc | 4 |
| | 11 | R61 601,10 | Van Der Merwe | J E | Civil | BEng. | 4 |
| | 12 | R43 490.00 | Von Wieligh | H | Civil | BEng. | 4 |
| Total | | R650 109,53 | | | | | |

## Vacancies filled

1594. Dr S-B HUANG (ANC) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

In light of the fact that her department filled 1 263 vacancies during the 2005-06 financial year and that it has been reported that her department is far from acquiring and putting in place the required numbers and competencies, (a) how many vacancies were filled in each province, (b) how many women were employed, (c) what were the qualifications of those who were appointed and (d) how many more employees does her department need in order to render the best services to citizens?

N2131E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(a) A total number of 1 263 vacancies have been filled at the Department's Head Office (832) and in the nine provinces (431). Number of vacancies filled in each province appears as per Annexure A.

(b) A total number of 729 women have been employed. The total number of women employed at the department's Head Office is 500 and the total number of women employed in the provinces is 229. Individual numbers of women employed at the in each province as per Annexure A.

(c) Qualifications of those employed at the Department's Head Office and the nine provinces — appear as per Annexure A.

ANNEXURE A

| *NUMBER OF POSITIONS FILLED FOR THE 2005-06 FINANCIAL YEAR* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Head Office | | PROVINCES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTALS | | GRAND TOTAL |
| | | | LIM | | MPU | | NW | | FS | | KZN | | NC | | EC | | WC | | GAU | | | | |
| Gender | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | M | F | |
| Post Matric Qualification | 222 | 148 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 11 | 13 | 282 | 199 | 481 |
| Matric | 71 | 290 | 5 | 8 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 20 | 17 | 22 | 10 | 25 | 191 | 441 | 632 |
| Less than Matric | 11 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 19 | 43 | 62 |
| Transferred | 28 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 42 | 46 | 88 |
| Totals | 332 | 500 | 14 | 11 | 26 | 16 | 19 | 26 | 30 | 28 | 27 | 25 | 13 | 18 | 22 | 29 | 24 | 32 | 27 | 44 | 534 | 729 | 1263 |
| Grand Total | 832 | | 25 | | 42 | | 45 | | 58 | | 52 | | 31 | | 51 | | 56 | | 71 | | 1263 | | |
| Total Provinces | | | 431 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

(d) A total number of 3 306 posts still remain vacant and accordingly this number (3 306) of officials is needed to render the best possible services to citizens of South Africa, but the filling thereof is however subject to the availability of funds. An analysis of the number of filled posts and the number of vacant posts appear as per Annexure B.

rather than providing additional infrastructure capacity. Infrastructure in the form of temporary facilities may be more cost effective in certain instances.

(3) Bisho Airport's ability to sustain economic activity after the 2010 event is directly linked with the region's ability to sustain demand for air services. As per the 'Blue Sky' initiatives supporting Asgisa drivers, Bisho Airport has the potential along with other airports to be further developed. However, we must be mindful of various factors that could influence traffic demand after the World Cup event, including the support of tourism and other users. In World Cup Germany 2006, Lufthansa (the national carrier) introduced short-haul routes previously not considered viable. Some of these routes have exceeded expectations and are still operational. This, however, was not pre-determined but an 'after event'. The same possibilities exist in South Africa, but are not guaranteed and, therefore, the legacy of an airport such as Bisho will be subject to market demand after the event.

**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1655. Mr G G BOINAMO (DA) asked the Minister of Education:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006 her Department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal which they receive from, (b) what was the amount received and what was it used for?

N2215E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

Information on donations and sponsorships from all organisations is included in the annual report of the department that was tabled in Parliament on 31 August 2006. An annexure for donations and sponsorships for 2006 is included.

| *Cash donations* | | *Value* | *Termination date* |
|---|---|---|---|
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**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1656. M R SAYEDALI-SHAH (DA) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, his department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for?

N2216E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(1) The Aviation sub-sector task team under the leadership of the Department of Transport is responsible for co-ordinating the aviation sector support for the 2010 Soccer World Cup event. The task team is currently engaged in detailed planning for the utilisation of airports and airspace during the event.

The process of determining which airports are to be utilised and identification of the roles of the various airports are in the initial planning stages. All relevant airports, including Bisho Airport, are included in this process that, *inter alia*, addresses all relevant components of airport facilities and services required for safe and secure operations. Available facilities and constraints will ultimately determine the most efficient role the various airports can play during the 2010 Soccer World Cup event. In the case of Bisho Airport, the relative close proximity to Port Elizabeth and East London Airports will impact on the aviation demands for each irport serving the host city.

At this early stage, it can be confirmed that Bisho Airport will be utilised for aircraft parking and subject to operational requirements, will be utilised for business jets and private aircraft operations. Operation of larger passenger aircraft may require infrastructure improvements and will definitely require upgrading of emergency services to comply with airport licensing requirements.

The ultimate purpose of, and related infrastructure and emergency services upgrades that may be required at Bisho Airport will, however, only be known after completion of the above-mentioned task team investigations.

(2) (a) Bisho Airport is currently operational and holds a Category 1 Aerodrome Licence. In terms of this licence, Bisho Airport can currently accommodate small commercial aircraft. Subject to the outcome of the Aviation Sub-Sector Task Team's investigations, further upgrades may be required to meet the challenges associated with the ultimate role that Bisho Airport will have to play during the 2010 World Cup event.

(b) General maintenance is a standard cost incurred by all airports for retaining its relevant category of aerodrome licence, mostly in respect of safety and security requirements.

(c) Air traffic control is a necessity at all airports with a large number of aircraft movements. It is expected that air traffic control will be required at Bisho Airport during the World Cup event. Investigations into the level of services to be rendered and the possible need for temporary radar facilities are ongoing.

(d) and (e) Decisions on upgrading of airports in general, including Bisho Airport, should only be made in terms of the applicable long term Airport Master Plans, and not on the short-term needs of the World Cup event. The focus should, therefore, be on sustainable growth and not on once-off events, as the latter may result in the provision of excess capacity that might not be necessary after 2010. Whilst airport master-plan upgrades may be brought forward in anticipation of the increase in air traffic movements or forecasted growth expansion requirements, it is generally felt that the issue will mainly be about optimising the use of existing infrastructure,

expensive and unaffordable; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) what alternative measures, over and above tax amnesty, his department envisages to promote the taxi recapitalisation programme;

(5) whether his department foresees that a due date will be set for the completion of the programme; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N2279E]

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(1) The issue of the tax amnesty and scrapping allowance should not be confused, but should rather be considered separately. The sale and purchase of new taxi vehicles (NTVs) by the vehicle dealers and operators, respectively, are not covered by any tax exemptions as this engagement is purely a sales transaction, which requires that normal tax payment processes be observed and applied. However, the R50 000 (fifty thousand Rand) scrapping allowance payable to qualifying operators when they scrap their old taxi vehicles will be exempted from the payment of tax. Government has also introduced a tax amnesty through which all small businesses (which includes the majority of taxi operators) with an annual turnover of less than R5 million (five million Rand) can approach the South African Revenue Services (SARS) to apply for amnesty for previous non-tax compliance.

The R50 000 scrapping allowance was arrived at after the consideration of the various factors, including the following:

- The agreement reached between Government and the taxi industry during discussions on the scrapping allowance.
- The trade-in value of the old taxi vehicles to be scrapped.
- Government's rollout of the Taxi Recapitalisation Project (TRP) and scrapping of the most oldest and unsafe taxi vehicles based on the age profile database at Government's disposal.
- The deposit payable to dealers when buying a new vehicle.

(2) Details of the operators who had applied for amnesty with SARS, including the individual decisions taken by SARS on such applications and other tax-related matters regarding the individual operators and the South African Revenue Services are left between such operators and SARS as these are considered confidential and cannot be disclosed even to the department.

(3) The Department of Transport has issued the compulsory requirements applicable to vehicles operating in terms of the provisions of the National Land Transport Transition Act, Act 22 of 2000. The South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) performs the function of certifying compliance with the safety specifications for NTV intended for use in the TRP. Furthermore, the SABS, besides conducting the TRP certification process, also undertakes the normal homologation process for all vehicles intended for use in the country.

Various models of TRP compliant NTVs were certified by the SABS, including the Gazelle (Gaz). Notwithstanding the SABS certification process, members of the taxi industry approached the department raising concerns with the Gaz regarding serious technical, mechanical, durability and after sales services with the product. In the light of these major concerns raised by the taxi industry and confirmed to

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

As indicated in the 2004-05 and 2005-06 Annual Reports' Annual Financial Statements the department did not receive any sponsorships. Also to date no sponsorships have been received for the 2006-07 financial year.

**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1659. Mr M SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, her department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2219E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(a) to (c) In respect of the 2004-05 financial year, the 2005-06 financial year and the 2006-07 financial year up to and including 31 October 2006, no sponsorships had been received from private companies or parastatals.

The hon member is finally referred to my response in respect of Question 840 regarding a donation received for function held to mark the occasion of the delivery of the Department's budget vote in the National Assembly and the National Council of Provinces in 2006.

**Taxi-herkapitaliseringsprogram: traagheid van taxi-eienaars**

1700. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) vra die Minister van Vervoer:

(1) Met verwysing na die taxi-herkapitaliseringsprogram waar belastingverligting deel van die belastingamnestieprogram is, of taxi-eienaars traag is om hieraan te voldoen omdat die subsidie van R50 000 as onvoldoende beskou word omdat nuwe taxi's onbekostigbaar is; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(2) watter persentasie taxi-eienaars reeds van die aanbod gebruik gemaak het;

(3) of van die nuwe modelle soos deur die Regering goedgekeur, van swak gehalte is en onderdele duur en onbekostigbaar is; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(4) watter alternatiewe maatreëls, bo en behalwe belastingamnestie, sy departement beoog om die taxi-herkapitaliseringsprogram te bevorder;

(5) of sy departement voorsien dat 'n keerdatum op die afhandeling van die program geplaas gaan word; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is? N2279A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Taxi recapitalisation programme: reluctance of taxi owners**

1700. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether, with reference to the taxi recapitalisation programme where tax relief forms part of the tax amnesty programme, taxi owners are reluctant to comply with this because the subsidy of R50 000 is regarded as inadequate because new taxis are unaffordable; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) what percentage of taxi owners have already made use of the offer;

(3) whether some of the new models, as approved by the Government, are of poor quality and spare parts are

and the Forum of South African Directors-General (FOSAD).

The terms of reference of this audit, which will include the timeframes as well as the scope of the audit, will jointly be determined in collaboration with the partners mentioned above.

However, the final decision on the feasibility of undertaking such an audit will take into account the impending introduction of the smart card ID, which will possibly identify fraudsters and drastically reduce fraudulent ID's through a structured multi-level identification service.

**Moratorium on spending by Seda**

1738. Mrs P DE LILLE (ID) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the Small Enterprise Development Agency (Seda) Board placed a moratorium on all spending except for salaries, rent, telephone and Internet connection accounts on 31 August 2006; if so, why;

(2) whether (a) 18 Seda staff members flew to Belgium and (b) the CEO of Seda and another board member flew to Malaysia after the moratorium was placed on the spending at the agency; if so, (a) what were the reasons for the trips and (b) how much did it cost;

(3) whether any payments have been made to any of Seda's service providers since the moratorium came into effect; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether a forensic audit of Seda's finances was conducted; if so, (a) what are the relevant details and (b) when will the report be released? N2319E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The board did place a moratorium on spending except for salaries, rent, telephone, Internet access, and other unavoidable expenses, which fall under "Head Office" budget.

- The moratorium was an exercise of prudential management by the board following confirmation of only R171 million budget approval for Seda against the much higher budget request that was submitted with the Seda Business plan for 2006-07.
- The moratorium effected revision of the business plan and re-prioritisation of programmes and projects whilst the organisation is awaiting approval of additional funding from the dti

(2) (a) 18 Seda staff members flew to Belgium.

The trip was funded by an organisation known as UNIZO, which is a counterpart of seda in Flanders-Belgium. This programme is a result of a bilateral agreement between RSA and Government of Flanders. The purpose of the trip was as follows:

i. To obtain assistance with the setting up and supporting SMEs structures through the "teach the teacher" approach

ii. Enhancing the business contacts and the networks between Flanders and South Africa;

iii. UNIZO would assist seda in methods used for promoting entrepreneurship;

iv. Learning from UNIZO and share best practices used by them;

v. Capacity building of seda staff, particularly at provincial and local level;

vi. Knowledge-sharing about

Government by the producers of the Gaz vehicle, the product was summarily not part of the exhibition of TRP compliant vehicles during the unveiling of the NTVs at Botshabelo in the Free State province.

The department is currently engaging with the producers of the vehicle (Gaz) and the SABS to address concerns raised by the taxi industry regarding the vehicle.

The question of poor workmanship in terms of spares and other related vehicle accessories could best be addressed by the SABS. However, the department is not aware of any vehicle parts or spares of the NTVs that are unaffordable.

(4) Over and above the tax-free scrapping incentive and non-payment of income tax below a certain annual threshold, Government is in the process of restructuring the bus subsidy system into the public transport system to include taxis. This process has already started where some taxi operators in the Free State and Gauteng are already participating in the public transport subsidy system.

(5) The due date for the finalisation of the implementation and rollout of the TRP, which includes the scrapping of current legally operating taxis, is seven years and is planned to be completed by 2012.

**Policy on the remuneration of members of the water boards has been finalised**

1712. Mrs J A SEMPLE (DA) asked the Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry:

Whether the policy on the remuneration of board members of the water boards has been finalised; if not, why not; if so, (a) on what date was it completed and (b) what are the further relevant details? N2292E

The MINISTER OF WATER AFFAIRS AND FORESTRY:

(a) The policy on Board Remuneration and Board Practices was approved by the previous Minister of Water Affairs and Forestry, Ms B P Sonjica, MP, in September 2005. Subsequently, letters dated 8 November 2005, including a copy of the policy document, were sent to the chairpersons of all water boards directing them to ensure implementation of the policy as from 1 January 2006.

(b) Water boards must comply with the policy and no deviations are permitted without prior approval from me.

The maximum number of hours that may be remunerated per month is:

- Chairperson of the Board: 50 hours.
- Board members: 40 hours.

Any additional hours to be remunerated must be approved by me.

Board members are paid a fee per meeting. A board member who is absent from a meeting may not be paid for that meeting.

**Number of fraudulent IDs in circulation**

1727. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether her department will undertake a forensic audit to determine how many fraudulent identity documents are in circulation; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2308E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

Yes. My department will consider such an audit in the 2007-08 financial year.

Should such an audit be deemed as indeed necessary and feasible, it will be done in collaboration with other law enforcement agencies, notably those within the Justice, Crime, Peace and Security (JCPS) Cluster

partnerships with Local and Provincial agencies.

(2) Based on a report received from seda, no contract has been entered into with this person referred to in the question.

(3) The dti requested the Seda Board to furnish a full report on these matters and will respond as soon as this report is received

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**Values that South Africans seek to create for themselves when considering investment options**

1747. Mr D J SITHOLE (ANC) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether South African business carry the new values that South Africans seek to create for themselves when considering investment options, such as the black economic empowerment (BEE); if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether South African businesses carry the values of our foreign policy in their conduct in other countries; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1517E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) South African business has begun to embrace the new values that seek to promote economic growth by focusing on creating equitable, sustainable and competitive businesses. This includes BB-BEE and its objectives as BB-BEE is widely viewed as a business and economic imperative. This is clearly demonstrated by the performance of BB-BEE on ownership transactions. In 2003 there were 189 BEE transactions (worth R42.2 bn), which increased to 238 (worth R56.2 bn) in 2005. Today black people own R234.3 bn of the market capitalisation on the JSE.

(2) The department has various policy engagements with SA businesses, including in regard to trade policy, which is part of foreign policy. Among these engagements are the business forums held with the President, such as the "Big Business Working Group", the "Black Business Working Group" and the "Agricultural Working Group". To this extent, the department expects that the SA business community adheres to the country's foreign policy. However, the department cannot be fully certain about the conduct of every business abroad, nor can it speak on behalf of business regarding this matter. A clearer indication can be sought from representative organisations of business.

**Design of Gautrain: consideration given to persons with special needs**

1748. Mr V C GORE (ID) asked the Minister of Transport:

Whether any consideration has been given during the design of the Gautrain to (a) mobility, (b) hearing, (c) visually and (d) mentally impaired people; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1658E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(a), (b), (c) and (d) Yes, provision is made to cater for passengers with special needs within the Gautrain Project contract agreement with the concessionaire. The following are extracts from these specifications: —

"1. The Concessionaire shall apply the 'Universal Design' principle to the planning, design, construction, implementation, operation and maintenance of all systems

the different approaches to entrepreneurial development in the two countries.

(b) Seda CEO and a board member representing the dti, did fly to Malaysia after the moratorium was placed.

- The CEO and the Chief Director enterprise Development Unit in the dti had been invited by the Embassy in Malaysia to address the SME-Entrepreneurship Global Conference on 18 and 19 October 2006. Additional to the conference programme, both visited other agencies and the ministry responsible for Small Enterprises in Malaysia. The invitation to the conference was received and accepted long before the moratorium was placed.
- The cost involved an air ticket and normal travel and subsistence expenses.
- The expenses for the Chief Director was paid by the dti.

(3) The organisation has an obligation to settle all amounts payable to service providers even during the moratorium period. As a result, the placing of the moratorium did not prejudice any of the service providers.

(4) Forensic investigations have been undertaken, resulting in the dismissal of two individuals. This happened during the audit period 2005-06 and formed part of the internal audit report and the Auditor Generals report for the 2005-06 period.

**Models developed by Seda for development of rural enterprises**

1739. Mr A HARDING (ID) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether a Small Enterprise Development Agency (Seda) pilot programme to develop models for the development of rural enterprises have been implemented; if not, why not; if so, (a) what the total cost have been to develop these models and (b) what are the further relevant details;

(2) whether a public tender process was followed prior to the awarding of a contract to a certain person (name furnished) to supply Seda with advertising space in his magazine; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) (a) how many cars were purchased by Seda in March 2006, (b) what was the financial cost of these cars and (c) what the vehicles are used for;

(4) whether a public tender process was followed prior to the awarding of the contract to organise the Trinations Summit in Durban; if not, why not; if so, which company was awarded the contract? N2320E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) Whilst Seda does not at present have a new pilot model for the development of rural enterprises, extensive work in this area was previously undertaken by the Community Public Partnership Programme (CPPP) now incorporated into the seda Sector Development and Co-operatives Unit inter alia, Agriculture; Tourism and Cultural Industries. Rural enterprises also have access to relevant seda products and services available at branch and local levels via the seda network of Information Enterprise Centres. Seda offerings extend to technical skills training, assistance with mobilising financial resources, feasibility studies, business plans, organisation development and product development. The programmes are implemented in

from other State departments to also testify, but the said witnesses declined to testify. The Accountant General has now, however, availed officials who will be testifying soon. The hon member's attention is also invited to the fact that these anomalies managed to take place in an environment which had long been established, even before the implementation of the Public Finance Management Act and its Regulations. Officials involved in this case appear to be protecting each other, hence the reluctance when it comes to testifying.

In order for the department to get to the bottom of these transgressions, the investigating team together with the assistance of Senior Management Services (SMS members) had, to a certain extent, reconstructed some of the records that were not readily and easily available when so requested during the investigation and preparation for the disciplinary hearings. The officials implicated have at least five years practical experience in the affected area. In light of this scenario, the department cannot rush the disciplinary hearings without obtaining adequate information and documentation to support all the charges (current and past) and to outline the extent of the fraud as well as the period in which it had taken place.

(c) The suspension with full pay is in accordance with the agreed rules in terms of current labour legislation. This process caters for the suspension of officials to ensure that the said officials are not prejudiced during their suspensions.

**Sponsorships obtained by department**

1655. Mr G G BOINAMO (DA) asked the Minister of Education:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006 her department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal which they receive from, (b) what was the amount received and what was it used for?

N2215E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

Information on donations and sponsorships from all organisations is included in the annual report of the department that was tabled in Parliament on 31 August 2006. An annexure for donations and sponsorships for 2006 is also included.

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within the scope of this Specification. In this context, this term means providing systems and environments that are usable also by Special Needs Passengers to the greatest extent possible, without the need for adaptation or specialised design.

2. The concessionaire shall incorporate the following requirements to cater for accessibility for special needs passengers:-

- access for passengers in wheelchairs (up to and including those using wheelchairs of ISO standard dimensions) including, where appropriate and achievable, accessible toilet facilities, access control system, dedicated feeder and distribution services, lifts, etc;
- features to aid people with difficulties in walking, gripping, reaching or balancing (including non-slip surfaces, handrails and handholds);
- facilities to assist blind and partially sighted people (including the consistent use of colour contrasts, clear signage and lighting, non-reflective surfaces, audible as well as visual announcements, and tactile and audible guidance and warning surfaces and systems, where appropriate); and
- facilities for people who are deaf or hard of hearing (including visual as well as audible announcements, induction loops and clear signs).

3. The concessionaire shall design the system to ensure accessibility for special needs passengers taking into account the entire travel chain of the passengers on the system, including evacuation procedures during emergency situations.

4. The concessionaire shall use good industry practice in providing accessibility to the system for special needs passengers."

**Department receiving audit report from independent audit firm of investigators**

1752. Dr S-B HUANG asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

Whether, with reference to a report that her department received from an independent audit firm of investigators that was referred to a legal advisor for further attention and implicating senior management of her department, any action has been taken; if not, (a) why not; (b) why are some of these cases dragged for so long and (c) why the people implicated are suspended for a long period with full pay? N2262E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

Yes. Five of the officials implicated in the report had been charged with misconduct. The necessary disciplinary action started taking place in September 2006 and the said process is still continuing.

(a) With regard to the remainder of the officials implicated in the said report, the department obtained additional information from one of the officials who are currently on suspension. This additional information warranted further investigations which lead to an extension of the charge sheet of the remaining officials who has not yet been charged with misconduct.

(b) The department faced several challenges in obtaining expert witnesses to testify. Some of the additional charges, as indicated in the response to (a) above, affect officials currently in the employ of the department. The department further sought external witnesses

received one donation during the 2005/06 financial year, as indicated in the department's annual report for the 2005/06 financial year. The hon member is also referred to my response in respect of Question 1659 for further information regarding sponsorships.

(4) No. My department has not approached any other donors being private or otherwise for donations.

(5) No, the acceptance of Gifts, donations and sponsorship made to the Department in cash or in kind is in line with section 76(1)(i) of the Public Financial Management Act read in conjunction with Regulation 21 of the Regulations promulgated in terms of the said Act is applicable.

**Progress made *re* NIP/DIP undertakings**

1767. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether, in light of the agreements concluded with suppliers of the defence equipment purchased in terms of the strategic defence acquisitions in 1999, any progress has been made in respect of the (a) National Industrial Participation (NIP) and (b) Defence Industrial Participation (DIP) undertakings by the respective suppliers as at the latest specified date for which information is available regarding (i) the number of jobs and (ii) the amounts of investments made in terms of NIPs and DIPs that (aa) have been realised and (bb) are still to be realised;

(2) whether it is envisaged that the initial targets set for the realisation of NIPs and DIPs will be achieved; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether the financial value of agreements relating to (a) equity participation and/or (b) takeovers of South African companies by the suppliers of the defence armaments in terms of the strategic defence packages are considered as (i) partial or (ii) complete fulfilment of their obligations in terms of the NIPs and DIPs undertaken; if so, in each case, what (aa) are the relevant details and (bb) is the value thereof as concluded to date? N2340E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The dti is only in a position to comment on the NIP requirements and performance and recommends that the DoD be approached for details on the DIP. The information requested in (a) (i) and (ii) is available in the latest NIP Annual Report that was presented to the Portfolio Committee on Trade and Industry on 17 November 2006. Direct jobs created to date are estimated to be in the region of 12 000 and the total amount of investment realised under of the Strategic Defence Package (SDP) stands at US$1,8 billion. The total investment values anticipated under the SDP are in the region of US$3,8 billion.

(2) The NIP, under the SDP, is to be delivered within seven to eleven years, varying across obligated parties. Most of the obligors are five years into this delivery period. While it is relevant that it took longer than anticipated to initiate projects, the dti is confident that most of the obligated parties will meet their obligations within the allotted time.

(3) The SDP contract provides for performance under Investments and Sales. "Investment" is loosely defined as equity participation or preferential loans. "Sales" differentiates between local sales and export sales. A value for each category is specified in each of the SDP contracts. The total obligation for investments amounts to US$3,8 billion.

**Reasons for increase in hotel/travel costs**

1760. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

(1) With reference to her reply to Question 1456 on 7 November 2006 and in light of the fact that only 322 new people were employed by her department in the 2005-06 financial year, what were the reasons for the increase of (a) R15 million in hotel costs and (b) R95 million in travel costs during this period;

(2) whether her department has taken any steps to determine which officials were responsible for this increase; if not, why not; if so, (a) what steps and (b) who was responsible;

(3) whether any action has been taken against these officials; if not, why not; if so, what action? N2331E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(1) (a) and (b) The increase in hotel costs and travel costs relate primarily to officials who have been transferred from one department / province / city to another and such officials were accommodated in hotels for specific specified periods until they themselves could find suitable accommodation. This practice is in accordance with current financial prescripts. The following factors also contributed to the increased expenditure (hotel and travel), namely: (i) more international trips due to South Africa's increased involvement in international affairs, (ii) the increased participation of South Africa in international treaties/ international conferences, (iii) more interaction between the department's Head Office and the nine provinces, (iv) more intensified training sessions given in the provinces / at the department's Head Office and (v) foreign offices had been capacitated with officials from the Department of Home Affairs to render more efficient services relating to its own line functions. These services were previously rendered by the Department of Foreign Affairs.

(2) No. (a) and (b) From the explanations furnished in (1)(a) and (b), it is clear that no specific officials can be held responsible for the increases in hotel costs and travelling costs.

(3) No. No action has been or will be taken against any specific official in this regard, as all trips were duly authorised and approved in line with the explanations furnished at (1)(a) and (b) above.

**Private donor sponsoring department's budget vote function**

1761. Mrs S V KALYAN (DA) asked the Minister of Home Affairs:

(1) With reference to her reply to Question 840 on 6 November 2006, in which she stated that a private donor sponsored her department's budget vote function, what is the name of that private donor;

(2) whether her department approached the donor for a donation; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether her department received any other donations from donors, private or otherwise; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether her department has ever approached any other donors, private or otherwise, for a donation; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) whether the acceptance of a private donation for government business sets a dangerous precedent; if not, why not? N2332E

The MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS:

(1) Siemens South Africa.

(2) No.

(3) The Department of Home Affairs only

| *2001-02* | *2002-03* | *2003-04* | *2004-05* | *2005-06* |
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| R1 455 482,62 | R4 049 936,77 | R5 227 969,09 | 5 378 996,57 | 5 710 458,79 |

(2) Yes, the relevant instruments that were delivered in each case, had the value of the money that was paid over to the supplier.

(3) No.

(a) Not applicable.

(b) Not applicable.

(c) Not applicable.

(4) Not applicable.

(5) (a) (i) The purchases were procured according to Treasury Regulations and the relevant approved procurement policy in force at the time of the purchases.

(ii) The purchases were approved by the relevant Tender Committee, Bid Adjudication Committee and/or CEO in line with the approved procurement policy in force at the time of the purchases.

(b) The value of the purchases are given in the answer to Question (1).

**Raadslede van SA Weerdiens operasioneel by die organisasie betrokke**

1771. Me A M DREYER (DA) vra die Minister van Omgewingsake en Toerisme:

(1) Of raadslede van die SA Weerdiens sedert 15 Junie 2001 ooit operasioneel by dié organisasie betrokke geraak het; so ja, (a) wat die duur en (b) rede van sodanige betrokkenheid in elke geval was;

(2) of sodanige betrokkenheid sy goedkeuring weggedra het; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(3) of sodanige raadslid enige insae gehad het in die aanskaffings en tenderprosedures van die organisasie, bo en behalwe dit wat sy of hy in 'n normale raadslidposisie sou gehad het; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(4) watter vergoeding sodanige raadslid bo en behalwe haar of sy raadslidtoelaag ontvang het;

(5) of daar vir dié vergoeding begroot is; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is? N2344A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Councillors of the SA Weather Service operationally involved in the organisation**

1771. Ms A M DREYER asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

(1) Whether councillors of the SA Weather Service have ever become operationally involved in the organisation since 15 June 2001; if so, what was the (a) duration of and (b) reason for such involvement in each case;

(2) whether such involvement met with his approval; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether such a councillor had access to the organisation's procurement and tender procedures, over and above that which he or she would have had as a regular councillor; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) what remuneration would such a

To date the investment value amounts to US$1,8 billion.

**Bedrag aan SA Weerdiens oorbetaal vir lewering van instrumente om toestande in die bolug te meet**

1770. Me A M DREYER (DA) vra die Minister van Omgewingsake en Toerisme:

(1) Watter bedrag in die boekjaar (a) 2001-02, (b) 2002-03, (c) 2003-04, (d) 2004-05 en (e) 2005-06 deur die SA Weerdiens aan verskaffers oorbetaal is vir die lewering van instrumente om toestande in die bolug te meet;

(2) of die betrokke instrumente wat in elke geval gelewer is wel die waarde gehad het van die geld wat aan die verskaffers oorbetaal is; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(3) of die SA Weerdiens ooit instrumente om toestande in die bolug te meet, aangekoop het van verskaffers waarin sy raadslede of bestuur 'n belang gehad het; so ja, wat die besonderhede van die (a) amptenaar, (b) belang en (c) verskaffer in elke geval was;

(4) of die SA Weerdiens vroegtydig deur die betrokke raadslid of bestuur van sodanige belang verwittig is; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(5) (a)(i) ingevolge watter (aa) aanskaffingsriglyne, (bb) prosedure of (cc)-beleid en (ii) deur wie sodanige transaksie goedgekeur is en (b) wat die waarde van die aankope was? N2343A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Amount paid by the SA Weather Service for delivering instruments to measure conditions in the upper air**

1770. Ms A M DREYER (DA) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

(1) What amount was paid by the SA Weather Service to suppliers for delivering instruments to measure conditions in the upper air in the (a) 2001-02, (b) 2002-03, (c) 2003-04, (d) 2004-05 and (e) 2005-06 financial years;

(2) whether the relevant instruments that were delivered in each case actually had the value of the money that was paid over to suppliers; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether the SA Weather Service ever purchased instruments to measure conditions in the upper air from suppliers in whom its councillors or managers have an interest; if so, what are the details of the (a) official, (b) interest and (c) supplier in each case;

(4) whether the relevant councillor or manager informed the SA Weather Service timeously of such interest; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) (a)(i) in terms of which procurement (aa) guidelines, (bb) procedure or (cc) policy and (ii) by whom was such transaction approved and (b) what was the value of the purchases? N2343E]

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

(1) (a), (b), (c), (d), (e)

cling buy-back centres, as well as supporting existing recycling centres, establishing and supporting a network of collectors, supporting SMMEs in recycling, and conducting public awareness campaigns. The company has made some progress towards establishing the infrastructure necessary for the collection of plastic bags, and continues to strive towards fulfilling its mandate in respect of promoting the recycling of plastic bags.

The Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism is in the process of commissioning a study to assess the impact of the plastic bag regulations. The results of this study should provide a basis for evaluating the activities of the section 21 company.

**Development of logistics hub developed at Harrismith in the Free State**

1782 . Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether, in view of the possibility of a logistics hub being developed at Harrismith in the Free State, this development will indeed continue; if not, why not; if so, where will it be situated;

(2) whether a project manager has been appointed; if not, why not; if so, who is this person;

(3) whether any funds have been earmarked for this development; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details for each respective phase of this development;

(4) whether any time frames are in place for the various phases of this development; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

N2356E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(1) Yes, the development of the Logistics Hub at Harrismith in the Free State will continue. A joint process between the Department of Transport and the Free State Department of Public Works, Roads and Transport has begun on determining the feasibility of the Hub in the context of the Durban-Gauteng Corridor work that is being carried out, as well as the work of our consultants that are doing the Freight Databank for the Free State.

An initial scoping exercise is currently underway and a draft report in this regard would be available as soon as the scoping work is complete. The scoping exercise would likely look at the following areas:-

- Analysis of cargo movements in and around Harrismith;
- analysis of existing infrastructure, looking at its condition and nature; and
- possible developments, if any.

(2) A project manager has not been appointed as yet. However, the consortium of consultants that has been appointed will undertake the feasibility and, depending on the results, a project manager might or might not be appointed.

(3) Funds have not been earmarked at this point in time as the development would depend on the outcome of the work that the consultants are doing.

(4) As stated earlier, timeframes and phases will solely depend on the results of the feasibility and the uptake or support from public and private sector companies that think that the Harrismith Hub possesses an investment opportunity for their companies.

councillor have received over and above his or her allowance as councillor;

(5) whether this remuneration was budgeted for; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2344E]

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

(1) The SA Weather Service (SAWS) has a Board that is appointed by the Minister in terms of the South African Weather Service Act, Act 8 of 2001. No Board member became operationally involved in the business of SAWS other than providing strategic support, advice and guidance to the CEO or to the Acting CEOs or Interim CEOs as stipulated in the South African Weather Service Act No 8 of 2001.

(2) Not applicable. Refer to answer for Question (1).

(3) Not applicable.

(4) Not applicable.

(5) Not applicable.

**Amount raised by compulsory plastic bag tax imposed to fund a national recycling programme**

1772. Moulana M R SAYEDALI-SHAH (DA) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

(1) Whether, with regard to the compulsory plastic bag tax imposed three years ago to fund a national recycling programme, his department requested from the National Treasury the total amount raised for this purpose to date; if not, why not; if so, (a) what was the amount, (b) what amount was raised for the period May 2003 to June 2004 and (c) what happened to the money raised during this period;

(2) why has the section 21 company (name furnished), which was set up to create and manage the recycling programme, failed to fulfil its mandate to date? N2345E

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

(1) The compulsory plastic bag tax is collected by the SA Revenue Service. Revenues received from this tax contribute to national revenue, and are not earmarked for the purpose of funding plastic bag recycling initiatives. The Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism makes submissions to the National Treasury for budget allocations, including allocations for transfers to the section 21 company set up to promote the recycling of plastic bags, through the Medium Term Expenditure Framework processes.

The Minister of Finance may be approached for specific details relating to the amount of revenue collected through the plastic bag tax and how this revenue may have been utilised.

(2) The section 21 company was set up, following an agreement between government, organised labour and organised business, primarily to promote efficiency in the use, re-use, collection, recycling and disposal of plastic bags. The section 21 company was registered in 2004. During its first year of operation in 2005-2006, the company's activities, as a newly established entity, necessarily related to the establishment of the institutional infrastructure, including the acquisition of office accommodation, the recruitment of key staff members and the setting up of the company's operational policies and systems.

For its second year of operation in 2006-07, the company undertook to carry out a variety of plastics recycling projects and activities, including, amongst others, establishing new recy-

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

(1) to (2) Preliminary design options have been compiled, however, the viability of the project has to be considered within the context of the medium to long range planning for the Port of Port Elizabeth. In November 2006, Transnet Board of Directors will be meeting and full information regarding construction and the cost will be made available thereafter.

**Bestryding van armoede om ekonomie te laat groei**

1789. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) vra die Minister van Handel en Nywerheid:

(1) Of armoede nie eerder beveg moet word deur produktiwiteit om die ekonomie te laat groei nie, waardeur meer werkgeleenthede en meer goedere en dienste aan die verbruiker beskikbaar gestel sal word; so nie, waarom nie; so ja, wat die tersaaklike besonderhede is;

(2) of onnodige rompslomp, 'n oormaat arbeidswetgewing en burokratiese oorregulering van die ekonomie 'n demper op die vinnige uitbreiding van produktiwiteit plaas; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja, watter rol sy departement kan speel om te help om dié struikelblokke uit die weg te ruim? N2363A

*(Translation follows):*

**[Poverty tackled to stimulate economic growth**

1789. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether poverty should not rather be tackled through productivity in order to make the economy grow, whereby more job opportunities and more goods and services will be made available to the consumer; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether unnecessary red tape, excessive labour legislation and bureaucratic overregulation of the economy is putting a damper on the rapid expansion of productivity; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what role will his department be able to play in order to facilitate the removal of these stumbling blocks? N2363E]

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) Increasing productivity is an important part of an overall approach to reducing poverty. Increasing productivity will support accelerated growth and thereby employment creation. The Accelerated and Shared Growth Initiative (Asgisa) also emphasises "shared growth", as a way to alleviate poverty and assist marginalised households to become economically active. An exclusive focus on productivity may see marginalised households, the low-skilled, and the long-term unemployed deriving inadequate benefit from accelerated growth.

(2) There is some debate as to whether the burden of regulation is stifling entrepreneurial activity especially amongst SMMEs. This issue is directly dealt with in Asgisa and a review of legislation effecting SMMEs is currently underway. Moreover, the impact of labour legislation on the labour market is currently being investigated by the Department of Labour.

**Completion of certain designs in PE port**

1800. Mr. E W TRENT (DA) asked Minister for Public Enterprises:

(1) Whether, with reference to his reply to Question 579 on 22 June 2006, the design phase has been completed; if not, when will it be completed; if so, (a) when will construction begin, (b) what will the estimated cost be, (c) when is it anticipated that the construction of the terminal will be completed and (d) what are the further relevant details?

(2) what progress has been achieved in respect of the intention to convert a berth next to shed 12 to a dedicated passenger terminal in the Port Elizabeth harbour? N2374E

(b) The decision over which entities will hold the 20% is yet to be taken. Government does not receive anything other than the dividends declared annually. In the current licence the post office received an average of R15m per year and the NEF R5m per year.

(4) The Minister has made a statement and explained the entire adjudication process, in detail.

**Members of consortium investigated by the Greek government for gaming infractions**

1483. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether any members of a certain consortium (name furnished) were investigated by the Greek government or any other government concerning lottery, gambling or similar gaming infractions; if not, why not, if so, what are the relevant details? N1944E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The courts in Greece were investigating a range of allegations pertaining to this matter. However, the NIA have informed **the dti** that the serious allegations have been thrown out of court. The investigations that remain are not of a serious nature.

**Fiasco of appointments *re* National Lottery**

1491. Ms H WEBER (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether, now that all the appointments regarding the National Lottery have been made, any measures are in place to ensure that a similar fiasco will not occur in five years' time; if not, why not; if so, what measures;

(2) whether the people appointed at every level are credible and able to fulfil the tasks given to them honestly and credibly; if not, why not; if so,

(3) whether the allegation that one service provider was not credible has been examined; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) (a) what is the breakdown of lottery funds, (b) how much goes to administration and (c) what percentage goes to (i) prizes and (ii) those who need it? N1953E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) Yes, the dti's Agency Management Unit has been established to ensure timeous action for appointments to all dti structures, including the National Lotteries Board distributing agencies.

(2) Yes, due diligence in that regard has been followed.

(3) The courts in Greece were investigating a range of allegations pertaining to this matter. However, the NIA have informed **the dti** that the serious allegations have been thrown out of court. The investigations that remain are not of a serious nature.

(4) The current breakdown is as follows:

Good Causes — 27%

Retailer Commission — 5%

Operations — 15%

Profit — 3%

Prizes — 50%

**Reasons for application forms for the National Lottery Distribution Trust Fund only being available in English**

1556. Mrs D VAN DER WALT (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) What are the reasons for the application forms for the National Lottery

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

**Amount spent by officials on travels**

1099. Mr W P DOMAN (DA) asked the Minister for Provincial and Local Government:

What amount was spent by officials of his department on (a) hotel accommodation, (b) restaurant expenses and (c) travel costs (i) in the 2004-05 and (ii) in the 2005-06 financial years and (iii) during the period 1 April 2006 up to the latest specified date for which information is available? N1420E

The MINISTER FOR PROVINCIAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

The information is reflected in the table appearing below:

| *Expenditure item* | *2004-05* | *2005-06* | *April-August 2006* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hotel accommodation | R4 334 139 | R6 852 284 | R2 286 311 |
| Restaurant expenses | R629 677 | R852 175 | R765 588 |
| Travel costs | R14 524 845 | R21 535 565 | R6 985 647 |

**Allegations against a certain consortium's technical partner *re* espionage, fraud and money laundering**

1461. Mrs P DE LILLE (ID) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether he and his department have taken note of the allegations against a certain consortium's technical partner (names furnished) that relate to espionage, fraud and money laundering; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether the allegations were taken into consideration when the consortium was awarded the licence (name furnished); if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) (a) who are the directors of the consortium and (b) how will the 20% share that the Government receives in the transaction with the consortium be spent;

(4) whether he will make a statement on the matter? N1848E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) Yes, the allegations were duly noted.

(2) Yes, the allegations were taken into account in awarding the licence. The courts in Greece were investigating a range of allegations pertaining to this matter. However, the NIA have informed **the dti** that the serious allegations have been thrown out of court. The investigations that remain are not of a serious nature.

(3) (a) The directors are the following:

1. Bongani Khumalo (chair)
2. Lindiwe Mthimunye
3. Colin Matjilla
4. Salukazi Dakile-Hlongwane
5. Thembi Tulwana
6. Ethan Gilbert Dube
7. Christos Moumouris
8. Constantinos G. Antonopoulos

The appointment of new Board members by the Minister in terms of sections 3(1) and (2) of the Estate Agency Affairs Act is currently being undertaken.

**Cranes required to operationalise Port Ngqura ordered**

1705. Mr. E W TRENT (DA) asked Minister for Public Enterprises:

Whether the cranes required to operationalise the Port Ngqura, have been ordered; if not, why not, if so, (a) when (i) were they ordered and (ii) will they be delivered, (b) how many have been ordered and (c) what is the total cost?
N2285E

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

(a) to (c) The business case operationalise Port Ngqura will be submitted to the Board of Directors of Transnet for consideration in due course where after the formal process to procure the cranes will commence.

**Progress *re* a settlement in the dispute between two chocolate manufacturers**

1721. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

Whether any progress regarding a settlement in respect of the dispute between two chocolate manufacturers has been made; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?
N2301E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

The dispute between Associacao Brasileira Da Industria De Chocolates and the South African Chocolate and Sweet Manufacturers Association (SACSMA) arose as a result of an increase in the custom duty on sugar confectionery from 25 to 37% ad valorem (on the general column). The increase was implemented on 30 December 2005 after the Minister of Trade and Industry accepted the recommendation of the International Trade Administration Commission (ITAC).

On 18 September 2006 the Associacao Brasilia Da Industria De Chocolates together with the Integrated Sweet Importers CC (SA importer) served a High Court application on ITAC and SACSMA to review the decision. ITAC has filed the record of the investigation and is currently drafting an affidavit in response. This implies that court proceedings must be followed in order to resolve the dispute.

**Amendments to the SMEDP excluding some manufacturing sectors**

1722. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether his department is contemplating any amendments to the Small and Medium Enterprise Development Programme which will exclude some manufacturing sectors; if not; why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether capital intensive sectors low on job creation and firms that do not beneficiate will be excluded from the programme in future; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?
N2302E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The SMEDP is currently under review. The objective is to introduce a new package of incentives that are consistent with the National Industrial Policy Framework. Key areas of improvement are simplification of the guidelines, increased accessibility by black-owned small enterprises and increased access in less developed provinces and regions. It is too early to pronounce on the exclusion or inclusion of any sectors.

(2) As stated above, the introduction of a new package of incentives will be guided by the National Industrial

Distribution Trust Fund only being available in English;

(2) whether his department has taken any steps to ensure that these application forms are printed in any of the other official languages; if not, why not; if so, (a) what steps and (b) by when will these application forms be available;

(3) whether any measures are in place to assist applicants who do not speak English to complete these application forms; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, in respect of which official languages are such applicants assisted? N2054E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) English is the lingua franca of record and business in South Africa. Furthermore, applications submitted in any of the official languages of South Africa have been accepted and processed.

(2) No steps have been taken in this regard. The board is investigating having the forms available in other languages, as is the case with the board's Access to Information manual. It is envisaged that this will be done with the next call for applications.

(3) The board has set up an information centre where applicants can call for information and/or assistance with the application process. The staff in the information centre can assist applicants in any one of the official languages.

**Link between connectivity in the business empowerment deals and growing corruption**

1601. Prof E S CHANG (IFP) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether there is a link between connectivity in the business empowerment deals and the growing corruption; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so,

(2) whether such connectivity is against the interests of citizens; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N2144E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The dti is not aware of any link between connectivity in business empowerment deals and growing corruption. The potential problem of "fronting" is currently being addressed via the BEE codes.

(2) There is no doubt that corruption in any form is entirely against the interest of South African citizens.

**Estate Agency Affairs Board functioning in compliance with its mandate**

1681. Prof E S CHANG (IFP) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the Estate Agency Affairs Board is currently functioning in compliance with its mandate; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether this board currently comprises the full number of board members as required by law; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2254E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The Estate Agency Affairs Board is presently functioning in full compliance with its statutory mandate. It is performing the various functions and activities that it is required to in terms of the Estate Agency Affairs Act, 1976.

(2) The previous members of the board tendered their resignations to the Minister of Trade and Industry during 2005.

details within 14 days after such changes have occurred. This failure may well result in a delay in the issue of a fidelity fund certificate.

(3) Consumers enjoy the full protection of the Estate Agents Fidelity Fund in respect of all moneys entrusted to an estate agent. Pursuant to the Estate Agency Affairs Act, such protection is not dependent upon the estate agent having been registered with the board or having been issued with a valid fidelity fund certificate. Provided the consumer in question is able to satisfactorily demonstrate that she, in good faith, believed that she was transacting with an estate agent in the capacity of estate agent, and is able to prove the amount of the moneys that were paid to an estate agent in that capacity, that consumer will be fully protected by the Fidelity Fund against:

- The theft of trust moneys by an estate agent;
- The failure of an estate agent forthwith to deposit trust moneys into the estate agency trust account;
- The failure to retain trust moneys in a trust account until an estate agent is lawfully entitled, or lawfully instructed, to make payment.

**Position of Senior Manager: Corporate Governance at Seda advertised**

1737. Mr L W GREYLING (ID) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the position of Senior Manager: Corporate Governance at the Small Enterprise Development Agency (Seda) was ever advertised; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) who currently holds the position of Human Resources executive;

(3) whether he will table the comprehensive list of benefits received by Seda Board members since their date of appointment; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2318E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The dti has requested the Board of Seda to provide a full report on the matter and a response will be forwarded as soon as this is received from the Board.

(2) The Executive Manager for Human Resources is Mr Michael Tshifhiwa Netsianda;

(3) Seda has no objection in tabling to the National Assembly the comprehensive list of benefits received by seda Board Members. This is reported on an annual basis in the seda Annual report as covered in page 65 of the 2005-06 Seda annual report. Fees and benefits are determined on the basis of the benefits guidelines schedule from National Treasury.

**Visit by DA to forensic laboratories**

1754. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

Whether he will give permission for a delegation from the Democratic Alliance to visit the three forensic laboratories in (a) Pretoria, (b) Cape Town and (c) Johannesburg in January 2007; if not, on what basis is he denying permission; if so, what are the relevant details? N2283E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(a) to ( c) No, the party will not be allowed to visit the forensic laboratories. We find it impractical to entertain a request by a political party to visit the forensic laboratory as there are many parties in the RSA. A request from a legislative oversight structure like the Portfolio

Policy Framework and the review process. It is too early to pronounce on the exclusion or inclusion of any sectors.

**Policy *re* disposing of unutilised Spoornet/Transnet land**

1723. Mr J J M STEPHENS (DA) asked Minister for Public Enterprises:

(1) What is his department's policy with regard to disposing of unutilised Spoornet/Transnet land and in particular erf No 1052-1060 on the corner of Ingelby and Old Castle roads, Crosby, which has been invaded by informal dwellers and has become an illegal ground posing possible health risks;

(2) whether any moratorium exists on the sale of the land; if not,

(3) whether the land will be sold on public auction; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, when? N2303E

The MINISTER FOR PUBLIC ENTERPRISES:

(1) Ownership of Erven 1052 to 1060 Crosby does not vest with Transnet Limited. Ownership of these properties is registered in favour of private person in the Registrar of Deeds in Johannesburg.

(2) There is a moratorium on the sale of land owned by the various state owned public enterprises, and specific approval is needed for disposals over a certain value.

(3) Disposal will be done in a transparent, objective and fair manner, and the method used determined by circumstances of each disposal.

**Estate Agency Affairs Board: backlog of licence applications**

1728. Prof E S CHANG (IFP) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the Estate Agency Affairs Board has a backlog of licence applications; if so, (a) how many and (b) when is it expected that this backlog will be cleared;

(2) what is the waiting period for (a) new applications for a licence and (b) a licence to be renewed;

(3) whether these delays affect consumers' cover by the fidelity fund; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, how? N2309E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) There is no backlog of licence applications at present.

(2) It usually takes between 15 and 20 working days for a new application to be processed by the board and for the relevant fidelity fund certificate to be issued and dispatched to the applicant concerned. The prompt issue of new fidelity fund certificates to applicants is dependent upon the complexity of the specific application, whether all registration requirements have been duly furnished to the board at the outset, and whether the applicable levy payment has been received.

Renewal applications are generally finalised within five days after receipt by the Board of the renewal levy payment. This, again, is dependent on the applicant indicating the correct reference number on the renewal payment so that such payment may immediately be allocated to the correct applicant. It must be noted that upon the issue of a new fidelity fund certificate by the board, each estate agent is given a personal identification number (PIN) to be used as the reference number for all future renewals. Estate agents are often found by the board to be in breach of their obligation to advise the board of any changes in their

**Renovation of SAPS satellite station at Tseki in Qwaqwa**

1781. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

Whether any steps are being taken to renovate the SA Police Service satellite station at Tseki in Qwaqwa; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N2355E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

Yes, the upgrading of Tseki Police Station at Qwaqwa is one of the priorities in the Free State and it has been identified for upgrading. The Department of Public Works advertised the tender on 2006-10-13 and it will close on 2006-11-24. The site handover will take place on 2007-01-05.

**Skills audit conducted *re* its personnel**

1784. Mr R J KING (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether his department conducted a skills audit with regard to its personnel in each of the past three years up to and including 2006; if not, why not; if so, (a) how many personnel members were found to be unqualified and (b) what steps has his department taken with regard to these findings;

(2) whether his department has introduced any incentives or measures to (a) recruit and (b) retain qualified and experienced personnel; if so, what incentives or measures? N2358E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) Yes, the department has conducted a skills audit with regard to its personnel and is still continuing with the said skills audit in 2006 and beyond. A pilot skills audit was conducted starting from December 2004 which laid a foundation to the current skills audit that is being conducted within the provinces.

A skills audit is currently being conducted in five provinces (Gauteng, North West, Mpumalanga, Limpopo and Northern Cape) for all functional members in their respective stations. SAPS Trainers from Basic Training, In Service and Management and Leadership Training have also been audited. The process is ongoing.

(a) The 16 228 functional members audited during the pilot were not necessarily unqualified but showed skills gaps in one aspect or another.

(b) Personal Development Plans for those members were generated. Training interventions have been and are still being implemented to bridge the skills gaps that have been identified during skills audit.

(2) (a) The SA Police Service has a vigorous recruitment strategy. Potential employees have to comply with a number of physical and mental requirements and have to successfully complete a vigorous two year training course before they can be considered for enlistment into the South African Police Service. Amongst the requirements are that they have to be in possession of a grade twelve certificate, have a valid drivers licence and undergo psychometric tests.

The service also makes use of career centres in each province in order to attract potential employees. These career centres are visited by schools and members of the community and play an important role in promoting the police as a career of choice.

(b) The SA Police Service is moving towards a Total Reward Strategy

Committee on Safety and Security would be in order.

**Trips abroad undertaken by the SAPS National Commissioner and his Deputy**

1777. Mrs S M CAMERER (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(a) How many trips abroad have been undertaken by the National Commissioner of the SA Police Service and his Deputy Commissioner for Human Resources since 2003 and (b) what was the (i) reason, (ii) class travelled, (iii) cost and (iv) benefits, in each case? N2350E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(a) The National Commissioner of the SAPS and his Deputy National Commissioner for Human Resource Management travelled together on one official journey abroad since 2003.

(b) (i) to (iv)The purpose of the trip abroad was to attend a Tri-Lateral Board Meeting in Sweden between representatives from Sweden and South Africa concerning progress made with regard to the implementation of the Corporation Agreement between Sweden, Rwanda and South Africa. The Minister of Safety and Security approved the journey and the costs relating thereto. The trip was of a short duration and all expenses incurred in respect thereof were paid in accordance with the rules relating to the payment of travel and subsistence allowances applicable to public servants.

**Trips between Cape Town and Pietermaritzburg undertaken by the SAPS Deputy National Commissioner**

1778. Mrs S M CAMERER (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) How often has the SA Police Service Deputy Commissioner for Human Resources travelled to Cape Town and Pietermaritzburg since the beginning of 2005;

(2) in respect of each visit, what was the (a) duration, (b) reason, (c) number of days spent away from the SAPS headquarters and (d) cost to the department;

(3) whether any other trips outside Gauteng have been undertaken by the said Deputy Commissioner since the beginning of 2005; if so, what trips? N2351E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) to (3) The Deputy National Commissioner for Human Resource Management of the SA Police Service travelled to Cape Town on official trips on a number of occasions and occasionally visited Pietermaritzburg since the beginning of 2005. All the said official journeys were of a very short duration. Her visits to Cape Town and Pietermaritzburg were either at the request of Parliamentary Committees or upon the specific instruction of the National Commissioner to perform specific duties imposed on her by the National Commissioner. The vast majority of visits lasted less than two days and all expenses incurred in respect thereof were paid in accordance with the rules relating to the payment of travel and subsistence allowances applicable to Public Servants and was approved by the National Commissioner.

The Deputy National Commissioner also undertook several official trips outside Gauteng since 2005. These trips were undertaken upon the specific instruction of the National Commissioner in order to perform specific duties imposed on her by the National Commissioner.

(b) The SAPS recruits members within the human resource plans of the Department and not specifically for deployment during the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament. I am not in a position to answer questions regarding recruitment of SANDF members.

(3) (a) (i) Members of the National JOINTS Task Team are tasked specifically to deal with security issues for the 2010 World Cup event during meetings of the National JOINTS Task Team.

(ii) Members of the Priority Committee are tasked specifically to deal with security issues identified by the National JOINTS Task Team, for the 2010 World Cup event, during meetings of the Priority Committee.

(b) The hon Mr King did not specify the period under discussion, except to refer to 31 October 2006. The National JOINTS meets monthly and the 2010 FIFA Soccer World Cup is a permanent item on the agenda, while the Priority Committee meets when necessary. Between 1 January 2006 and 30 October 2006 the National JOINTS met ten (10) times, the National Priority Committee met four (4) times.

**Number of CPFs established in each province**

1788. Ms S J LOE (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) How many community police forums (CPFs) were established in each province in each of the past three years;

(2) whether any of these CPFs applied for project funding from the provincial governments; if so, (a) how many applied and (b) what safety projects were applied for in each case;

(3) whether the provincial government provided this funding; if not, what were the reasons for the funding being refused; if so, (a) how much and (b) what steps has his department taken to ensure the funding is spent on these projects;

(4) whether his department conducted an investigation to determine the progress of these forums; if not, why not; if so, what were the findings with regard to (a) successes and (b) failures? N2362E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1)

| *PROVINCE* | *2003* | *2004* | *2005* | *TOTAL* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Western Cape | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| Eastern Cape | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Free State | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Gauteng | 2 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Mpumalanga | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| North West | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern Cape | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Limpopo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 2 | 7 | 8 | 17 |

which includes pay, incentives, allowances, training, bursaries etc. The Service also introduced a new broad band salary structure aimed at rewarding individuals and providing a career path without employees having to be promoted to higher ranks.

All employees are assessed in terms of a performance management system. This system is also used to identify employees qualifying for both individual and team incentives. Organisational performance indicators are used to identify and reward performing stations.

Senior and middle managers are compensated in terms of a flexible remuneration package system and allows them flexibility when structuring their packages.

**Fifa requirements *re* reduction of crime levels for 2010**

1786. Mr R J KING (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether Fifa has any specific requirements for the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament with regard to (a) the reduction of crime levels in the country and (b) the (i) deployment and (ii) training of SA Police Service personnel; if so, (aa) what requirements and (bb) what action will be taken by Fifa if these requirements are not met;

(2) whether his department has determined the security force levels required for this event; if not, why not; if so, how many (a)(i) SAPS and (ii) SA National Defence Force members will be deployed and (b) of these members have been recruited up to 31 October 2006;

(3) (a) how are the members of the (i) National JOINTS task team and (ii) Priority Committee tasked specifically with dealing with security issues for the 2010 World Cup event and (b) how many times have these bodies met up to 31 October 2006? N2360E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) Fifa does not have any *specific* requirements for the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament with regard to the reduction of crime levels in the country.

(b) (i) Fifa does not have any *specific* requirements for the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament with regard to the deployment of SA Police Service personnel, *outside of the security plan.*

(ii) Fifa does not have any *specific* requirements for the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament with regard to the training of SA Police Service personnel.

(2) (a) This department has determined the security force levels for this event to be within the parameters of the requirements of the security plan mentioned in the Guarantee of the National Commissioner of the SAPS to Fifa.

(i) The exact number of SAPS members to be deployed is confidential and will, in any event, be determined by the local operational plans within the broad security plan.

(ii) The exact number of SANDF members to be deployed is confidential and will, in any event, be determined by the local operational plans within the broad security plan.

(2)

| *Province* | *Application for funding (yes/no)* | *Question (2)(a)* | *Question (2)(b)* |
|---|---|---|---|
| North West | Yes | 90 | • Project Nexus. |
| Northern Cape | Yes | 58 | • March against Crime.<br>• Anti-Substance Abuse.<br>• Project Women Cry.<br>• Alcohol and Drug Abuse.<br>• Door-to-Door Campaign.<br>• Safer-Schools and Safer-Street Campaign.<br>• Knife-Free Day.<br>• Stop Violence Against Women and Children.<br>• Launch of Security Month.<br>• Neighbourhood Watch. |
| Limpopo | Yes | 9 | • Anti-Rape Strategy.<br>• Women and Children Abuse.<br>• Use of Alcohol and Drugs. |

(3)

| *Province* | *Provided funding (yes/no)* | *Question (3)(a)* | *Question (3)(b)* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Western Cape | One (1) application for the amount of R10 000,00 for the funding of the Kwanonqaba Tourism Protection Project was refused due to incomplete application documents. | | |
| | Yes | R106 741,83 | Both the Community Police Forum's Chairperson and the Station Commissioner sign a contract with the Department of Community Safety whereby they commit themselves to the correct spending of the funds. They further commit themselves to the submission of a financial report of the project to the Department after the |

The following table is an indication of the total number of established CPFs countrywide:

| (1) (cont) - Total number established Community Police Forums : | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Total* | *Province* | *Total* | *Province* | *Total* |
| Western Cape | 144 | Gauteng | 124 | North West | 93 |
| Eastern Cape | 192 | Mpumalanga | 90 | Northern Cape | 83 |
| Free State | 109 | KwaZulu-Natal | 183 | Limpopo | 92 |

| (2) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Application for funding (yes/no)* | *Question (2)(a)* | *Question (2)(b)* |
| Western Cape | Yes | 5 | • Festive Season Project (included Sports Days, Domestic Violence Awareness Workshops and Bush clearing).<br>• 16 Days of Activism against Women and Child Abuse and Victim Empowerment Workshops.<br>• Victim Support Rooms.<br>• Victim Support Room Furniture.<br>• Child Safety Awareness Campaigns.<br>• Domestic Violence Awareness Campaigns. |
| Eastern Cape | No | N/A | N/A |
| Free State | No | N/A | N/A |
| Gauteng | No | N/A | N/A |
| Mpumalanga | No | N/A | N/A |
| KwaZulu-Natal | Yes | 10 | • 16 Days of Activism.<br>• Anti-Rape Strategy.<br>• Community Based Crime Prevention Projects dealing with Contact Crimes.<br>• Gender Violence Programs.<br>• Youth Based Crime Prevention Projects targeting Schools.<br>• Organisational Development which involves Capacity Building in Terms of Community Education. |

| (3) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Provided funding (yes/no)* | *Question (3)(a)* | *Question (3)(b)* |
| North West | Yes | R270 000,00 | Continuous monitoring and evaluation of projects take place by means of a provincial assessment model. |
| Northern Cape | Yes | R82 748,00 | • The Department funded projects upon request.<br>• Stations were previously provided with a fixed amount of R30 000-00.<br>• The following processes are in place:<br>• Business plans are obtained, scrutinised and thereafter approved.<br>• Regional Managers of the Department monitor the implementation of these projects. |
| Limpopo | Yes | R116 000,00 | Monitoring implementation of the Projects by means of investigation in the form of audits and inspections. |

(4) Yes. Workshops were held in the respective Provinces to conduct an assessment of the functioning of the CPF'S.

(a) Functioning of the CPF'S improved after these workshops and projects were successful.

(b) None.

**SAPS: sufficient funds at its disposal for the following financial year's budget**

1794. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether the SA Police Service has sufficient funds at its disposal for its budget for the following financial year; if not, to what ends are more funds needed; if so, why (a) are the crime statistics still at unacceptably high levels and (b) has the SAPS not requested extra funds for adjustment in the current financial year;

(2) whether the SAPS is experiencing any shortfalls in resources in respect of arms, ammunition, vehicles, bulletproof vests and equipment for road blocks; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether the R1,75 billion in extra funds over three years in terms of the medium-term planning is sufficient for the SAPS; if not, what is the position in this regard;

| (3) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Province* | *Provided funding (yes/no)* | *Question (3)(a)* | *Question (3)(b)* |
| | | | completion of the Project. The Community Police Forum's send a monthly progress report to the Area Community Police Board. Shortcomings are addressed at Board meetings and early interventions are implemented. |
| Eastern Cape | Yes | R260 000,00 | Continuous investigation with regards to the progress. Shortcomings are addressed immediately. |
| Free State | None | N/A | N/A |
| Gauteng | None | N/A | N/A |
| Mpumalanga | None | (3)(a) The Department of Safety and Security took a responsibility of buying some of the materials for the projects but not to fund them as it was a joint venture. | |
| | | | (3)(b) N/A |
| KwaZulu-Natal | Yes | (3)(a) R80 000,00: 16 Days of Activism. R300 000,00: Information Technology Equipment for Community Police Forums. R360 000,00: Administrative Costs for Provincial and Area Boards. | |
| | | | (3)(b) Monthly Bilateral meetings take place between the Department of Community Safety and Liaison and the Area Boards. The Department of Community Safety and Liaison has a liaison officer within each Area Board that monitors time- frames and the utilisation of funds. |

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Estimated number of HIV-positive teachers

1447. Mr R COETZEE (DA) asked the Minister of Education:

(1) Whether her department has any estimates on the number of teachers who are HIV-positive; if so, (a) what are these estimates and (b) what is the source of these estimates;

(2) whether any HIV-positive teachers are currently receiving antiretroviral therapy through the public sector; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, how many;

(3) how many teachers in each specified age category died during the latest specified period of twelve months for which information is available? N1907E

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

(1) Yes, in collaboration with the Educator Labour Relations Council, my department completed a study in September 2005 of educator supply and demand in the public education system that included an assessment of HIV and Aids prevalence.

(a) Prevalence varied by age and region, and was estimated at 12,7% overall.

(b) *Educator Supply and Demand in the South African Public Education System: Integrated Report* (HSRC Press, 2005), pp. 44-46, 124-129.

(2) Yes, currently there is a union-led educators' programme focusing on prevention, care, treatment and access, through which HIV-positive teachers receive antiretroviral therapy either in the public or private sector. The programme has been funded through PEPFAR since 2005. Beyond this, teachers can receive treatment through public clinics and hospitals, like any other citizens.

(3) Distribution of Aids deaths by age in 2004

| *Age group* | *Number of Aids deaths* | *Proportion of total Aids deaths (%)* |
|---|---|---|
| <24 | 12 | 0.3 |
| 25-34 | 1 337 | 33.6 |
| 35-44 | 1 935 | 48.7 |
| 45-54 | 587 | 14.7 |
| >55 | 105 | 2.6 |
| Total | 3 976 | 100,0 |

Source: *Educator Supply and Demand in the South African Public Education System: Integrated Report* (HSRC Press, 2005), p. 49.

### Monitering van die gebruik van moedertaalonderrig in skole

1471. Mnr W D SPIES (VF Plus) vra die Minister van Onderwys:

Of haar departement die prestasie van bepaalde skole moniteer deur middel van die gebruik van (a) slegs moedertaal as onderrigmedium, (b) slegs Engels as onderrigmedium en (c) die vroeë uitkeermodel met verwysing na taal en onderrig; so ja, (i) watter skole op dié manier gemoniteer word en (ii) wat die resultaat is ten opsigte van die akademiese prestasie van die onderskeie skole en die taal- en onderrigmodelle? N1926A

*(Translation follows):*

### [Monitoring of use of mother-tongue instruction in schools

1471. Mr W D SPIES (FF Plus) asked the Minister of Education:

(4) whether last year's medium-term expenditure framework made provision for the 34 000 extra recruits together with this year's announced extra 8 000 new members to be recruited; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(5) whether enough was budgeted so as to command sufficient vehicles for the extended service over three years; if not, what is the member-to-vehicle ratio; if so, what (a) are the relevant details and (b) is the member-to-vehicle ratio? N2368E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) and (b) The MTEF period, including the 2006-07 and 2007-08 financial years, reflect significant growth in allocations to the SA Police Service.

Crime statistics are indicative of different crime types reported to the South African Police Service. Although funds and other resources are important contributors in the combating of crime, due cognizance should be taken that other aspects also play a prominent role because crime is caused by a range of factors. For example and as stated on page 56 of the Annual Report for 2005-06, an analysis again confirmed the fact that the more socially determined contact crimes frequently involve perpetrators and victims of crime who are known to one another or even related to one another as family or friends. Conventional policing will not prevent this type of crime.

(2) The SAPS is experiencing continuous and substantial increases in respect of goods and equipment.

(3) As indicated in paragraph (1) above, strong growth in funding coupled to buoyant capacity enhancements are evident over the current MTEF, and to be supplemented even further in the next MTEF cycle, the ENE detail which still has to be officially tabled in near future.

(4) The 2006 MTEF provides for the recruitment of 34 950 new personnel of which 22 850 are in addition to replacements anticipated for staff turnover over the period. The 2007 MTEF will provide for the 8 000 additional members to be recruited.

(5) (a) and (b) The vehicle fleet will continue to increase on the strength of the current level in combination with expansionary personnel numbers, as provided for in the next MTEF.

**Certain vehicle not seen by forensic division before being released**

1813. Mr S J MASANGO (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

With reference to his reply to Question 1566 on 10 November 2006, (a) why did the forensic division not see the vehicle before it was released, (b) how is it that the person who allegedly wiped the blood stain from the vehicle confirmed this with the press at the time and also gave instructions that the car be valeted, (c) why was it necessary to take the vehicle back into custody if the forensic division was finished with the vehicle, (d) why was the vehicle taken to Pretoria for examination after it was released from the panel beaters (name furnished) and (e) why has no progress been made a year after the event? N2389E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

The murder case of Brett Kebble is still under investigation. Although one person has been arrested, due to the sensitive and advanced nature of this investigation, no further information can be released at this point in time to prevent any hampering of the investigation.

The case has been remanded to 8 December 2006.

quantum of incentives to be implemented. Proposals with regard to the incentive instruments (whether tax or grant based) for SME sector have not yet been concluded.

The current review is investigating four generic incentive programmes targeting the following: (i) investment, (ii) SME, (iii) trade and (iv) competitiveness.

Adetailed study on specific components or types of tax incentives will be conducted in the next phase of this process, which involves benchmarking and design. So far, the dti has not conducted a study on the possibility of a tax incentive to encourage venture capital for SMEs.

No plans to conduct such research in the future are currently in place, given that the review has not yet progressed to that level of detail. However, such an incentive option could well be the subject of future research.

Whether her department is monitoring the performance of specific schools in respect of the use of (a) mother tongue only as medium of instruction, (b) English only as medium of instruction and (c) the early distribution model, with reference to language and instruction; if so, (i) which schools are being monitored in this way and (ii) what is the result in respect of the academic performance of the respective schools and the language and instruction models? N1926E]

The MINISTER OF EDUCATION:

(a) and (b) My department does not monitor the performance of specific schools in relation to the use of mother-tongue only or English only as a medium of instruction.

(c) I am not sure what is meant by the "early distribution model" and hence cannot respond to this. (i) and (ii) are therefore not applicable.

However, I can say that our systemic evaluation results for both grade 3 (in 2001) and grade 6 (in 2005) confirm international trends that indicate learners who learn through their mother tongue score higher than those who learn through another language.

The department is looking at various ways of supporting mother-tongue learning especially in the foundation phase. This includes training teachers in the teaching of second languages. The department will also pilot the use of mother-tongue instruction up to grade 6 in selected schools, and monitor academic achievement.

**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1660. Mr A C STEYN (DA) asked the Minister of Housing:

Whether, in respect of the past two years including 2006, her department has obtained any sponsorship; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2220E

The MINISTER OF HOUSING:

For the past two years including 2006, the department has not obtained any sponsorship.

**Introduction of tax incentive that will allow private investors to provide equity finance to SME sector**

1749. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the Government is planning to introduce a tax incentive that will allow private investors to provide equity finance to the small and medium enterprises (SME) sector; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether any research has been conducted by (a) any government department or (b) the SA Revenue Service regarding the design of an appropriate tax incentive structure model that will enable private persons to invest in the SME sector; if so, what are the relevant details; if not, why not;

(3) there are any plans to conduct such research in future; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1811E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1), (2) & (3) The dti is in the process of reviewing the current incentives with the objective of introducing a new package of incentives that are consistent with the National Industrial Policy Framework.

Within this process, policy recommendations are being generated regarding the areas that should be prioritised for incentives, as well as the type and

of government; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?
N1730E

The MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM:

(1) (a) The process of appointing the air quality officers has begun. The National Air Quality Officer has been appointed and a number of provinces and municipalities have also appointed these officers.

(b) There have been training interventions at a national level with participants from the municipalities, provincial departments and the national department. So far 3 sessions have taken place, namely, Introduction to Air Quality Monitoring, South African Emission Inventory, and the Environmental Management Inspector bridging course.

The Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism (DEAT) has also involved a number of universities in developing training material and courses for Air Quality Officers. The CSIR has also developed course material in conjunction with the University of KZN and offered the training to officials in all the provinces. The University of Johannesburg has already provided an intensive training course to a number of officials from municipalities around the country.

Another avenue that will advance such initiatives is the co-operation with provincial departments and municipalities through the provincial air quality forums.

(c) An Air Quality Governance Lekgotla will be taking place from the 16th to the 17th of October 2006. The gathering aims to ensure that the challenges that government faces with respect to the efficient and effective implementation of the Air Quality Act (AQA) are addressed.

Through such interaction the objective of efficient and effective implementation of the AQA will be achieved and sustainability on necessary programs and systems will be ensured.

(2) Financial responsibility for the appointment of air quality officers rests with the institutions that are charged with fulfilling the legal requirements of the AQA. DEAT has made the necessary budgetary provisions to ensure the efficient and effective implementation of the AQA. This includes provision for the appointment of air quality officials, which is currently underway.

(3) Yes, clarification of the roles of the three tiers of government has commenced and will be furthered through various interactions, including but not limited to the upcoming Air Quality Governance Lekgotla.

**Implementation of employment equity: exclusion of skilled South Africans**

1352. Mr K J MINNIE (DA) asked the Minister for the Public Service and Administration:

Whether the implementation of employment equity requirements in the public service has excluded many skilled South Africans from careers in the public service and contributed to the Government's failure to deliver services to the poor; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N1760E

The MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION:

The Public Service is the career of choice for South Africans from all sectors of the population. Analysis of employment figures will indicate that our "revolving door"

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Sentenced prisoners dying in certain financial years

1169. Mr V C GORE (ID) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

(1) Whether any sentenced prisoners died in the (a) 2003-04 and (b) 2004-05 financial years; if so, (i) how many in each year, (ii) what was the cause of each death and (iii) what was the gender of each prisoner who died;

(2) whether post-mortems were conducted on each such prisoner; if not, why not; if so, how many in each year? N1526E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

(1) (a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

(i) 2003-04: 1 313
2004-05: 1 356

(ii) The cause of each death cannot be provided due to the fact that the Department's Health Information System is not aligned with the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10) codes and the requirements of the National Health Information System of South Africa (NHISSA). The department, with the assistance of the Department of Health, is in the process of aligning the Health Information System to international and national requirements.

2003-04: 16 females and 1 297 males.
2004-05: 27 females and 1329 males.

(2) In terms of the current departmental Order B, (Health Services) post-mortems are not conducted on deaths due to natural causes except in cases where there are doubts that the cause of death may be due to unnatural causes.

In all deaths due to non-natural causes, the Forensic Pathologist may order that a post-mortem be conducted based on the SAPS investigation and findings. The current information system does not make provision for the capturing of post-mortems conducted.

### Appointment of air quality officials in terms of Act 39 of 2004

1325. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Environmental Affairs and Tourism:

(1) Whether, in light of the Environmental Management Air Quality Act, Act 39 of 2004, which came into effect on 11 September 2005, his department (a) has appointed or intends appointing air quality officials in terms of the Act, (b) has trained or intends training air quality officials in their prescribed duties and functions and (c) has conducted or intends having strategy and planning sessions for the practical implementation of the Act; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether his department has any budgetary provision for the implementation of the Act in respect of the appointment and functions of air quality officials; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether his department has clarified or intends clarifying the various functions, responsibilities and duties imposed by the Act on the three tiers

**Amount spent by officials on travel expenses**

1429. Mr J SELFE (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

What amount was spent by officials of his department on (a) hotel accommodation, (b) restaurant expenses and (c) travel costs (i) in the 2004-05 and (ii) in the 2005-06 financial years and (iii) during the period 1 April 2006 up to the latest specified date for which information is available? N1884E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

The information that is provided below is a summary of the expenditure incurred by different officials on all the levels of the department of which the following are examples: Accommodation and food for Parliament presentations; travel to regions by Head Office staff; travel to Head Office for Regional Managers and other personnel; international travel; travel to organise and attend national and regional events such as choir competitions, sport events, internal audits, inspections, policy and procedure development, rollout of IT equipment and systems, disciplinary hearings, budget related matters, supply chain operations, contract management, internal and external training, correctional administration, risk profile management, correctional programmes, supervision, community liaison, facility planning and development, building and maintenance, security management, spiritual care, health services, social work services, skills development, formal education, production workshops and agriculture, persal management as well as travel for management and consultative meetings; oversight visits by Commissioner to 241 Correctional Centres; travel by Minister and Deputy Minister and staff between Cape Town and Pretoria and other destinations, travel to NCCS and Parole Review Board meetings.

Amounts spent by officials of this department according to information available from the Basic Accounting System are as follows:—

(a) Hotel accommodation: *(Please note: the Basic Accounting System does not have separate items for different types of accommodation but includes all types of accommodation such as hotels, bed & breakfast, lodges and so forth under a single item.)*

R15 940 427,42

R28 954 142,72

R18 573 477,76

(b) Restaurant expenses: *(Please note: the Basic Accounting System does not have an item specifically for Restaurants but includes all re-imbursements for refreshments whilst out of office for extended periods under the item food & beverages)*

R9 798 196,44

R19 439 882,04

R10 704 345,34

(c) Travel costs: *(includes GG transport; travel by road, air, railway; car rentals and re-imbursement for use of own vehicle)*

R87 149 013,61

R120 215 608,37

R55 415 128,32

With regard to (iii) in all of the above, expenditure was included up to September 2006.

**SAPS officials allowed to take service firearms home after work although there are no safes installed at their places of residence**

1507. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether his department has been

policy has resulted in an inflow of talent and skills from across our population into the public service.

The hon member presents me with no evidence of failure to deliver services to the poor. This precludes me from addressing his concerns directly, as I have no facts before me on which to base any analysis. I am sure however that the hon member appreciates that since the advent of democracy, the state has been required and duty bound to deliver services to the majority of the population who were previously denied access. The Constitution requires a public service that is not only broadly representative of the South African people as a whole, but one that plays a developmental role. This requires an increasingly complex set of skills within the Public Service and has seen some of our nations finest talent joining the Public Service. Some have contributed to the Public Service for a limited time, in order to return to former careers in the private sector or academia, some for longer periods. Other loyal and talented citizens who served in the Public Service have left to use their skills elsewhere in the development of our country, whether in the private sector, academia or elsewhere.

It must also be appreciated that government's Human Resource Planning framework is decentralised to line departments who determine their HR needs annually by:

Aligning the department's human resource needs with employment equity numerical targets;

Setting out the department's Employment Equity Plan and Report (Form EEA2); identifying demand and supply and skills requirements ensuring better service delivery requirements are met; and

Developing a human resources plan after assessing the skills available and the skills needed in line with the functioning policies.

The Employment Equity Act of 1998 (the Act) stipulates that the workplace (or geographic location of departments) be used to determine over and/or under-representation relative to the socioeconomic demographics of the province, that is, race and gender distribution of the economically active population of the province, geographical location of the workplace, in addition to an assessment of supply, demand, and skills gaps of the department.

However, recognising that there are caveats — for example, that sectors that are challenged in the instance of scarce skills, in defining over and/or under-representation, and in meeting numerical equity targets — departments are advised to apply sound judgement to generate alternatives to solve human resource capacity problems. There are also legal precedents to be used to extract social mores, such as the precedent on competency for scarce skills, which should be agreed upon in the Employment Equity Plan of the department and of the affirmative action hierarchy.

This provision must not be viewed in isolation but through the prism of constitutional values and objectives.

The Employment Equity Act and the Promotion of Equality & Prevention of Unfair Discrimination Act, Act 4 of 2000 both give effect to the value of equality, which lies at the heart of the Constitution. The stated objectives of the Equality Act are *inter alia* to give effect to the values of non-racism and non-sexism. The Act also gives recognition to affirmative action measures and states that it is "not unfair to take measures designed to protect or advance persons or categories of persons disadvantaged by unfair discrimination. . ."

Earlier in 2006 decision-making in respect of the re-employment of former employees was devolved to departments according to need. The re-employment of ex-officials, who previously opted for early retirement/ voluntary severance, is to be considered on a case-by-case basis and should typically be made where scarce skills are needed.

(a) The South African Police Service is prepared to consider any proposal by any person or organization with regard to the prevention of crime.

(b) As (a).

**FCS members allocated to cluster police stations**

1519. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:[*325]

(1) What are the reasons that the Family Violence, Child Abuse and Sexual Offences (FCS) officers allocated to the cluster police stations of Tembisa, Daveyton, Brakpan, Springs, Boksburg, Atteridgeville, Johannesburg, Hillbrow and Sophia Town have (a) no or (b) not enough (i) offices to accommodate the FCS officers and (ii) land lines to conduct investigations;

(2) what are the reasons that the 16 FCS vehicles at the Katlehong police station have been taken away and given to the detective branch? N2003E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a-b)(i-ii)The migration of FCS officers to accounting police stations took into account, among others, the availability of suitable office accommodation. Although accommodation is available (at the mentioned police stations) there is not sufficient space to accommodate all the FCS officers. It is, however, important to mention that steps have already been taken to acquire additional accommodation.
Most of the members do have official cellular telephones and all have access to landlines.

(2) The SAPS has a national standard pertaining to the allocation of all resources (which include vehicles). It is imperative that all available resources are optimally distributed and utilised at police station level to enable the SAPS to render a service of an acceptable standard to the community. Taking the latter into consideration, it was found that eight vehicles would be sufficient to address the needs of the FCS capacity at the station and, the remainder were distributed to the detective branch.

**Migration of FSC officers to police stations**

1520. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:[*326]

What are the reasons that, as from 9 October 2006, 23 police stations in Gauteng have no Family Violence, Child Abuse and Sexual Offences (FCS) officers allocated to them as promised under the "migration" of FCS officers to police stations? N2004E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

The average occurrence of social crimes over a four year period (2002 to 2005) per accounting police station, including its feeder stations, was used to determine the migration of FCS officers. FCS officers therefore were, placed at identified accounting police stations where the highest average of social crimes was reported. FCS units will, render an investigative service with regard to FCS-related crime to a cluster of not more than six police stations.

In Gauteng, there are currently 125 police stations (which include 37 accounting police stations). An FCS unit will be based at each accounting station to render a service to police stations within a cluster.

The rationale of migrating FCS officers to accounting police stations took into account their specialised skills, the distances they would have to travel to the relevant accounting police station, as well as the availability of suitable office accommodation.

Taking into account the need at accounting police stations and the current FCS officers available, it was found that there were not

informed about any instances where SA Police Service officials have been allowed to take their service firearms home after work although there are no safes installed at their places of residence; if so, (a) how many instances and (b) what are the relevant details in each case;

(2) whether any disciplinary measures have been taken against such officials; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether the SAPS has taken any steps since 1 January 2005 to ensure that SAPS officials have safes installed at their places of residence; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N1970E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) and (b) No, the department has not been informed of any instance where a SAPS official has been allowed to take a service firearm home after work where there is no safe installed at his/her residence.

(2) Not applicable.

(3) The installation of safes to all members who have a firearm and ammunition on their personal inventory, is an ongoing process to satisfy the needs of all concerned members.

In terms of the Interim Standing Order (Stores) 48, a firearm and ammunition may not be issued to a member if that member does not have a safe for safekeeping of the official firearm and ammunition.

**Crime situation at certain TB hospital resulting in nurses striking**

1514. Mrs C DUDLEY (ACDP) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:[*302]

(1) Whether he has been informed (a) of the crime situation at the Bongani TB Hospital which has resulted in nurses and general workers striking and (b) that the local station commissioner has expressed doubt regarding the ability of the police in the area to adequately address the situation; if so,

(2) whether this situation will be investigated with a view to finding a solution; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N1979E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) No

(b) No

(2) Yes. The police in the area do have the ability and capacity adequately to address crime-related situations.

Two cases (one armed robbery and one common robbery) that occurred in the vicinity of the hospital were reported during the past six months.

Patrol vehicles of the South African Police Service, operating under the command and control of the sector commander and his sector team have been tasked to patrol the area regularly. Meetings with the hospital management are held monthly.

**DA proposals to preview cash heists**

1518. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:[*319]

Whether he will accept proposals made by the Democratic Alliance (DA) with regard to how the Government can prevent more (a) cash-in-transit heists and (b) shoot-outs in public places such as shopping malls as the festive season approaches; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1997E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

Yes.

(2) "Other (unallocated)" claims are claims that could not be classified immediately as a result of initial insufficient information being supplied by claimants. When additional information is gathered from claimants, these claims are re-classified.

(3) Payments cannot merely be made upon receipt of letters of demand. Such claims only reflects claim amounts and a due process need to be followed prior any settlement or court judgement. However, steps are being taken to expedite the legal processes and awareness initiatives have been introduced to curb civil claims, although the inherent nature of the policing environment plays a significant role. Police officials are exposed to various risks on a daily basis that may result in civil claims being instituted against the Department.

**Housing projects stalling**

1596. Mr L J MODISENYANE (ANC) asked the Minister of Housing:

(1) Whether any housing projects have stalled; if so, (a) which projects in each province and (b) what are the reasons for the lack of progress in each case;

(2) whether any steps are in place to address the lack of progress in respect of each such project; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2136E

The MINISTER OF HOUSING:

The matter of stalled or blocked projects was initially addressed in November 2005 when specific guidelines were issued to enable Provincial Housing Departments to unblock these projects. The programme was managed by Provincial Housing Departments and some projects were unblocked successfully. However, as a result of mostly lack of capacity and sufficient funding, it was not possible to implement the programme successfully for all affected projects.

In view of the above circumstances, the National Department recently drafted a new strategy in to address stalled or blocked housing projects. Based on the definition contained in the strategy, which comprises four categories of "blocking", a first round of auditing was conducted with the collaboration of Provincial Housing Departments. During the audit it was clear that there seems to be a lot of confusion amongst Provincial Housing Departments on what precisely constitutes "a blocked project" and a second round of auditing will have to be conducted to ensure that the information of all Provinces are on the same level. As soon as the proposed strategy has been approved, it will be possible to compile a final list of the projects affected and determine the financial implications thereof.

**Progress *re* case in Thabazimbi where farmer shot a boy**

1599. Ms R J MASHIGO (ANC) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) With regard to the incident in the Thabazimbi municipality where a farmer shot a boy, alleging that he mistook him for a dog, what progress has been made in this matter;

(2) whether the community of Thabazimbi is recovering from the shock of this incident in the era of deracialisation and building South Africa as one nation; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N2139E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) The case is still pending. The case docket has been forwarded to the office of the Director of Public Prosecutions for decision.

(2) Reconciliation activities within the community were organised by the local community in consultation with all role

enough FCS officers to place at all the clusters of stations in the province where crimes against women and children are prevalent.

**Delays in investigating rape case in Rawsonville**

1529. Mrs C DUDLEY (ACDP) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether he has been informed of delays in investigating a case of alleged assault and rape by four farmers of Rawsonville approximately five months ago; if so,

(2) whether anyone has been charged in connection with the alleged incident; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2022E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) There were no delays in the investigation.

(2) Further details of the matter cannot be divulged as the cases are still being investigated. Once the investigations are finalised a decision on the matter will be obtained from the prosecuting authority.

**Large amounts left unspent on books from previous year**

1589. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) With reference to Annexure 6 of the SA Police Service's annual report (copy attached), (a) why did his department have such a large amount (R4,3 billion) left on the books from the previous year and (b) why, in respect of the R1,5 billion it incurred in liabilities in the 2005-06 financial year, only R38,5 million was paid and only R518 million was cancelled or reduced, leaving R5,3 billion as the closing balance in March 2006;

(2) what specific liabilities fall under the "Other (Unallocated)" category;

(3) whether his department is taking any steps to improve its payment of and/or reduce these liabilities in the 2006-07 financial year; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N2090E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) The amount of R4,3 billion represents accumulated civil claims against the Department of Safety and Security. This amount is regarded as a contingent liability as it is a possible obligation that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of uncertain future events not wholly in control of the South African Police Service. The uncertain events refer to the settlement of the claim by the Department or a decision by a court that the Department is liable. Various factors influence the settlement of a claim or eventually the legal processes in litigation (ie prescribed legal procedures and availability of court dates).

(b) The R38,5 million paid represents payments made in relation to the claims of R4,3 billion of previous years and the claims for the current financial year of R1,5 billion. The R38,5 million was therefore for either settlements by the department or judgments by a court in favour of plaintiffs. The R518 million represents the difference between the amount claimed and amount actually paid as well as claims that were abandoned or defended successfully. The amount of R38,5 million paid is in fact favourable in comparison with the amounts claimed. It is also clear that claim amounts don't necessarily represent amounts that claimants are legally entitled to.

of the Constitution, appointed by the National Commissioner with the concurrence of the provincial executive after a comprehensive selection and appointment process, which includes the obtainment of Cabinet approval for the appointments.

## Ondersoek na die rol van arbeidsverhoudinge-beamptes in die Staatsdiens

1608. Mnr K J MINNIE (DA) vra die Minister vir die Staatsdiens en Administrasie:

Met verwysing na die ondersoek van die Staatsdienskommissie na die rol van arbeidsverhoudinge-beamptes in die Staatsdiens, (a) hoe sy (i) gaan verseker dat die betrokke beamptes volgens die aanbevelings van die kommissie hanteer word en (ii) dié proses gaan bestuur en (b) wanneer sy beoog om die proses af te handel? N2165A

*(Translation follows):*

## [Investigation into role of labour relation as officials in the Public Service

1608. Mr K J MINNIE (DA) asked the Minister for the Public Service and Administration:

With reference to the investigation by the Public Service Commission into the role of labour relations officials in the Public Service, (a) how will she (i) ensure that the officials concerned are dealt with according to the recommendations of the commission and (ii) manage this process and (b) when does she envisage to finalise the process? N2165E]

The MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION:

The report of the PSC introduces best practices and does not propose national policy changes. The PSC has disseminated the report to all departments. Presentations have also been made at Labour Relations Forum meetings across the country. It is up to departments to implement the recommendations which the PSC will obviously monitor. However, the Portfolio Committees of Parliament and Provincial Legislatures could also call departments to account on whether they have implemented the recommendations.

## Ondeurdagte regstellende aksie-aanstellings: oorsaak van die kapasiteitsprobleme by die nasionale staatsdepartemente

1609. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) vra die Minister vir die Staatsdiens en Administrasie:

(1) Of ondeurdagte en onoordeelkundige regstellende aksie-aanstellings, ten koste van produktiwiteit, die oorsaak is van die kapasiteitsprobleme wat by die nasionale staatsdepartemente voorkom; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is; so ja,

(2) of dit die rede is waarom bestuurs- en beplanningsprobleme ondervind word en die uitvoering van beleidsbesluite skipbreuk lei, wat tot gevolg het dat departemente miljoene rande jaarliks oorrol of terugstort en 'n persentasie van die begroting selfs onproduktief bestee word bloot om van begrote fondse ontslae te raak; so nie, wat die posisie in dié verband is? N2166A

*(Translation follows):*

## [Ill-considered affirmative action appointments the cause of capacity problems that occur within national state departments

1609. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister for the Public Service and Administration:

(1) Whether ill-considered and injudicious affirmative action appointments, at the expense of productivity,

players to ensure that the community leaders recovered from the shock.

**CDA aware of chronic shortages of personnel at the narcotics branches at our ports of entry**

1602. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

Whether the Central Drug Authority (CDA) is aware of the chronic shortages of personnel at the narcotics branches at our ports of entry; if so, (a) what is the current personnel strength at each port of entry and (b)(i) what action has been taken to increase the number of narcotics personnel at each port of entry and (ii) by what date will this be done? N2145E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

The Central Drug Authority functions under the jurisdiction of the Minister of Social Development. The SAPS provides inputs to the Central Drug Authority with regards to its functions in support of the National Drug Master Plan. These reports have not included details pertaining to human resource capacity at ports of entry. It needs to be mentioned that the SAPS will increase capacity at all Ports of Entry over the next four-five years. Capacity at the Oliver Tambo International Airport has increased fourfold and a similar strategy is being followed at other ports of entry such as Beitbridge and Durban harbour. The strategy will be rolled out to 55 land ports, ten sea ports and ten airports.

**Government policy *re* promotion of Indian men/women in SAPS**

1603. Mr R B BHOOLA (MF) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether an e-mail sent by an official in the national Police Commissioner's office to the KwaZulu-Natal police commissioner's office advising that no Indian male or female should be promoted this year, reflects the Government's policy; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) why are (a) the first two provincial commissioners of colour in Gauteng Indians from Chatsworth in KwaZulu-Natal and (b) they not considered in their own province? N2155E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) No, no e-mail was sent by any official in the National Police Commissioner's office to KwaZulu-Natal Police Commissioner's office advising that no Indian male or female should be promoted this year.

The e-mail that was sent to the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Commissioner's office was merely representivity guidelines (not quotas) that are in line with the approved SAPS Employment Equity Plan. It must be noted that representivity is only one of a number of criteria for selection stipulated in the SAPS promotion policy which *inter alia* include competency, experience, prior learning, training and development, performance, suitability etc. It cannot be therefore construed that only one of the criteria ie representivity, will supersede all other valid criteria in the SAPS promotion policy which governs all promotion drives. In the relevant promotion process, the Provincial Commissioner, KwaZulu-Natal, has recommended 12,3% Indian members for promotion to captain and higher ranks, which promotions are currently being considered by the National Commissioner.

Government policy is to have a broadly representative Public Service as provided for in the Constitution. This policy is also set out in the Employment Equity Act, Act 55 of 1998, and applies to the South African Police Service and equally to any other Government Department.

(2) Provincial Commissioners are, in terms

The Strategic Framework for Gender and Governance in the Public Service aims to mainstream, integrate and achieve gender parity for women at the SMS levels; and

Government initiatives for service delivery improvement such as the Khaedu project and the Service Delivery Week project.

**Reasons for Police Commissioner Selebi not being available to present the 2005-06 Annual Report and financial statements of the SAPS**

1631. Ms D KOHLER-BARNARD (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) (a) What are the reasons for National Police Commissioner Jackie Selebi not being available to present the 2005-06 Annual Report and financial statements of the SA Police Services (SAPS) to the Portfolio Committee on Safety and Security and (b) on whose authority was he given permission not to be present at the Portfolio Committee meeting;

(2) with regard to each year since his appointment as National Police Commissioner (a) how many times has he been available to present this report to the said Portfolio Committee and (b) what were the reasons in each instance when he was unavailable to do so? N2188E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) The National Commissioner had arranged a Management Forum meeting prior to the SAPS receiving notice of the Portfolio Committee meeting. The venue for the Management Forum had already been booked and travel arrangements for all Provincial Commissioners had been made. The National Commissioner is constitutionally bound to meet with his management team on issues relating to the prevention and combating of crime. The responsibility to present the 2005-06 Annual Report and financial statements to the Portfolio Committee on Safety and Security was delegated to Deputy National Commissioner (Dr) Mala Singh. Commissioner Singh attended, accompanied by a core team of specialist SAPS managers.

(b) Deputy National Commissioner Singh conveyed the National Commissioner's apology to the Chairperson, who accepted the apology.

(2) (a) and (b) Since the appointment of Commissioner Selebi as National Commissioner of the SAPS in 2000, he has briefed the Portfolio Committee on Safety and Security in the National Assembly, as well as the Select Committee on Justice and Constitutional Affairs in the NCOP, on numerous occasions in respect of his departmental specific issues. Given the nature of his portfolio and the exceptional demands placed on the National Commissioner to address crime in South Africa, it has been the understanding with both current and previous chairpersons of the parliamentary committees tasked with the oversight of the SAPS that the National Commissioner would attend such meetings with due regard for the extreme demands of his portfolio. This principle has been both accepted and understood by the chairpersons. The National Commissioner has, when specifically requested and when having himself identified the need to brief the committees, appeared before such committees. All parties have expressed understanding for this position in the past.

**Employment equity: detrimental effect on service delivery by the Public Service**

1647. Mr K J MINNIE (DA) asked the

are the cause of the capacity problems that occur within the national state departments; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so,

(2) whether this is the reason why management and planning problems are being experienced and the execution of policy decisions is failing, which results in departments annually rolling over or surrendering millions of rands and a percentage of the budget even being appropriated unproductively just to get rid of budgeted funds; if not, what is the position in this regard? N2166E]

The MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION:

The hon member no doubt recalls that when he was sworn in as a Member of this House, he undertook to uphold the values and strictures of the Constitution. Not only does the Constitution entrench fundamental rights of equity, it also requires specifically that the Public Service is broadly in clause 195(1)(i) the Constitution states that "Public administration must be broadly representative of the South African people, with employment and personnel management practices based on ability, objectivity, fairness, and the need to redress the imbalances of the past to achieve broad representation."

The challenges that face the Public Service are complex and diverse. That South Africa faces a severe skills shortage as a legacy of our past is well-documented and is being given urgent attention through JIPSA, the Joint Initiative for Priority Skills Acquisition. To ascribe these challenges to government's compliance to the constitutionally required initiatives to redress imbalance would be simplistic and misleading.

Since 1994, a new skill set and mindset was needed for the emerging Public Service to service a diverse population, mostly neglected in the past, according to their needs. Government had to extend the provisioning of Public Services to these previously neglected communities and increase our service delivery points and introduce service standards which were sorely lacking.

With the introduction of the Workplace Skills funding, employees are now able to take personal responsibility for their career growth and advancement which makes them much more mobile than in the past. They are in fact head-hunted by the private sector because of opportunities that have been given to them.

We acknowledge that there will always be challenges within a developmental state in targeting our resources at the persons who need them the most. However, Government has put in place a number of interventions to address these challenges such as:

Through the government HRD Strategy, a particular emphasis is placed on skills development and the creation of a pool of skilled human resources from which to draw on to provide a continuous productive and contributing workforce;

Competency assessments are to become compulsory by 2008 where recruitment will be informed on the outcome of such tests;

Intensive training and development programmes for current Public Servants such as the Foundation, Emerging and Advanced Management Development programme offered by SAMDI to ensure a steady flow of skilled managers;

The identification of and training for middle managers in SMS levels to advance effective service delivery and a retention strategy through succession planning;

Government's emphasis on the capacity development of scarce skills through the JIPSA initiatives;

Government initiatives such as the JobACCESS Strategy on recruitment and retention of persons with disabilities and designated groups who experience barriers of entry into the workplace;

which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2228E

The MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY:

(a) (i) L'Oréal (Cosmetics company).

(ii) Not applicable.

R100 000 (The department did not receive these funds directly from L'Oréal as explained in part (c) below).

L'Oréal sponsors two prizes to the value of R100 000 annually to the two best women PhD students in respect of the Women in Science Awards.

**Details *re* arrest for drunken driving of certain person**

1683. Mr J SELFE (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether, with reference to a media report (details furnished), a certain person (name furnished) was arrested for drunk driving; if so, (a) on what date and (b) what comments were written in the docket by the arresting officer;

(2) whether the said person's name and details of the incident were recorded; if not, why not in each case; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether blood samples were taken; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether the said person was locked up overnight; if not, why not;

(5) whether the said person was brought before a court subsequent to his arrest; if not, why not; if so, what was the outcome of that court appearance? N2257E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) Yes.

(a) On 2 November 2006.

(b) The arresting officer at the time of arresting the suspect, observed that the said driver was under the influence of alcohol and arrested him.

(2) Yes. They were recorded as is required by the law regarding such crimes.

(3) Yes. The blood sample has been forwarded to the Dept of Health, which is responsible for the determination of the alcohol level thereof.

(4) Yes. He was locked up.

(5) No. The said person was detained and later released in terms of section 72(3) of the Criminal Procedure Act. He will appear in Hillbrow Magistrate Court, on 11 January 2007.

**Current or former Free State MECs investigated/charged by the SAPS**

1718. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) Whether any current or former MECs in the Free State have been (a) investigated or (b) charged by the SA Police Service; if so, (i) who and (ii) what are the charges investigated relating to each individual respectively;

(2) whether they have appeared in court; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2298E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) The former MEC for Public Safety, Security and Liaison, Mr Itumeleng Benny Kotsoane and the current MEC, Mr France Kgonsinyane Morule were respectively involved in separate motor

Minister for the Public Service and Administration:

Whether the employment equity plan as currently structured and implemented in the Public Service, which requires the introduction of racial quotas, has had a detrimental effect on service delivery by the Public Service, also negatively affecting the implementation of the principles of Batho Pele; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N2206E

The MINISTER FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION:

The hon member will surely recall that on taking up his seat in the National Assembly he undertook to uphold our Constitution which requires that "Public administration must be broadly representative of the South African people, with employment and personnel management practices based on ability, objectivity, fairness and the need to redress the imbalances of the past to achieve broad representation." Accordingly the hon member will appreciate the initiatives of this government to make these prescripts a reality.

Part lll. D.1 of Chapter 1 of the Public Service Regulations vests responsibility with human resource and employment equity planning in executing authorities. This includes the setting of "realistic goals and measurable targets" for achieving representivity. The results of this planning must be made known within the department and progress in implementing the department's affirmative action programme must be reported in annual reports to be tabled in the relevant legislature.

The specific targets that are set and applied in respective departments, in seeking to achieve the overall targets set by Government, remain the responsibility of executing authorities and their heads of department who have to take into account all the factors mentioned in the Employment Equity Act, its code of good practices and its regulations in the context of the region's demographics and skills shortages. The line departments consult with all employee representative structures in their respective departments and agree on the targets according to their contextual factors and demographics.

In guiding departments on the framework for employment policy development my ministry gives guidance on developing strategic affirmative action recruitment plans and making informed and service-focused human resource decisions. Labour force availability ratios are used in determining "broad representation".

While racial, disablity and gender targets and labour market availability are important milestones toward achieving a "broadly representative" Public Service, they are not the only benchmark.

Currently public service delivery requires that there is a diversity of language and skills as services are extended to previously unserviced areas. So for example, it would not be practical to place an Afrikaans or English speaking person in an office in Giyani, Limpopo province where the population predominantly speaks Tsonga.

Our society is in transition. The policy environment is increasingly complex and is dynamic and strategies change according to service delivery needs. The implementation of Batho Pele requires a cultural shift from a rules based approach (such as the one under Apartheid) to a service delivery orientation which requires innovation and empowerment of public servants. Appropriate tools, systems, skills and knowledge are critical elements for the empowerment of public servants, to enable them to be effective and efficient at the coalface of service delivery.

**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1668. Mr J P I BLANCHÉ (DA) asked the Minister of Science and Technology:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, his department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a)

the form of revenue recycling, is also raised.

**Department had sufficient capacity to investigate companies that employed illegal immigrants**

1736. Mr V C GORE (ID) asked the Minister of Labour:

Whether his department had sufficient capacity to investigate companies that employed illegal immigrants in (a) 2003, (b) 2004 and (c) 2005; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, (i) how many personnel are allocated to each province, (ii) how many companies have been investigated in each of the above-mentioned years and (iii) what were the results of each investigation? N2317E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

The labour legislation of the Department of Labour does not deal with the employment of illegal immigrants and therefore any complaint raised will be referred to Department of Home Affairs for investigation. The Department of Home Affairs employs their own inspectors to enforce immigration laws.

**Parole conditions of a certain person**

1757. Mr J SELFE (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

(1) What are the parole conditions of a certain person (name furnished);

(2) whether, the said person violated any

vehicle accidents which resulted in the death of a person.

In respect of the matter in which Mr Kotsoane was involved, an inquest was held and as a result of the outcome of the inquest, no prosecution against Mr Kotsoane was instituted.

In respect of the matter in which Mr Morule was involved, the matter is still under investigation, and once finalised, will be submitted to the prosecutor for a decision.

(2) Falls away.

**Tax incentives to persons investing in research into renewable energy**

1733. Dr R RABINOWITZ (IFP) asked the Minister of Finance:

Whether he will consider granting tax incentives to persons who (a) invest in research into renewable energy and (b) invest in companies that (i) sell renewable energy or (ii) purchase renewable energy to install in their businesses or houses; if not, how he will contribute towards promoting the use of renewable energy; if so, (aa) when and (bb) what form of incentive? N2314E

The MINISTER OF FINANCE:

The member is reminded that I generally only make new tax announcements during the Budget speech, and so cannot indicate what I am considering for possible future announcements. Further, as you are aware, energy policy, including the promotion of renewable energy, is the direct responsibility of the Department of Minerals and Energy.

Furthermore, the Member should note that the National Treasury released a draft policy paper on Environmental Fiscal Reform in April 2006 (available on the treasury website www.treasury.gov.za), which she may find useful to note the research undertaken on renewable energy and other environmental issues.

(a) Investments in research of a scientific or technological nature for the purpose of new discoveries or inventions, including research into renewable energy qualifies for the Research and Development (R&D) tax incentives announced in this year's budget. What this means is that the deduction for current R&D expenditure will increase from 100% to 150% and that the depreciation allowance for all qualifying R&D-related capital expenditure will be increased from the current four-year write-off period to a three-year write-off period.

(b) (i) and (ii) Incentives to encourage the use of renewable energy, specifically in the transport fuel and electricity generation sectors, already exist in line with announcements made in the 2004 and 2005 Budgets, — are already at the implementation stage.

A 30% concession of the general fuel levy for bio-diesel was announced in the 2002 Budget, this was increased to 40% in the 2006 Budget, and implemented since the beginning of this year. Bio-diesel is therefore subject to only 60% of the general fuel levy on mineral diesel. The possible extension of the bio-diesel fuel tax regime to bio-ethanol is currently being investigated.

In addition, an accelerated depreciation regime was introduced in 2004 whereby investments in bio-fuels production can be written-off over three years at a rate of 50:30:20 for income tax purposes, instead of the normal four year period. In 2005 a similar tax dispensation was extended to investments in electricity generated from wind, sunlight, gravitational water sources (or hydro) and bio-mass.

The National Treasury draft policy paper discusses the use of market-based instruments to address environmental externalities, and the appropriateness of incentives in this context, possibly in

"That, pending the investigation of these allegations, Mr Yengeni will forfeit all privileges related to visitations by his spouse, children and close associates for a period of two weeks, whilst the investigations continue;

that, he will also forfeit the privilege of using the telephone to communicate with family, friends and colleagues, for the same duration as stated/alluded to above."

The outcome of the investigation will determine the way forward in the matter.

**Certain posts filled in National Treasury**

1763. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Finance:

(1) Whether the posts for (a) highly skilled production levels 6-8, (b) highly skilled supervision levels 9-12 and (c) senior managers levels 13-16 in the National Treasury are filled with qualified persons; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) (a) what is the current vacancy rate of the said staff, (b) what was the vacancy rate for (i) 2005 and (ii) 2006, (c) what steps are being taken to fill these posts and (d) what is the diversity composition of the officials? N2334E

The MINISTER OF FINANCE:

(1) All positions within the National Treasury are filled by employees who comply with the essential requirements for the positions. Positions are filled as follows:

(a) Requirements vary from a minimum of a senior certificate to a tertiary qualification.

(b) Requirements vary from a minimum of a tertiary qualification to a post graduate qualification. In many instances employees possess more than one postgraduate qualification.

(c) Requirements vary from a minimum of a tertiary qualification to a postgraduate qualification. In many instances employees possess more than one postgraduate qualification.

(2) (a) As on 31 October 2006, the current vacancy rate for the different levels are:

Levels 6-8: 19%

Levels 9-12: 22%

Levels 13-16: 6%

(i) As on 31 March 2005, the vacancy rate for the different levels were:

Levels 6-8: 19%

Levels 9-12: 34%

Levels 13-16: 17%

(ii) As on 31 March 2006, the vacancy rate for the different levels were:

Levels 6-8: 21%

Levels 9-12: 28%

Levels 13-16: 13%

There has therefore been dramatic improvement in filling of vacancies from 31 March 2005 to 31 October 2006

(c) Critical vacancies to be filled during each financial year are identified and filled accordingly. The National Treasury has initiated an accelerated and targeted recruitment process to fill vacancies. This includes using tertiary institutions, professional firms and expanded media advertisements. A dedicated recruitment, selection

of these conditions on the weekend of 11-12 November 2006 as alleged in recent media reports (details furnished); if so, which conditions did he violate;

(3) whether any action will be taken against the said person; if not, why not; if so, what action? N2327E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

The conditions of the approved concession of Mr Yengeni to temporarily leave the correctional centre are standard conditions and consist of the date and time of departure and the date and time of return as approved by the delegated official as well as the following:

The offender to be under the direct supervision of the applicant/authorised person.

Abstinence from alcohol/drugs.

You may not render yourself guilty of one or other stipulation of the Correctional Services Act, Act 111 of 1998, and/or of the Correctional Services Regulations promulgated thereunder.

You may not grant any interviews to the media or pose for photographs.

Should you become medically indisposed you are to inform the Head of the Correctional Centre at the telephone number (as indicated) as soon as possible for appropriate arrangements to be made.

The concession will incur no resultant expenses to the state. You personally accept responsibility/liability for any events which might result in expenses for/claims against the state.

Should you neglect to report to the Area Commissioner/Head of the Correctional Centre on the appointed date and time as mentioned in paragraph 1, in order to serve the remainder of your sentence, it will be regarded that, from the date and time, you are illegally out of custody and a warrant for your arrest will be issued.

The breach of any of the abovementioned conditions will, besides any other steps, have a negative influence on your date of placement on parole or correctional supervision or further concessions to temporarily leave the correctional centre, to your own detriment.

You may at any time receive a visit from an authorised volunteer/official of the Department of Correctional Services.

Should extraordinary circumstances prevent you from returning to the correctional centre from whence you came, at the appointed date and time you must report to the nearest correctional centre for admission and also make a statement that you are the offender mentioned in the concession.

You may in no way be guilty of any misconduct.

You may not enter into any contractual indebtedness or incur any debt.

You may not contact or visit the relations of any other offenders, unless previous arrangements have been made with the Head of the Correctional Centre.

Any other condition(s) that the Regional, Area Commissioner or the Head of the Correctional Centre may determine.

According to the information received from the Area Commissioner of Malmesbury, the only condition(s) to have been violated by Mr Yengeni was his late arrival on Sunday 12 November 2006, as well as the widespread media reports of Mr Yengeni allegedly using alcohol during the said period while he was on temporary leave.

Although the matter is still under investigation the following interim measures as announced by the Minister of Correctional Services in the National Assembly on 16 November 2006 pending the outcome of the investigation were implemented:

| *Level* | *Average number of years of service* | *Average age* |
|---|---|---|
| Higher Operations | 10 | 35 |
| Supervisory/ Specialist | 10 | 37 |
| Senior Management | 12 | 42 |

Notes:

On the Higher Operations level 99,08% of employees have a Senior Certificate or a higher qualification.

On the Supervisory/Specialist level 99,85% of employees have a Senior Certificate or a higher qualification.

On Senior Management level 100% of employees have a Senior Certificate or a higher qualification.

It is clear from the above information that the employees on the above levels are suitably qualified and experienced.

Comments:

A Human Capital Plan is in the process of being designed and implemented.

The above plan would indicate the critical capabilities needed for SARS. These capabilities would not necessarily translate into formal technical qualifications.

There is a constant need to train and upgrade technical skills.

There is also strong competition for skills (e g auditing skills) within a limited market.

(2) Information regarding the vacancy rate (Q 2a and 2b) as well as the diversity composition of the officials (Q 2d) are reflected in the tables below.

| *Level* | *No of Employees* | | *% Positions Vacant* | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2005-06 | 2006-07 (Oct 06) | 2005-06 | 2006-07 (Oct 06) |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Higher Operations | 7 267 | 7 519 | 14,31% | 1,96% |
| Supervisory | 1 368 | 1 379 | 2,91% | 0,39% |
| Senior Management | 638 | 630 | 1,06% | 0,37% |
| Grand Total | 9 273 | 9 528 | | |

| *Level* | *Employment Equity* | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *Black* | | | | *White* | | | | *Female* | | | |
| | 2005-06 | | 2006-07 (Oct 06) | | 2005-06 | | 2006-07 (Oct 06) | | 2005-06 | | 2006-07 (Oct 06) | |
| | No | % | No | % | No | % | No | % | No | % | No | % |
| Higher Operations | 4237 | 58% | 4520 | 60% | 3030 | 42% | 2999 | 40% | 4805 | 66% | 4969 | 66% |
| Supervisory | 746 | 55% | 759 | 55% | 622 | 45% | 620 | 45% | 591 | 43% | 607 | 44% |
| Senior Management | 323 | 51% | 318 | 50% | 315 | 49% | 312 | 50% | 206 | 32% | 214 | 34% |
| Grand Total | 5306 | | 5597 | | 3967 | | 3931 | | 5602 | | 5790 | |

Note:

It is clear from the information above that the percentage of vacancies especially on the Higher Operations level has significantly decreased from last year to now.

The steps (process) to fill posts (Q 2c) are in line with SARS Governance procedure and processes to fill existing vacancies and/or create new positions. Preference is given to the filling/creation of mission critical positions and positions with the biggest

and placement resources team has been established with the task of addressing this need.

(d) As on 31 October 2006, the diversity composition for the various levels is as follows:

| *Posts* | *Gender* | | *Race* | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | *Male* | *Female* | *African* | *Asian* | *Coloured* | *White* |
| Level 6-8 | 29% | 71% | 63% | 6% | 7% | 24% |
| Level 9-12 | 46% | 54% | 50% | 10% | 5% | 35% |
| Level 13-16 | 66% | 34% | 37% | 11% | 12% | 40% |

**Certain posts filled in National Treasury**

1764. Mr L B LABUSCHAGNE (DA) asked the Minister of Finance:

(1) Whether the posts for (a) highly skilled production levels 6-8, (b) highly skilled supervision levels 9-12 and (c) senior managers levels 13-16 in the SA Revenue Service are filled with qualified persons; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) (a) what is the current vacancy rate of the said staff, (b) what was the vacancy rate for (i) 2005 and (ii) 2006, (c) what steps are being taken to fill these posts and (d) what is the diversity composition of the officials? N2335E

The MINISTER OF FINANCE:

SARS is separate from the Public Service and operates in terms of the SARS Act, Act 34 of 1997.

The composition of levels in SARS differs from the levels referred to above as SARS uses the Haygroup System. It is however possible to draw a comparison between the SARS levels and the levels enquired about in terms of responsibilities, output and complexity. The table below reflects the levels in SARS and all the information requested are provided in terms of the SARS hierarchy of levels.

| *SARS Grade/Level* | *Government level equivalents* |
|---|---|
| 04A, 04B, 05A, 05B (Higher Operations) | 6-8 (Highly skilled production) |
| 06 (Supervisory/ Specialist) | 9-12 (Highly skilled supervision) |
| 07, 08, 09, 10 (Senior Management) | 13-16 (Senior Management) |

The table below reflects the information requested regarding the level of "qualified persons". The information reflects the Qualifications, average length of service as well as the average age of our SARS Employees on the Higher Operational, Supervisory and Senior Management levels.

| *Level* | *Doctorate* | *Masters Degree* | *Chartered Accountant* | *Honours Degree* | *Degree* | *Higher Dipl/ BTECH* | *Dipl* | *Senior Cert* | *Less than Snr Cert* | *Grand Total* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Higher Operations | 0 | 15 | 7 | 21 | 758 | 39 | 995 | 5615 | 69 | 7519 |
| Supervisory/ Specialist | 0 | 31 | 22 | 17 | 345 | 22 | 221 | 719 | 2 | 1379 |
| Senior Management | 2 | 67 | 6 | 9 | 185 | 5 | 82 | 274 | 0 | 630 |
| Grand Total | 2 | 113 | 35 | 47 | 1288 | 66 | 1298 | 6608 | 71 | 9528 |

(3) With regard to infrastructural requirements, all host cities have been requested to submit priority statements over the past two years, detailing infrastructural requirements. A DoT technical committee has evaluated the proposals and funding recommendations were made in accordance with the proposals received.

For the operational requirements, the department has already advertised a tender for the development of an operational framework and guidelines for host cities, as well as an initial national operational plan. The Framework and Guidelines will be completed and ready for distribution to Host Cities in January 2007, to enable them to start with operational planning for the event.

(4) (a) and (b) The funding allocation from the Public Transport Infrastructure and Systems Fund (PTIF) was made on the basis of submitted priority statements from host cities and transport entities as follows:-

2005-06- R241,7 million.

2006-07 — R700 million [R180 million for the South African Rail Commuter Corporation Limited (SARCC) and R1 million for the Cross-Border Road Transport Agency (CBRTA)].

For 2007-08 going forward, Host Cities and Entities were requested to submit Priority Statements. Recommendations for allocations up to 2010 have been made, and will be made public upon approval.

(5) A few cities have submitted proposals for mass rapid transit systems to the ptif, through priority statements. The department has been encouraging cities to explore innovative solutions for their mobility problems. The outcomes of these submitted funding requests will be made public once the approval process has been finalised.

**2010 Soccer world Cup: international event requiring mass public transport solution**

1776. Mr S B FARROW (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether, in light of the fact that the 2010 World Cup Soccer tournament will be the first international event that South Africa has hosted that will require mass public transport solutions, the technical skills and expertise required to support venue cities to conduct detailed operational planning is in place; if not, what skills shortages have been identified by the venue cities and his department to plan and implement these programmes; if so, (a) how many of these skills will be aquired from (i) internal sources and (ii) external sources, including international mega-event transport experts, and (b) what government departments, agencies, metros and cities are working with his department to ensure optimum co-ordination of available full-time human resources to work on the operational plans;

(2) whether he intends releasing the detailed operational plans for public scrutiny; if not, why not; if so, when? N2349E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(a) The operational planning phase is at its early stages, as a tender has just been advertised for the drafting of operational planning framework and guidelines, as well as an initial operational plan for the Department of Transport (DoT). When this process has been concluded, the DoT and the transport sector as a whole, will be in a better position to identify the skills and expertise required to support Venue Cities to implement operational plans and programmes.

impact on customer service. A strategic Human Capital planning framework which categorises all jobs in SARS into different Human Capital Investment categories ie Growth Investment, Accelerated Investment, Balanced Investment, etc will also guide all recruitment decisions going forward.

The average time to fill a vacancy in SARS is currently 120 days. The objective going forward is to shorten the time-span to 60-90 days.

We are currently in a transitional period, whereby operations are currently manual automation/digital process has been implemented this will impact on staff numbers and job allocations. People will be reassigned.

**Implementation of department's Transport Action Plan for 2010**

1775. Mr S B FARROW (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether, in view of the upcoming Soccer World Cup event and the huge demands that it will place on the transport system, particularly public transport, his department's Transport Action Plan will be implemented timeously to ensure total transport preparedness for the event; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether adequate financial resources are in place for the extensive planning and co-ordination roles; if not, why not; if so, what amounts have been allocated for each of the financial years leading up to 2010;

(3) whether his department has set out the operational and infrastructural requirements of the transport system to ensure the success of the World Cup event; if so,

(4) whether this plan forms the basis for the funding allocation; if so, how much is allocated for each financial year up to 2010 for (a) venue cities and (b) transport subsectors;

(5) whether any venue cities have plans to introduce mass rapid system improvements; if so, what is his department doing to encourage these systems? N2348E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

The document "Transport Action Plan for 2010: Version 1, 2006", which I tabled in Parliament on 15 November 2006, provides detailed updated information as to the key public transport and non-motorised infrastructure investment plans of most of South Africa's major cities.

(1) The implementation of the 2010 Transport Action Plan is well on track. The Department of Transport (DoT) called for the second round of priority statements, with an infrastructure focus from the venue cities. These have been evaluated and the host cities will be informed by January 2007 of the outcomes. This is to enable them to start early next year with all the key Public Transport Infrastructure improvements that will be required for the 2010 Soccer World Cup. The focus will now be on Operational Planning, a process that will need to be finalised by 2008, to allow time for testing the systems and fine tuning.

(2) The Public Transport Infrastructure and Systems Fund (PTIF), established in March 2005, with an initial allocation of R3,5 billion, has been increased to R6 billion to ensure adequate infrastructure and operations for the successful running of the 2010 World Cup. For the 2005-06 financial year, R241,7 million was allocated, and R700 million has been allocated for 2006/07. The coming years, 2007-08 going forward, will be made public when allocations have been finalised and approved.

## QUESTIONS

***For written reply:***

### Parties held by department

1303. Ms A M DREYER (DA) asked the Minister of Science and Technology:

(1) In respect of each year since 2002, up to and including 2006,(a)how many parties were held by his department, (b)what was the nature of the party in each instance, (c)how much did each party cost and (d)from which budget was the money allocated;

(2) Whether any sponsorship was obtained in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details in each case?

N1303E

The MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY:

(1) (a) The Department of Science and Technology (DST) aims to host one year-end function at the end of each calendar year for all staff members. Over and above this, the DST does not hold any further parties. Since the establishment of the DST as a separate department in 2003, three such parties have occurred (ie in 2003, 2004 and 2005 respectively).

(b) The total costs for the year-end function in 2003 was R43 878 and was held at Tshwane Botanical Gardens and venue was at no cost to DST.

(c) In 2004 this took the form of a staff braai at Centurion Lake hotel with 170 DST staff attending. Programmes also organised their own lunches but this practice has been stopped. The total cost for the year-end function in 2004 was R 156,384.

In 2005 the function was held at CSIR campus in the form of a catered buffet luncheon (for 350 people) and the total cost was R101 550.

(d) Since 2003 to 2005, it has been budgeted as part of the departmental annual activity.

(2) There were no sponsorship arrangements made or received.

### Details *re* establishment of 112 emergency call centres

1370. Adv P S SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

(1) In respect of each of the 112 emergency call centres established, (a)(i) what was the lowest tender quoted by a prospective contractor operator, (ii) what previous experience did the lowest quoting company have in establishing emergency call centres and (iii) what was the empowerment credentials of the lowest quoting company and (b)(i) what was the amount quoted by the winning contractor operator to which the tender was awarded, (ii) what previous experience did this operator have in establishing emergency call centres and (iii) what was the empowerment credentials of the company that won the tender;

(2) whether, in respect of each of the 112 emergency call centres established, any of the tendering companies already had access to or ownership of the relevant software applications for the establishment and operation of the emergency call centre; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether, in respect of each of these call centres, the contractor operator that won the tender was one of the tendering companies that had such access to or ownership of the rel-

(i) and (ii) Fall away.

(b) The DoT, as part of its overall coordination responsibilities, chairs the 2010 Transport Task Team, which has representation from all the host cities, and the operational planning process, and all its requirements, will be coordinated through this structure.

The Operational Planning Framework and Guidelines for assisting Host Cities will be available in January 2007, and the Initial Operational Plan will be completed by 31 March 2007.

In conclusion, it should be mentioned that the document "Transport Action Plan for 2010: Version 1, 2006", which I tabled in Parliament on 15 November 2006, allows the Department of Transport to coordinate efforts by host cities and local authorities to build state-of-the-art transport infrastructure and systems that aim to promote, amongst others, public over private transport and to fast-track the rollout of mega projects. The document proposes specific actions across the entire transport spectrum and also focuses transport decision-makers on the requirements of the sector and the specific 2010 mobility needs, and to provoke and guide investment and careful planning.

(4) AST Holdings (winning contractor) submitted the lowest tender to the value of R 46m.

Note: AST Holdings merged with BEE company (Gijima) and it is now called ASTGijima.

**Amount spent by officials during travels**

1462. Adv P S SWART (DA) asked the Minister of Communications:

What amount was spent by officials of her department on (a) hotel accommodation, (b) restaurant expenses and (c) travel costs (i) in the 2004-05 financial year, (ii) in the 2005-06 financial year and (iii) during the period 1 April 2006 up to the latest specified date for which information is available? N1883E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

| | *(i) 2004-05* | | *(ii) 2005-06* | | *(iii) 2006-07* | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Expenses* | *Domestic* | *Foreign* | *Domestic* | *Foreign* | *Domestic* | *Foreign* |
| (a) Accommodation and (b) Restaurant Expenses | 5 700 765,95 | 2 363 984,85 | 5 750 686,52 | 2 153 221,11 | 2 005 247,82 | 2 296 992,95 |
| (c) Travel expenses | 9 959 346,92 | 4 811 345,39 | 10 282 391, 92 | 7 351 368,89 | 5 208 249,20 | 5 056 254,31 |
| **TOTAL** | 15 660 112,87 | 7 175 330,24 | 16 033 078,44 | 9 504 590.00 | 7 213 497,02 | 7 353 247,26 |

**Department obtaining sponsorships**

1666. Mr S E OPPERMAN (DA) asked the Minister of Public Works:

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, her department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2226E

The MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS:

Sponsorships obtained by the Department of Public Works since 2004-05 financial year until to date are as follows:

| *(a)(i) Company* | *(a)(ii) Parastatal* | *(b) Amount* | | | *(c) Used for* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | |
| Sponsors obtained through National Construction Week: | | | | | |
| Murray and Roberts Pty (Ltd) | | | | 450 000,00 | National construction week gala dinner |
| Aveng Pty (Ltd) | | | | 242 509,92 | production of posters for national construction week |
| WBHO Pty (Ltd) | | | | 60 000,00 | production of posters which were distributed to all schools in South Africa to promote awareness about the construction industry |

evant software applications; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(4) whether the winning contractor operator in respect of each emergency call centre established submitted the lowest tender; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what was the amount quoted by these companies in their tender for the contract? N1762E

The MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:

(1) (a) (i) The lowest tender quoted by a prospective contractor operator then, ie Sishayele Consortium comprised of the Plan B, Kelly and Emmanuels Staffing Services, was R2 763 618,79 per month (being the cost of staffing, operations, insurance, stationery, consumables and sundry items.

(ii) On their proposal, the consortium indicated an extensive proven record of their combined experience in call center staffing and operations management. Each company indicated its level of experience with regards to the call centre operation.

(iii) Empowerment credentials of the lowest quoting company (the consortium)

- Plan B — 100% black owned and female led professional consulting
- Emmanuels staffing services — wholly owned subsidiary of the JSE listed company ie Adcorp Group, 51% black-owned.
- Kelly — A proudly South African company that buys into the ideals of empowerment and employment equity 54% HDI holding.

(b) (i) R2 763 618,79 per month (The cost of staffing, operations, insurance, stationery, consumables, refreshments and sundry items.

(ii) Empowerment credentials of the lowest quoting company (the consortium)

- Plan B — 100% black owned and female-led professional consulting
- Emmanuels staffing services — wholly-owned subsidiary of the JSE-listed company ie Adcorp Group, 51% black owned.
- Kelly — A proudly South African company that buys into the ideals of empowerment and employment equity 54% HDI holding.

(2) Yes, AST Holdings tendered with other companies and managed to win a bid for the appointment of a total solution provider for the configuration, delivery, installation, testing and commissioning of 112 emergency call centre.

AST Holdings developed and customised their incident management solution based on the need of the 112 call centre.

(3) AST Holdings was one of the companies that tendered. AST Holdings won the tender. AST has the intellectual property of the software applications proposed and implemented for the 112 Call Centre such as call logging application (IMS) and the CTI interface between call logging application and Nortel symposium.

Competitiveness and Sector Partnership Funds. Others will be developed as part of a more coherent Industrial Upgrading Programme to be implemented by the Department as part of its National Industrial Policy Framework.

Heavy subsidies for agriculture by developed countries such as the European Union (EU) give products from these countries a large advantage, which often makes it difficult for products from developing countries to compete. In this regard we have made intensive efforts to gain concessions with respect to rich country subsidies in the Doha Round of the WTO. However, as we all are aware these discussions have currently stalled. Import tariffs also play a role in price competitiveness. The trade division in the dti is working through the WTO and on a bilateral basis with our key trading partners to ensure tariff regimes that are beneficial to the country.

**Trade restrictions published in the *Government Gazette* resulting in price increases for the consumer**

1720. Dr P J RABIE (DA) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

(1) Whether the trade restrictions published in the *Government Gazette* of 1 September 2006 will have any price increases for the consumer; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether the retail sector and organised labour was consulted before the publication of the trade restrictions; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3) whether China has given any commitment to assist local textile and clothing firms through comprehensive adjustment packages that would facilitate their restructuring; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? N2300E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

(1) The potential for price increases is a result of various factors and their interplay on each other. The effect on price equilibrium is, in its simplistic form, a function of supply and demand.

Overall, the quota means a reduction of around a third of the volumes of the previous year's imports (although specific products could vary significantly), in the identified product categories of imports from China. Outside the identified product categories importers are free to source from China as they wish. This means that a relatively large balance of these products can still be imported from China, therefore allowing a strategic balance in the selection of products to be sourced from alternative sources.

Furthermore, the exceptionally high returns and profit margins published by retailers in recent years seems to suggest that there is room for the retailers to absorb any marginal cost increases in the interest of consumers, should there be any inflationary pressures due to the restrictions.

In the light of these factors, it is believed that the effect on prices to the consumer should be minimal, if any, and that there are far stronger macro economic influences that could have an effect on consumers. That said, it is retailers who will choose whether they increase prices or not and the rationale for doing so. Our view is that it does not logically follow that prices must increase as result of trade increases.

(2) Trade restrictions are part of internationally accepted trade remedy measures which are applied when a surge of imports threatens to or results in injury

| *(a)(i) Company* | *(a)(ii) Parastatal* | *(b) Amount* | | | *(c) Used for* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | |
| Sponsors obtained through 2014 Youth Foundation: | | | | | |
| WBHO Pty (Ltd) and Grinaker — LTA | | | 500 000,00 | | Construction of the winning school's built environment design competition. This forms part of these companies' corporate social investment programme |
| | CSIR | | 30 000,00 | | bursaries for the winners and runner-up of the built environment design competition (R5 00000 bursary per learner) |
| WBHO Pty (Ltd) | | | | 35 000,00 | Bursaries for schools who were runners-up in 2006 built design competition |
| Grinaker — LTA | | | | 35 000,00 | bursaries for schools from 2006 built environment design competition |
| CIDB (public entity) | | | | 35 000,00 | bursaries for winners of 2006 built environment design competition |
| Core Focus Empowerment Trust | | | | 30 000,00 | runners-up of 2006 built environment design competition |
| TOTAL ALL SPONSORS | | 0 | 530 000,00 | 887 509,92 | |

**Policies to cope with disadvantages of imported products**

1680. Prof B TUROK (ANC) asked the Minister of Trade and Industry:

What policies does his department have in place to enable our producers to cope with the disadvantages of an imported product, despite the high labour and transport costs, selling at less the price of a locally produced product? N2253E

The MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY:

There are numerous factors that influence price disparities between imported and locally produced products. We have limited influence over some of these factors. However, we are acting to improve domestic competitiveness in the following areas:

There are several instruments to help firms to upgrade their international competitiveness. Some of these already exist such as the

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Measures to ensure that fuel shortages are averted

957. Mr I O DAVIDSON (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

In light of the SA Petroleum Industry Associations' tabled which indicates the projected inland fuel shortages for the period 2006 to 2012, what measures are being contemplated to ensure that such fuel shortages are averted? N1231E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

The Department of Minerals and Energy is aware of the capacity constraints in the supply of the inland region and its potential impact on the inland regions' fuel supply situation. The department is currently conducting two studies, one on South Africa's strategic stock policy and the other on understanding the petroleum industry infrastructure.

The strategic stocks policy review is aimed at ensuring security of oil supply in the case of emergencies and has been extended to the supply of both finished petroleum products and crude oil. The study will be completed at the end of November and its outputs will, amongst others, be used to determine the level of commercial stocks that industry participants will mandated to hold.

The infrastructure review study is driven by a Fuel Strategic Supply Task Team (FSSTT), which comprises a number of government departments and all downstream liquid fuels industry stakeholders. The study will be completed in the first week of December. It is looking at supply & demand issues, all petroleum products' logistical infrastructure namely: pipelines, storage and handling facilities, refineries as well as port facilities. The study will be used to formulate action plans to mitigate against the risk of fuel shortage in the short, medium and long term.

Furthermore, the department has also constituted a Logistic Planning Team (LPT) comprising of Government and the oil industry, which meets on a weekly basis to develop operational fuels' supply plans. I am confident that with all these activities underway, the department jointly with the industry will successfully manage recurrence of shortages of December 2005.

### Act 2 of 2000 used to obtain information from department

1267. Mr D H M GIBSON (DA) asked the Minister of Foreign Affairs:

(1) Since the Promotion of Access to Information Act, Act 2 of 2000, came into effect, (a) how many times has it been used to obtain information from her department and (b) what documentation was requested in each instance.

(2) whether her department complied with such request in each instance; if not, why not; if so,

(3) whether her department complied within 30 days; if not, (a) why did her department not refuse the request, (b) how many times has a request thus refused been taken to court, (c) what was the outcome of the court case in each instance and (d) what were the associated costs of the litigation to her department in each case? N1670E

The MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS:

(1) (a) Since the Promotion of Access to Information Act, Act 2 of 2000, came into effect it has been used 29 times to obtain information from my department.

(b) The following documentation was

of the domestic manufacturing industry. The processes around these measures flowed from an application submitted to the International Trade Administration Commission (ITAC) by organised labour and which was officially supported by domestic manufacturers.

Developments regarding the negotiations with China on trade restrictions were closely followed in the general media and were the subject of a parliamentary public hearing held in October 2005. In the State-of-the-Nation Address of February 2006 the President also referred to the matter. Furthermore, representatives of labour, retail and manufacturing actively engaged in the drafting of the Customised Sector Programme (CSP) which aims to map out the sector's development strategy. Trade restrictions are amongst the initiatives identified in the CSP.

Regulations covering these restrictions were published on 1 September 2006, which included a call for public comments to be submitted by the 8th of September 2006. In addition to the public comments received, government on three separate occasions also actively engaged with representatives of labour, retail and manufacturing on these restrictions. Based on these consultations a delay in implementation date was announced, whilst further concessions were incorporated in the subsequent regulations published on 20 October 2006. These concessions, although being a deviation from the international norm which requires quick and decisive action to avoid circumvention, were offered in a spirit of promoting strategic dialogue and co-operation among all the stakeholders in the interest of boosting the sector and safeguarding employment.

Going forward, a committee to monitor the implementation of the quotas is being established with representatives of government, manufacturers, retailers and labour. The monitoring committee will meet periodically to consider matters of concern that might arise in the course of the administration of these measures, and if necessary, make appropriate recommendations to the Minister of Trade and Industry for his consideration and decision.

(3) The Memorandum of Understanding on Promoting Bilateral Trade and Economic Co-operation, which was signed with the People's Republic of China, also includes a component which aims at broader co-operation with China in support of restructuring our clothing and textiles sector.

More specifically it was agreed that China would provide special assistance related to projects on the training and exchange of information, skills and expertise in the textiles and apparel industry. China further undertook to encourage and support Chinese textiles and apparel companies to invest in South Africa, and it also agreed to promote increased clothing and textile imports from South Africa.

The implementation of these undertakings as well as identification of potential projects in this regard will take place through mutual consultations with the People's Republic of China in the coming months, in tandem with the implementation of the trade restrictions.

fairs concluded with a certain company.

— Access to documents of transfer from 1999 to 2004.

— Requested information regarding visits of SA delegates in 1902,1940-60 to a certain country.

— Information on all filing systems for correspondence-based records in 1970-94.

— Copy of a submission dated 29 June 1998 regarding the requester's reinstatement.

— Records pertaining to discussions between RSA and a certain country.

— Copy of a legal opinion on United Nations Convention on the rights of the child.

— Records in regard to RSA's interest in the security situation in a certain country between 1960-95.

— Records of inter-governmental communications and agreements between RSA and a certain country regarding a certain person's release. Records regarding a certain country's support of RSA during apartheid.

— Records relating to a certain advertised position of in the Department of Foreign Affairs.

— Copies of the procedure followed for shortlisting and interviewing applicants for a certain post in the Department of Foreign Affairs and the composition of the Panel that interviewed and shortlisted the candidates.

— All records, minutes of meetings, agreements between a certain official from the Ministry of Minerals and Energy, a certain country and/or agents relating to RSA individuals and companies.

— Annual Report of the National Conventional Arms Control Committee of 2003.

— All conference building measure declarations pursuant to the biological, chemical and toxic weapons convention.

— Reports to United Nations Resolution 1540 (2004) and Working paper to the 2003 BTWC meetings.

(2) Yes, my department complied with all the requests, unless access could be refused as envisaged by the Act.

(3) Yes, my department acknowledged all requests within 30 days.

**Progress made in the diamond and gemstone jewellery project in the Northern Cape**

1437. Ms S J LOE (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

(1) (a) What progress has been made in the diamond and gemstone jewellery project in the Northern Cape, (b) who are the people responsible for the implementation of this project and (c) what timeframes have been put in place with regard to this project;

(2) whether these timeframes are being adhered to; if not, (a) why not and (b) what action has been or are being taken against those failing to keep to the timeframes? N1896E

requested in each instance:

— Information regarding a meeting that purportedly took place between a certain person and the former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr R Botha on 27 June1990.

— Information regarding a cabinet decision taken on 7 August 1991.

— Information regarding a meeting that purportedly took place between the former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr R Botha, and Maj-Gen Holomisa on 26 August 1991.

— Copy of the department's Promotion of Access to Information Manual.

— Department's internal policy guideline documents.

— Department's section 32 annual report to the Human Rights Commission.

— Documents on export of Centurion tanks from RSA to a certain country in 1961 and other armaments.

— Export of anti-aircraft guns from a certain country to RSA in 1963-64

— Military agreements between a certain country and RSA.

— Exchange of military pilots between Swiss-Air and South African Airways between 1983-92

— Copy of an agreement between Security Services Transkei and The Joint Commission for Security and Cooperation.

— Information regarding Subsistence and travel allowances.

— Documentation relating to a diplomatic visa issued to the requester.

— Documentation issued by the Foreign Ministry of a certain country requesting information on the visa issued to a certain person.

— Documents relating to a case against the requester.

— Information on the human rights situation in a certain country.

— Applications, minutes, records and correspondence from nationals of a certain country for asylum.

— Information pertaining to nuclear nonproliferation and/or proliferation.

— Information on the relation between RSA and a certain country between 1982-84.

— Information from the archives regarding the relationship between RSA and a certain country.

— Information on the communication between a certain country and RSA regarding nuclear programmes and/or nuclear weapons.

— Reports on dismissal of the requester from the Department of Customs and Excise.

— Report in respect of an investigation lodged against a requester.

— Copy of a contract that the Department of Foreign Af-

of the allocated funds;

(2) whether, for each application approved relating to purposes specifically relating to education and training, (a) the application was from (i) private sector companies, (ii) non-profit organisations, (iii) public sector companies, (iv) government departments, (v) employer organisations and (vi) labour unions, (b) in what amount was the application (i) made and (ii) awarded and (c) (i) how many persons will receive training and (ii) what type of training will such persons receive as a result? N1900E

The MINISTER OF LABOUR:

(1) The NSF is primarily for the poor and the unemployed and is made out of the 20% of the 1% payroll skills levy collected by the South African Revenue Services. 80% of those funds go to Setas and are for the exclusive use of the private sector.

1.1 The Skills Development Act, Act 97 of 1998, clearly outlines that moneys in the National Skills Fund may only be used:

- to fund projects identified as priorities in the National Skills Development Strategy or
- to fund such projects related to the achievement of the purpose of the Skills Development Act, as the Director-General: Labour determines.
- To use up to 2% of the NSF towards its administration.

1.2 The Skills Levies Act, 1999, section 10 makes provision for moneys in the National Skills Fund to be used for the following:

- To defray SARS skills levy collection costs, banking and investment management fees.

1.3 In order to remove any ambiguity and uncertainty regarding the types of projects that are aimed at supporting the National Skills Development Strategy, the National Skills Authority further advised me in the appropriate Funding Windows based on the NSDS 2001-05. The same social partners subsequently revised these funding windows and aligned them with the adjusted National Skills development Strategy 2005-10. The funding windows have the necessary criteria, eligibility, procedures for calling for proposals, project evaluation committees etc as approved by the Director-General.

1.4 The NSF is audited in accordance with all these documents by the Auditor-General and the audited Annual Financial Statements of the NSF is tabled annually to parliament as part of the Department of Labour's Annual Report.

1.5 The Department of Labour has not deviated from the legislative provisions and NSDS Funding Windows and its associated criteria and guidelines as agreed to with social partners in the National Skills Authority when using moneys under the NSF. It is our belief that any deviation from this disbursement framework would have lead to audit queries, is counter-productive and not in our interest.

(2) The total applications made or received for allocations from the National Skills Fund (excluding proposals received from Setas) were as follows as from 1 April 2004 to 30 September 2006

(i) private sector companies 1 176

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

(1) (a) The Northern Cape department of economic affairs has informed the department that it is in the process of finalising the first phase of the development of a diamond hub, which entails the selection of the best bidder for the occupation of the Kim Building for diamond cutting and polishing as well as jewellery manufacturing. In addition a chain making facility will be accommodated in the same building.

(b) The department of economic affairs in the Northern Cape is the responsible government organ for the implementation of this project.

(c) The determination of the timeframes is the responsibility of the Northern Cape provincial government through the department of economic affairs and presently the department is not aware of their plans.

(2) Not applicable as this is a matter for the responsible department in the Northern Cape province.

**Implementation of biofuels initiative: timeframes**

1439. Mr R COETZEE (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

(a) What progress has been made in the biofuels initiative covering the Northern Cape, Free State, KwaZulu-Natal, Eastern Cape and Mpumalanga, (b) who are the people responsible for the implementation of this project and (c) what timeframes have been put in place with regard to this project? N1898E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

The Department of Minerals and Energy does not have any biofuels projects in the provinces mentioned. However, the DME is aware that a number of private sector investors and government agencies such as CEF and IDC have looked at biofuels development in the mentioned provinces. There have been consultations through out the provinces with the provincial government departments to inform them of the process of developing the strategy and other national departments such as Agriculture and Science and Technology have also had extensive consultations on the biofuels industry development.

(a) One project that has been announced is that of Ethanol Africa which is developed in the Free State with the support of the provincial government. This is a maze to ethanol project.

(b) It has been mentioned by Ethanol Africa that their project is expected to start producing by 2008. The lead time required to build an ethanol plant is approximately two years. Most of the CEF projects are still at the feasibility stage and actual implementation has not yet been established.

**Approved applications relating to purposes other than directly to education and training were from various sectors/organisations**

1467. Mr C M LOWE (DA) asked the Minister of Labour:

(1) In respect of applications made directly to the National Skills Fund during the past 24-month period for which information is available, (a) how many approved applications relating to purposes other than directly to education and training were from (i) private sector companies, (ii) non-profit organisations, (iii) public sector companies, (iv) government departments, (v) employer organisations and (vi) labour unions, (b) in what amount was (i) the application made and (ii) an allocation awarded and (c) what was the specific purpose

| *NSF Funding Window* | *Amount awarded (2006-07)* | *Expenditure (2004-05; 2005-06 & 2006-07 — up to 30 Sept 2006)* | *Persons actually trained (2½ years)* | *Type of training* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Workplace Skills Development Support (WSDSP — linked to DTI's Small and Medium Enterprise Development Programme (SMEDP) and Strategic Industrial Projects (SIP) investment incentive programmes) | R34,9 mil | R 25,972,000 | 5,377 | Training on the skills required for the applicable workplace, including skills programmes and learnerships. |
| Social Plan Technical Support Facility (NPI) | R 17,3 mil | R 32,376,043 | Not applicable | The funding is related to the work done by the NPI to develop and implement turn-around strategies to prevent job losses by firms who indicated large number of workers to be laid-off. |
| Discretionary & Innovation | R 496,340 | R 250,017 | In process | Short training courses relevant to the needs of the applicable project. |
| Strategic Projects (related to sectors using setas) | Nil | R883 million | 44,438<br>35,943<br>21,107<br>9,332<br>Total 110,820 | Learners in ABET programmes<br>Skills learning programmes<br>SMMEs — skills & mentoring<br>Learners received Learnership qualifications |
| Total | R608,1 mil | R 1,529 billion | 349,098 | |

**LSU machines for eye testing at licensing office in Marlboro, Johannesburg**

1606. Dr R RABINOWITZ (IFP) asked the Minister of Transport:

(1) Whether the licensing office in Marlboro, Johannesburg, has six Light Scanning Unit (LSU) machines for eye testing; if not, why not; if so, (a) what was the cost of these units, (b) in terms of which tender process were they purchased, (c) from whom were they purchased, (d) who installed these machines and (e) when will they become operational;

(2) whether more staff will be employed to operate these machines; if not, why not;

(3) whether he has been informed that the waiting period for persons wish-

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| (ii) nonprofit organisations | 3022 |
| (iii) public sector organisations | 3899 |
| (iv) government departments | 9 |
| (v) employer organisations | 0 |
| (vi) labour unions | 0 |
| Total | 8106 |

Total applications approved after extensive assessment and contracts signed (excluding proposals received from Setas) —

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|---|---|
| (i) private sector companies | 668 |
| (ii) nonprofit organisations | 2048 |
| (iii) public sector organisations | 3367 |
| (iv) government departments | 9 |
| (v) employer organisations | 0 |
| (vi) labour unions | 0 |
| Total | 6092 |

The amounts awarded and expenditure for the past two and a half years (from April 2004 up to 30 September 2006) and the amounts awarded for the current 2006-07 financial year is as follows:

| *NSF Funding Window* | *Amount awarded (2006-07)* | *Expenditure (2004-05; 2005-06 & 2006-07 — up to 30 Sept 2006)* | *Persons actually trained (2½ years)* | *Type of training* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Social Development Initiatives (SDFW) | R 404,9 mil | R 423,730,000 | 214,156 | Short training courses relevant to the needs of the projects, including EPWP-projects, Working for Water-projects, etc. |
| Critical Skills: ESDLE's — unemployed in learnerships | R47,5 mil | R 38,085,000 | 4,475 (in training) | Approved and registered Learnerships |
| Bursaries (scarce skills) (NSFAS & NRF) | Nil | R 126,322,000 | 14,270 | Under and post graduate qualification in areas of scarce skills, e g engineering, accounting, management. |
| Adult Basic Education and Training (ABET) | R103,0 mil | Nil | | ABET training — target is 20,100 unemployed people. My department is in the process of finalising contracts with providers — training scheduled to commence in January 2007 |

Whether, in respect of each of the past two years including 2006, her department has obtained any sponsorships; if so, with regard to each sponsorship obtained, (a) which (i) company and (ii) parastatal were they received from, (b) what was the amount received and (c) what was it used for? N2222E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

The department received sponsorships through the Reconstruction and Development Fund (RDP) during the previous financial year, including 2006 as follows:

1. R1,6 million from the Norwegian government for capacitating the Designated National Authority (DNA).
2. R4,962 million from the Norwegian government in respect of the New Energy Project.
3. R7,254 million from the Norwegian government for the SA petroleum sector policy and capacity.

The department is still having ongoing discussions with National Treasury to fund these necessary activities from the fiscus and we are hoping that in future years funding for these activities will be forthcoming.

Over and above the international sponsorships, the department received sponsorships for the following events:

1. The department's Budget Vote Speech to the National Assembly totaling R199 350 for the 2006-07 financial year.
2. The departmental year end function totaling R107 000 for the 2005-06 financial year.
3. The Budget Vote Speech to the National Council of Provinces totaling R39 200 for the 2006-07 financial year.

Sponsorship of these events can be summarised as follows:

| *Name of sponsor* | *Purpose* | *Amount* |
|---|---|---|
| African Rainbow Minerals | DMEe budget vote speech to NCOP (150 people) | 20 000 |
| ARM Gold | Contribution towards Christmas party year end function 2005-06 | 23 000 |
| De Beers | Contribution towards Christmas party year end function 2005-06 | 60 000 |
| Eskom | DME Budget Vote Speech to National Assembly (400 people), DMEe Budget Vote Speech to NCOP (150 people) | 45 200 |
| Gold Fields | DME Budget Vote Speech to National Assembly (400 people) | 40 000 |
| Pelewane Investment | Contribution towards Christmas party year end function 2005-06 | 15 000 |
| Petro SA | DME Budget Vote Speech to National Assembly (400 people) | 108 350 |
| Seekers | Contribution towards Christmas Party year end function 2005-06 | 9 000 |
| Total Commercials | DME Budget Vote Speech to National Assembly (400 people) | 25 000 |

ing to renew their licences at this office is two to three hours; if so,what steps will he take to rectify the situation? N2159E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

(1) The Department of Transport (DoT) deployed six (6) Live Scanning Units (LSUs) at the Marlboro licence testing centre based on transaction volumes at the Marlboro centre over the past 24 months. The LSUs are not only used to perform eye tests, but it is also a fully integrated unit used to capture each applicant's biometrics (photograph, fingerprints and signature) in digital format, thereby replacing the paper process utilising an image scanning sheet.

(a) The LSUs were procured under contract RT6969 SA (G) (second period) as approved by the State Tender Board. The original contract included the option of LSUs, but the DoT did not exercise that option during the first production period. During the second period the department decided to include the LSUs and based on application rates during the first period, 400 LSUs were offered by the contractor. Contract RT6969 SA (G) is a bureau service contract whereby the contractor provides all the services, plant and equipment to supply the service (LSUs included) and then recovers the costs by means of a set cost for each driving licence card produced. However, should the department require additional units over and above the 400 Units that were supplied as part of the card price, such units will have to be procured under a cost item included in the contract as special materials. The cost of such LSUs will depend on the volumes required. The department has not procured any additional LSUs at this point in time.

(b) The LSUs were supplied as part of the second production period of contract RT6969 SA (G) as approved by the State Tender Board.

(c) The LSUs were supplied by Prodiba (Pty) Ltd in terms of contract RT6969 SA (G) (second period).

(d) The LSUs were installed and configured by Prodiba (Pty) Ltd and the units are also maintained by that company.

(e) The LSUs are widely used by driving licence testing centres (DLTCs) throughout the nine provinces. The operation of the units at the Marlboro DLTC is, however, a provincial and local authority matter and the national Department of Transport cannot comment on behalf of the Gauteng province and the local authority. The national department is, however, not aware of any reasons why these units cannot be used at the Marlboro DLTC.

(2) As mentioned in (1)(e) above, the operation of the units is a provincial and local authority function and the DoT cannot comment on behalf of such authorities.

(3) The issuing of driving licences and the associated renewal of driving licences are delegated to the various provinces and the local authorities. The Marlboro DLTC resides under the jurisdiction of the Gauteng province (City of Johannesburg). The national Department of Transport therefore cannot comment on behalf of the Gauteng province.

**Sponsorsips obtained by department**

1662. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

of prohibited articles on board aircraft as well as other security measures. These measures are aimed at enhancing aviation security in response to the recent criminal occurrences.

- The office of the Chief: Aviation Security has embarked on a security awareness campaign. Starting from the beginning of December, travel tips will be issued to the travellers on airlines' magazines and fliers at the airports.

In general, passenger security screening continues to be done in accordance with the requirements of the NASP, monitored by the SACAA. Airlines are charged with the responsibility to ensure that their pilots and cabin crew are adequately trained to deal with on-board emergencies in terms of the NASP. Their compliance is being monitored and the response by cabin crew during the recent incidents demonstrated that they are indeed able to effectively deal with these incidents.

**Cost of advertisements considered when replying to questions**

1702. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Transport:

Whether, with reference to his reply to Question 1343 on 12 October 2006 the cost of (a) radio advertisements and (b) other advertisements was taken into consideration when replying to the question; if not, (i) what amount is being spent on advertising the new name of the airport, (ii) who is paying for the advertisements and (iii) who took the decision to have such an advertising campaign? N2281E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

No, the costs of (a) radio advertisements and (b) other advertisements were not included in my reply to Question 1343 of 13 October 2006. It was, however, stated in the aforementioned reply that the Airports Company South Africa Limited (ACSA) would incur further costs that would be accommodated within ACSA's communications and marketing budget set aside for that purpose.

(i) ACSA's communication fund paid for a radio campaign at a cost of R878 786, using the following radio stations:

SAFM, RSG, 5FM, 702 Talk Radio, Metro FM, Jacaranda 94.2 FM, Ukhozi FM, Umhlobo we Nene FM, Thobela FM, Motsweding FM, Lesedi FM, Ligwalagwala FM, Phalaphala FM, Munghana Lonene FM, Ikwekwezi FM and Kaya FM 95.9. The production costs for the radio advertisements were R62 392. ACSA also paid for a television campaign at a cost of R483 998, using SABC Channels 1, 2 and 3. The production costs for the television campaign were R66 120.

The abovementioned advertisements ran from 23 October to 11 November 2006.

(ii) The Airports Company SA Limited (ACSA).

(iii) The Department of Transport, in consultation with ACSA, decided on the abovementioned campaigns with a view to informing the public of the name change.

**Steps to make air travel safer**

1750. Ms S RAJBALLY (MF) asked the Minister of Transport:

What is his department doing on making air travel safer in South Africa in light of the recent occurrence of criminal offences aboard flights? N1986E

The MINISTER OF TRANSPORT:

Aviation safety and security have to comply with international security standards set by the International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) as incorporated into South African domestic law. The SA Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA) is tasked with the responsibility of ensuring compliance with these requirements.

Enhancing the level of aviation safety and security within the South African environment is an ongoing process, with the Department of Transport and the SACAA working towards finalising the new Part 108 of the Civil Aviation Regulations to be promulgated in terms of the Aviation Act, Act 74 of 1962. These proposed regulations will comprehensively deal with aviation security as it relates to the whole civil aviation industry.

Specific actions taken to improve aviation safety and security include:

- Enforcement of the National Aviation Safety Plan (NASP), Airport and Airline Safety (security) Plans through continuous oversight. An implementation Committee from the National Aviation Security Committee (NASC) has also been established to monitor the enforcement of the NASP.
- The NASC has revised and updated the list

a natural consequence of contribution deductions that are currently being made via Persal.

— A second database containing the details of those persons belonging to the category known as "continuation members" is in the process being updated. The department is working closely with both Medcor and MxHealth (Medcor administrator) to verify the accuracy and completeness of this database.

— The department has verified the status of Medcor membership as 33 840 active members and 10 616 continuation members as at 31 July 2006.

Limiting of employer contribution to permissible maximum

In line with Resolution 3 of 1999 the department changed the position that previously existed to one third contribution by Medcor members and two thirds contribution by the employer which is calculated and deducted via the Persal System and paid to Medcor. These new arrangements became effective in January 2005. This measure, which is accepted as common practice across public service, enabled the department to reduce its contribution from 100% to two-thirds of the membership cost with massive savings for the Government.

Compliance with the Income Tax Act, Act 58 of 1962

The department has ensured compliance with Schedule 7 of the Income Tax Act since January 2005.

2. Internal control

2.1 Recommendation

The committee therefore recommends that the accounting officer ensures that:

— He takes all appropriate steps to fully comply with the requirements of section 38 of the Public Finance Management Act, or run the risk of being guilty of financial misconduct in terms of section 81 of the Act.

— If the accounting officer is unable to comply with any of the responsibilities determined for accounting officers in the aforementioned section, he must promptly report the inability, together with reasons, to the Minister and the National Treasury.

— The accounting officer should inform the committee and the Auditor-General of the progress made with the regard to addressing the problems of internal controls capacity.

2.2 Reply

Measures put in place:

— The problem of internal controls within the department was a product of historic management capacity and absence of updated systems and procedures. Policies regulating internal controls were available in many respects, but the problem that remained was absence of supporting procedures and training of staff. This prompted the department to undertake a comprehensive

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Compliance with recommendations made in certain report

851. Ms S J LOE (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

Whether the Accounting Officer of the Department of Correctional Services has complied with all the recommendations made in the Second Report on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, dated 9 February 2005 (as published in the Announcements, Tablings and Committee Reports No 27 — 2005, pp. 364 — 367); if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? N1049E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

1. Medical expenditure

1.1 Recommendation

the committee recommends that the accounting officer:

— Immediately takes all appropriate steps to finalise the outstanding agreement with Medcor, as well as all other outstanding matters currently limiting the extent to which Auditor-General can audit the Medcor expenses;

— Ensures that full and complete records of payments made to Medcor for the 2004-05 financial year audit are provided to the Auditor-General;

— Compiles and maintains an accurate membership database;

— Limit the employer contributions to the maximum amount permissible per member per month in line with the rest of the public service;

— Ensures compliance with Schedule 7 of the Income Tax Act, Act 58 of 1962, relating to taxation of medical aid fringe benefits;

— Considers the possible liability to the state should Medcor not have the necessary funding levels that are required in terms of section 35 of the Medical Schemes Act, Act 131 of 1998.

1.2 Reply

Service level agreement

The department negotiated and drafted an agreement with Medcor. Prior to signing the agreement, the department commissioned a legal opinion to ascertain both the validity and sustainability of such an agreement. Several legal opinions were provided in respect of this matter, and all of them cautioned against concluding such an agreement.

Submission of payment records to Auditor-General

The department submitted the full and complete record of payments made to Medcor to the office of the Auditor-General on 9 June 2005.

Accurate membership database

— Effective from January 2005, the department has maintained a complete and accurate database of its current staff members that are members of Medcor. The establishment of this database was

on mandatory services, as per the SITA Act. This agreement is renewed on an annual basis. Apart from the usual monthly meetings with SITA to co-ordinate SITA/ DCS activities and the service level agreement, an agreement was reached to institutionalise quarterly executive meetings to address strategic issues and resolve bottlenecks. As required by the SITA Act, the department entered into a business agreement with SITA and this agreement is renewable every second year and sets the terms of engagement between the two parties for the period.

Changeover to Microsoft Solutions

— Data replication from remote sites to Head Office for management information purposes is central to department's core business. The department has completed a roll-out of the Vuselela project to replace.

The Sybase database development tool with Microsoft SQL server development tool.

— The Admission and Release System for offender information on new Magic Application was also piloted in Gauteng. Subsequent to this a national roll out of the new Magic application was undertaken which was completed in July 2006. The entire DCS is now operating on the new magic application with effect from August 2006.

IT and Disaster Recovery Plan

The Disaster Recovery site of the department was completed at the end of August 2006. SITA will be hosting the site at their Centurion office where a number of transversal applications for government are housed. A contract is in place with SITA for the provision of hosting service with the necessary service level expectations.

4. Consultants

4.1 Recommendation

The committee recommends that in future the department ensures that they give full consideration to the services available from public sector institutions such as SAMDI and National Treasury.

4.2 Reply

— The department noted the concern of the committee in this regard and committed itself to continue working with all government departments, including Treasury and SAMDI.

— However, it is important for the committee to note that the department will always make an accurate assessment of its needs and determine relevance of services that are rendered by other public sector institutions. In this instance the department needed a focused and specialised assistance that would assist in building its own capacity within limited timeframes.

— It must also be mentioned that the department has its own training capacity and the consultant services referred to here were meant to develop a training programme

review of all existing policies and procedures. Some policies and procedures have already been updated and aligned with the White Paper on Corrections whilst some are still in the process of being updated.

— Since restructuring in 2003-04 the department has undertaken a coherent programme of recruiting and placing senior managers in positions compatible with their skills. Save for a few vacancies all senior management positions have been filled. To fast-track this process, the department contracted the recruitment agencies to assist with recruitment of staff. To date most of the vacancies in a wide range of senior management positions have been filled from heads of correctional centres to other line and support management functions.

— The department has also revived the junior and middle management training programme aimed at building internal capacity to ensure that managers at middle level are equipped with all the skills necessary to fulfill their management obligations.

— The department has also introduced a compliance improvement plan which is managed within the office of the commissioner. This plan is primarily aimed at continuously monitoring internal control matters to ensure that all institutions within the department improve compliance. with government and departmental policies. Progress on the successes of this strategy is monitored through quarterly reports that are submitted to the Audit Committee and the Risk Management Committee. With this plan the department is confident and optimistic that all issues pertaining to internal controls will be dealt with gradually and completely resolved over a period of time.

3. Informational technology:

3.1 Recommendation

The committee recommends that the accounting officer urgently ensures that:

— Proper consultation and co-ordination with SITA;

— An appropriate service level agreement with SITA;

— Proper consideration of the cost benefit analysis relating to the change over to Microsoft solutions, including aspects such as the purchasing costs of software/ hardware and data conversations required;

— Compliance with the SITA Act; and

— The finalisation of the IT strategic plan, which has to incorporate the finalisation of a disaster recovery plan.

3.2 Reply

Co-ordination with SITA and service level agreement:

The department entered into a service level agreement with SITA

ures relating to inmate population and awaiting-trial detainees in particular. measures have been put into place to ensure that protocols exist between the department and National Prosecuting Authority on management of awaiting-trial detainees and there is an ongoing IJS process of joint management of challenges in this regard in consultation with other IJS departments.

6. Possible fraudulent qualifications

6.1 Recommendation

The committee is of the opinion that this investigation, reported in 2000-01 already, has to be completed. If this is not possible, reasons must be provided to Parliament, as well as a commitment to a finalisation date.

6.2 Reply

A total of 2 250 qualifications were referred the relevant institutions for verification purposes. Of the total indicated above, 2 248 were authenticated. Out of the total checked, two qualifications were found to be fraudulent and the Departmental Investigation Unit was charged with the responsibility to investigate with a view to institute disciplinary processes. However, the concerned employees terminated their services before the disciplinary processes could be initiated.

The department has henceforth initiated a process of continuous verification of the qualifications of newly appointed official. Qualifications are being referred, since 2001, to Manpower Integrity Evaluation (MIE), the Department of Education and other relevant institutions for verification purposes.

7. Leave utilisation and overtime

7.1 Recommendation

The committee will in future focus on the proper management of leave and overtime, specifically whether:

— Proper compliance with policies and procedures in respect of leave and overtime and the necessary controls to enforce compliance are in place to ensure that leave and overtime are not misused;

— The responsibility for monitoring and authorising overtime is clearly assigned;

— Human resource information exist, capable of meeting the needs of management with regard to various issues as such leave use and cost; and

— All reasonable means of eliminating the need for overtime has been assessed.

7.2 Reply

Overtime

— The department took a decision to migrate to a seven-day working week post establishment. Part of the actions necessary to do this work required that all vacant posts appearing within Persal should be funded, consultation and negotiated agreement be entered into with labour unions, annual turnover levels be computed and measures be put into place to speed up recruitment.

aimed at the direct needs of the department, to pilot it within the department, transfer skills and train our trainers to carry out the programme independently. Accordingly, a training programme consisting of seven modules on junior management and seven modules on middle management was developed. A total of 193 trainers have undergone various training programmes aimed at enhancing delivery and accreditation of courses.

— DCS was the first department to engage SAMDI in providing the Compulsory Frontline Staff Training which is currently implemented in the regions. The department has also solicited the services of SAMDI

in the development of a series of training programmes for senior managers in Change Management, and Ethics Management training. Proposals are currently being considered for an Executive Development Programme and one of the providers is SAMDI in partnership with the Gordon Institute of Business Science (GIBS).

5. Unauthorised expenditure

5.1 Recommendation

The committee recommends that the accounting officer:

Improves the budgetary controls within the department; and take disciplinary actions against all officials causing overspending.

5.2 Reply

Measures that were introduced by the department to improve budget planning and management capacity are as follows:

— Appointment of senior managers in the section of financial management to improve on planning and management. In all regions, Directors solely responsible for finance were appointed to provide assistance to Regional Commissioners in managing finances of the regions. Nationally, a new structure providing for a Deputy Commissioner post and two directors responsible for budget planning and management was established under the branch of the Chief Financial Officer.

— Monthly meetings between the National Office and Regional Heads Finance and Supply Chain Management were introduced to monitor issues relating budget control. Officials from Head Office visited the Regions and have trained and assisted various Management Areas in addressing budget related issues. Project teams on expenditure control were also established and will visit the Regions in an effort to assist them in handling any problem identified during the course of such visits.

— All senior managers are allowed to prioritise their budget in line with their operational plan priorities, subject to limitations of the budget vote and programme allocations.

— The biggest problem for the department is control of fig-

this process, the department contracted the recruitment agencies to assist with recruitment of staff. To date most of the vacancies in a wide range of senior management positions have been filled from Heads of Correctional Centres to other line- and support management functions.

## Act 2 of 2000 used to obtain information

1286. Mr J SELFE (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

(1) Since the Promotion of Access to Information Act, Act 2 of 2000, came into effect, (a) how many times has it been used to obtain information from his department and (b) what documentation was requested in each instance;

(2) whether his department complied with such request in each instance; if not, why not; if so,

(3) whether his department complied within 30 days; if not, (a) why did his department not refuse the request, (b) how many times has a request thus refused been taken to court, (c) what was the outcome of the court case in each instance and (d) what were the associated costs of the litigation to his department in each case? N1689E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

(1) (a) Between the 2004-05 and 2005-06 financial years a total number of twelve requests were received.

(b) Eight requests pertained to offender information and these requests were granted in full.

Four requests pertained to ex-political prisoners and the questions were transferred to National Archives. Information has already been transferred to the latter in accordance with National Archives Act of 1996 and the requester was duly informed.

(2) The department has complied with all requests.

(3) (a) The department has responded to all requests within 30 days. In the event of the information not being available within the said period, extension was applied for in accordance with section 26(1) of the Act and the requester was duly informed.

(b) None of the requesters has taken the department to court due to refusal.

(c) No litigation was posed to the department.

(d) None.

## Costs *re* printing/publication of annual reports

1422. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of her department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to her, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost, (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1876E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

— Accordingly, the department has contracted three recruitment agencies to assist with its personnel recruitment. The work with these agencies started in earnest effective from the financial year 2005-06 and several recruitment projects were initiated with them.

— An agreement was concluded in the departmental Bargaining Council to effect commencement of the implementation of the seven-day Working Week from June 2005. The project will take over three years and recruit 8 975 new entry-level employees. Coupled with this, all annual recruitment targets will accommodate replacement of required numbers of employees who leave due to natural attrition.

Leave Administration

Leave administration and management is monitored on a continuous basis through the department's compliance improvement plan as referred to under internal controls above (par 2). Progress on this matter is being reported to the Audit Committee and the Risk Management Committee on a quarterly basis.

8. Monitoring of progress

8.1 Recommendation

The committee wishes to recommend that the Audit Committee, on a quarterly basis, monitor and evaluate the progress made with respect to all of the above areas of concern identified. The Audit Committee must report thereon in the next annual report of the department.

8.2 Reply

In order to monitor and enforce a culture of compliance with internal controls, the department introduced a Compliance Improvement Plan which is managed within the office of the Commissioner. The primary aim of this plan is to monitor progress within the department in effecting improvement on all internal control matters that were found to be a problem over the past financial years. Progress on this plan is reported to the Audit Committee on a quarterly basis.

9. Vacancies and personnel turnover

9.1 Recommendation

The committee recommends that the Portfolio Committee on Correctional Services consider:

Monitoring the progress with the filling of all vacancies, especially critical top management positions; ensuring that, overall, the issues raised by the committee in this report are addressed in the Department's next strategic plan, and are monitored for implementation.

9.2 Reply

Filling of vacancies

— As at 30 June 2006, DCS had a financed establishment of 38 997 posts on Persal. The filled posts were 36 378 and financed vacancies were 2 619 which represents a 7% vacancy rate in the department nationally.

— Save for a few vacancies all senior management positions have been filled. To fast-track

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| CEF | R500 000,00 | R470 575,00 | R314,00 | 1 500 | 1 500 |
| PetroSA | R373 956,00 | R399 001,00 | R399,00 | 1 000 | 1 000 |
| PASA | R25 000,00 | R18 500,00 | R185,00 | 100 | 90 |

**School-based violence becoming a serious problem**

1515. Rev K R J MESHOE (ACDP) asked the Minister of Safety and Security: *(Question submitted for oral reply No 303 now placed for written reply because in excess of quota [Rule 108(8)])*

(1) Whether school-based violence is becoming a serious problem; if so, (a) which provinces have the most affected schools and (b) what is being done to address the problem;

(2) how many perpetrators of this kind of violence have been (a) arrested, (b) charged and (c) convicted in court;

(3) whether the easy access to drugs by learners is having a direct effect on the problem; if not, what is the position in this regard? N1980E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) Yes.

(a) These statistics are not readily available because the SA Police Service does not have a specific crime code for school-based violence. When a crime takes place at a school, a docket will be opened for the crime that was committed. It will be registered on the Crime Administration System as eg an assault and not as a school-based violence.

(b) At the invitation of school management, the SA Police Service conducts visits to schools in order to provide schoolchildren with crime prevention skills and assist in encouraging positive behaviour through the Adopt-A-Cop and Captain Crime Stop programmes. In partnership with the Department of Education, the SA Police Service also developed a tool for educators called the "Signposts for Safe Schools" work book. It provides indicators that assist educators in identifying children who may be facing a range of social challenges. These challenges include bullying, use of weapons, gangs, substance abuse and sexual abuse. Interventions that have been known to work well in addressing these challenges are also provided in the workbook.

(2) See (1)(a).

(3) The SA Police Service does not know the extent to which access to drugs by learners has an effect on school-based violence.

**Prisoners receiving ARVs**

1551. Mr R COETZEE (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

(a) How many prisoners and (b) in which prisons, were receiving antiretroviral treatment as at the latest specified date for which information is available? N2049E

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

(a) As at 27 October 2006, a total number of 1 105 offenders were receiving antiretroviral treatment.

| 2004-05 | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Entity* | *Budgeted cost* | *Actual cost* | *Unit cost* | *Units produced* | *Units distributed* |
| Department of Minerals and Energy | R126 843,54 | R126 843,54 | R84,56 | 1 500 | 1 100 |
| Council for Geoscience | R65 000,00 | R56 010,87 | R28,01 | 2 000 | 1 430 |
| Necsa | R350 000,00 | R138 929,00 | | 2 000 | 900 |
| Mintek | R140 000,00 | R9 963,00 | R28,47 | 3 500 | 2 125 |
| Mine Health & Safety Council | R168 000,00 | R142 147,28 | R47,38 | 3 000 | 2 960 |
| National Nuclear Regulator | R300 000,00 | R196 000,00 | R65,34 | 3 000 | 1 650 |
| National Energy Regulator | R200 000,00 | R278 210,85 | R69,55 | 4 000 | 4 000 |
| SA Diamond Board | R54 750,00 | R116 708,00 | R77,80 | 1 500 | 1 413 |
| Electricity Distribution Industry Holdings (EDIH) | R161 225,00 | R185 484,00 | R18,55 | 10 000 | 9 900 |
| CEF Group | R789 599,00 | R769 073,00 | R296,00 | 2 600 | 2 584 |
| CEF | R500 000,00 | R497 530,00 | R332,00 | 1 500 | 1 500 |
| PetroSA | R259 599,00 | R259 599,00 | R260,00 | 1 000 | 1 000 |
| PASA | R30 000,00 | R11 944,00 | R119,00 | 100 | 84 |
| 20005 — 2006 | | | | | |
| *Entity* | *Budgeted cost* | *Actual cost* | *Unit cost* | *Units produced* | *Units distributed* |
| Department of Minerals and Energy | R159 604,17 | R159 604,17 | | 1 600 | 1 010 |
| Council for Geoscience | R80 000,00 | R78 140,78 | R39,07 | 2 000 | 1 291 |
| Necsa | R500 000,00 | R220 423,00 | R88,56 | 1 500 | 1 300 |
| Mintek | R190 000,0 0 | R166 640,00 | R36,98 | 4 500 | 1 925 |
| Mine Health & Safety Council | R166 000,00 | R121 179,00 | R40,39 | 3 000 | 1 340 |
| National Nuclear Regulator | R350 000,00 | R210 416,00 | R70,14 | 3 000 | 1 650 |
| National Energy Regulator of SA | R500 000,00 | R537 951,68 | R89,66 | 6 000 NER 3 000 NERSA 3 000 | 6 000 |
| SA Diamond Board | R86 000,00 | R124 832,00 | R104,00 | 1 200 | 1 142 |
| Electricity Distribution Industry Holdings (EDIH) | R204 033,00 | R226 121,00 | R18,55 | 4 000 | 2 000 |
| CEF Group (Financials) | R898 956,00 | R888 076, 00 | R342,00 | 2 600 | 2 590 |

| *Region* | *Correctional facility* | *Number of offenders receiving ARV treatment* |
|---|---|---|
| | Modderbee | 10 |
| | Pretoria | 20 |
| | Johannesburg | 117 |
| | Krugersdorp | 33 |
| | Zonderwater | 8 |
| Total | | 320 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | Durban Medium A | 7 |
| | Durban Medium B | 89 |
| | Durban Medium C | 5 |
| | Durban Youth Centre | 14 |
| | Durban Female | 2 |
| | Umzinto | 2 |
| | Ncome Medium A | 8 |
| | Ncome Medium B | 13 |
| | Vryheid | 2 |
| | Nongoma | 1 |
| | Kokstad Ebhongweni | 3 |
| | Kokstad Medium | 11 |
| | Qalakabusha | 50 |
| | Empangeni Medium | 2 |
| | Eshowe | 3 |
| | Glencoe | 6 |
| | Dundee | 1 |
| | Pomeroy | 1 |
| | Ladysmith | 2 |
| | Estcourt | 1 |
| | Waterval A | 8 |
| | Waterval B | 16 |
| | Utrecht | 1 |
| | Pietermaritzburg Medium A | 73 |
| | Pietermaritzburg Medium B | 6 |
| | Seevontein | 6 |
| Total | | 333 |
| Limpopo, Mpumalanga and North West | Witbank | 1 |
| | Rooigrond | 20 |
| | Lichtenburg | 3 |
| | Zeerust | 3 |
| | Thohoyandou | 7 |

(b)

| *Region* | *Correctional facility* | *Number of offenders receiving ARV treatment* |
|---|---|---|
| Eastern Cape | St Albans Medium B | 8 |
| | St Albans Maximum | 21 |
| | Port Elizabeth | 2 |
| | East London Medium A | 2 |
| | East London Medium B | 1 |
| | East London Medium C | 3 |
| | Mdantsane | 10 |
| | Cradock | 1 |
| | Middledrift | 15 |
| | King William's Town | 1 |
| | Fort Beaufort | 3 |
| | Lusikisiki | 2 |
| | Bizana | 2 |
| | Flagstaff | 2 |
| | Umtata | 6 |
| | Engcobo | 2 |
| | Idutywa | 2 |
| Total | | 83 |
| Free State/Northern Cape | Harrismith | 1 |
| | Kroonstad Medium A | 11 |
| | Kroonstad Medium C | 5 |
| | Odendaalsrus | 2 |
| | Virginia | 2 |
| | Groenpunt Maximum | 46 |
| | Groenpunt Medium | 10 |
| | Sasolburg | 2 |
| | Frankfort | 1 |
| | Upington | 2 |
| | Grootvlei Medium A | 4 |
| | Grootvlei Medium B | 4 |
| | Goedemoed Medium B | 1 |
| | De Aar | 1 |
| | Kimberley | 10 |
| Total | | 102 |
| Gauteng | Baviaanspoort | 16 |
| | Boksburg | 19 |
| | Leeuwkop | 97 |

PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

**[Fifth qualified audit report for department**

1610. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) asked the Minister of Correctional Services:

With reference to his answer to Question 182 for oral reply on 6 September 2006 that his department's financial management is improving, why did his department (a) receive its fifth consecutive qualified audit report this year and (b) not report on its finances during the debate on its annual report to the Portfolio Committee on Correctional Services? N2167E]

The MINISTER OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

(a)

| *2001-02* | *Deficiencies and shortcomings* |
|---|---|
| Medical services (Medcor) | • Insufficient control over number of consultations of members which could lead to financial losses.<br>• Insufficient review and follow-up of reconciliations submitted by administrator.<br>• Lack of control over monitoring of limits and exceeding of original budget by R190 million.<br>• Insufficient control over membership terminations.<br>• Significant problems were found in samples drawn of the accuracy of membership information between Medcor and administrator, supporting documentation with respect to dependants and life certificates.<br>• Non-compliance with medical Aid Scheme Act. |
| *2002-03* | *Deficiencies and shortcomings* |
| Medical services (Medcor) | • There was no agreement between the department and Medcor, which specified contributions and the calculations thereof.<br>• The department has no system in place to validate the accuracy of monthly payment to Medcor. |
| *2003-04* | *Deficiencies and shortcomings* |
| Medical services (Medcor) | • Invoices were paid on face value against insufficient supporting documentation.<br>• The department still had no system in place to validate the accuracy of monthly payments to Medcor.<br>• An agreement between the department and Medcor indicating the financial responsibilities and commitments of each party still not exits.<br>• In the absence of supporting documentation at the department it was not possible to perform alternative audit procedures. |
| *2004-05* | *Deficiencies and shortcomings* |
| Medical services (Medcor) | • I was, however, not able to perform audit procedures to verify the validity, accuracy and completeness of invoices for medical expenses relating to the preceding nine months and totaling R517,7 million due to the lack of supporting documentation from Medcor.<br>• In the absence of supporting documentation at the department it was not possible to perform alternative audit procedures in respect of the expense incurred for the first nine (9) months, mainly as a result of the time and cost involved. |
| Paymaster-General Reconciliation (PMG) | The PMG reconciliation at 31 March 2005 reflected reconciling items amounting to R52,3 million which consisted of accounts that should have been cleared and for which supporting documentation was not in all instances available for audit purposes. |

| *Region* | *Correctional facility* | *Number of offenders receiving ARV treatment* |
|---|---|---|
| | Rustenburg Youth | 4 |
| | Losperfontein | 29 |
| | Mogwase | 22 |
| | Brits | 4 |
| | Polokwane | 3 |
| | Barberton | 10 |
| | Bethal | 5 |
| | Klerksdorp | 23 |
| | Potchefstroom | 34 |
| | Wolmaransstad | 1 |
| Total | | 169 |
| Western Cape | Brandvlei Medium | 3 |
| | Brandvlei Maximum | 3 |
| | Brandvlei Youth | 8 |
| | Drakenstein | 17 |
| | George | 4 |
| | Knysna | 4 |
| | Oudtshoorn | 5 |
| | Goodwood | 7 |
| | Helderstroom | 15 |
| | Buffeljagsrivier | 1 |
| | Malmesbury | 5 |
| | Riebeeck West | 1 |
| | Pollsmoor Admission | 13 |
| | Pollsmoor Females | 5 |
| | Pollsmoor Medium B | 1 |
| | Voorberg | 3 |
| | Worcester | 2 |
| | Dwarsrivier | 1 |
| Total | | 98 |

**Vyfde gekwalifiseerde ouditverslag vir departement**

1610. Dr S M VAN DYK (DA) vra die Minister van Korrektiewe Dienste:

Met verwysing na sy antwoord op Vraag 182 vir mondelinge beantwoording op 6 September 2006 dat sy departement se finansiële bestuur aan die verbeter is, waarom sy departement (a) vanjaar sy vyfde agtereenvolgende gekwalifiseerde ouditverslag ontvang het en (b) nie tydens die bespreking van sy jaarverslag aan die Portefeuljekomitee oor Korrektiewe Dienste verslag oor sy finansies gedoen het nie? N2167A

*(Translation follows):*

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|---|---|
| Housing loan guarantees | The validity and accuracy of housing loan guarantees amounting to R73,6 million could not be confirmed due to the following:<br>• Guarantees still appear on Persal even though the housing loan accounts at the financial institutions have been closed.<br>• Of the 4 164 guarantees, 1 002 guarantees approved prior to 1995 still appear on Persal which is indicative of the records not being updated.<br>• Guarantees exist for employees who do not hold title deeds on properties for which guarantees were issued.<br>As a result the contingent liabilities are overstated with an unknown amount. This is mainly as a result of a lack of monitoring controls. |

Analysis

Medical services (Medcor)

Medical expenditure was the only issue on which the department was qualified for the fifth consecutive year.

All the issues mention in reports of the Auditor-General with regard to medical expenditure were rectified by my department, except for the new control deficiencies that were reported in the 2005-06 financial year.

Paymaster-General reconcilliation (PMG)

This deficiency was rectified and my department received a clean report on that in the 2005-06 financial year.

Receivables

- Interdepartmental debt
  Deficiencies were resolved and a clean report was received.

- Staff debt
  Process/action plans were put in place to address this issue.

(b) The department did not highlight finances as a separate issue during the debate on its annual report to the Portfolio Committee on Correctional Services for the following reason:

Part 4: Financial statements are not a stand alone issue but form an integral part of the annual report which includes:

- Report of the Accounting Officer
- Report of the Auditor-General
- Appropriation statement indicating details concerning the final allocation and expenditure per programme (incl. sub-programmes) per economic classification
- Financial Statements with all its elements

The portfolio committee has interacted with the department on financial issues in a number of sessions and had never indicated to the department that a section of the presentation should cover expenditure.

**Application by company for prospecting rights in terms of the Act 28 of 2002 *re* farms in Piketberg district**

1769. Adv H C SCHMIDT (DA) asked the Minister of Minerals and Energy:

(1) Whether, with reference to her reply to Question 366 on 5 May 2006, a second and subsequent application by a certain company (name furnished) for prospecting rights in terms of the Minerals and Petroleum Resources Development Act, Act 28 of 2002, in respect of various farms in the Piketberg district was accepted by the relevant regional office of her department; if so

(2) whether a decision has been made in respect of the application; if not, (a) what is the current status of the application and (b) when is it anticipated that a decision will be made; if

| | |
|---|---|
| Receivables | (a) Staff debt (R35,4 million)<br>• Insufficient follow-up of debt.<br>• A significant amount might not be recoverable and should have been included with the R14,8 million disclosed as possible irrecoverable debt in note 12 to the annual financial statements.<br>(b) Inter-departmental debt (R7,2 million)<br>• No supporting documentation could be provided for audit purposes.<br>• External confirmations differed vastly from amounts disclosed. |
| | As a result of the above the completeness and validity of the debt could not be confirmed.<br>Subsequent to year-end R1,4 million was paid by three government departments. |
| *2005-06* | *Deficiencies and shortcomings* |
| Medical expenditure | The following control deficiencies were identified during the audit:<br>• In terms of the continuation members, life certificates are not completed on an annual basis to confirm the existence of the continuation members and their dependants. Thus I could not verify the validity and accuracy of the expense of approximately R143 million.<br>• The employee/employer contributions were calculated incorrectly in some instances. In certain instances the employer contribution was more than the required and vice versa.<br>• The identity numbers of the members and dependants could not be presented to confirm their existence.<br>• No procedure manual in respect of the management of the medical aid could be presented for audit.<br>• Validity/completeness checks could not be done for certain of the medical aids as the information was not readily available.<br>• In terms of all payments for all medical aids, no certification/validity checks are done by the department. |
| Public private partnership (APOPS) | The department discloses APOPS as an operating lease in note 23 and not a finance lease |
| Receivables | Staff debt (R35,4 million)<br>• Insufficient follow-up of debt;<br>• Monthly statements are not issued to staff debtors;<br>• Debtors not being raised at year-end on the Basic Accounting System (BAS);<br>• Reconciliations were not performed between deductions on Persal from officials' salaries for debts owing and the BAS;<br>• Debtors with credit balances not followed up on a regular basis;<br>• Debt files could not in all instances be provided for audit purposes;<br>• Debt not recovered when services are terminated, and<br>• Debt not recovered from current staff debtors. |
| Asset management | Unable to verify the accuracy and completeness of the asset register due to the following;<br>• There are three (3) different computer programs that are used for the management of inventory and fixed assets, namely the Provisioning Administration System 2.6 (PAS), Web Asset Tool (WAT) and the BAS. No reconciliation is performed between the three systems.<br>• At year-end a large number of assets purchased and captured on BAS have not been captured on the WAT.<br>• There is no fixed asset register maintained for intangible assets.<br>• Not all assets have been bar coded and recorded in the fixed asset register. |

reply to questions. The information will be provided to the hon members as soon as it is available.

(ii) The SA Police Service does not distribute rape care kits to hospitals.

(2) The actual and optimal allocation of rape care kits for police stations is attached as per annexure A.

| *Question 2* | | *Requested/Issued rape kits per provice* | | | | | | *ANNEXURE A* | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | ICN: 6550T05004353 | | | | | | |
| | | | KIT COLLECTION SEXUAL ASSAULT | | | | | | | |
| Financial Year | SAPS | MP | GP | EC | LIM | N/C | W/C | KZN | FS | NW | H/O |
| | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS | NEEDS |
| 2004-05 | 40 931 | 3 300 | 9 150 | 13 250 | 3 600 | 460 | 0 | 6 240 | 1 631 | 3 300 | 0 |
| 2005-06 | 47 008 | 2 800 | 5 935 | 8 800 | 3 000 | 2 537 | 6 099 | 8 862 | 3 420 | 5 540 | 15 |
| 2006-07 | 61 070 | 4 920 | 12 745 | 5 900 | 4 000 | 516 | 10 071 | 10 246 | 3 045 | 9 390 | 237 |
| **TOTALS** | **149 009** | **11 020** | **27 830** | **27 950** | **10 600** | **3 513** | **16 170** | **25 348** | **8 096** | **18 230** | **252** |

(3) The SAPS conducts a need analysis on an annual basis. This allows the department to address any shortages that may arise at police stations.

## Allocations to 10111 emergency call centres

1787. Ms S J LOE (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) With reference to the 10111 emergency call centres in each province, what were the (a) optimal and (b) actual allocations of (i) operators and (ii) telephone lines in respect of each of the past three years up to and including 2006;

(2) whether any operators were found guilty of abusing these telephone lines; if so, (a) how many and (b) what was the nature of the abuse in each case;

(3) whether any disciplinary steps were taken against any operators; if not, why not; if so, what steps in each case? N2361E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) As indicated in one of my replies to Parliament during the Peace and Security Cluster Question and Answer session, I am no longer going to provide answers that will impact negatively on our operational deployments of human and material resources, or with respect to any area of our operational strategy and tactics.

(2) and (3) Yes.

| *Province* | *(2)(a)* | *(2)(b)* | *(3)* |
|---|---|---|---|
| Western Cape | 281 | Private calls | 217 Correctional counselling |
| | | | 50 Verbal warnings |
| | | | 10 Written warnings |
| | | | 4 Final written warnings |
| | | | |
| Eastern Cape | 44 | 36 Private calls | 36 Verbal warnings |

so, what was the outcome of the application? N2342E

The MINISTER OF MINERALS AND ENERGY:

(1) With reference to the Minister's reply to question 366 on May 2006, a second application was lodged on 15 August 2006 by a certain company (Bongani Minerals) for prospecting rights in terms of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act, Act 28 of 2002, in respect of various farms in the Magisterial District of Piketberg. The application was indeed accepted by the Western Cape Regional office of the department;

(2) A decision to accept the application in terms of section 16 was made and the application is now being processed further.

(a) Objections against the granting of the relevant right was received and as required by the Act, the Minister or delegate must be advised by the Regional Mining Development and Environmental Committee before a decision is taken. The relevant Committee meeting is scheduled for 28 November 2006.

(b) According to the legal timeframes of the Act, the final decision should be taken during February 2007.

**Rape care kits purchased/distributed to police stations/hospitals**

1785. Mr R J KING (DA) asked the Minister of Safety and Security:

(1) In each province in each of the past three years up to and including 2006, how many rape care kits were (a) purchased and (b) distributed to (i) police stations and (ii) hospitals by his department;

(2) what is the (a) actual and (b) optimal allocation of rape care kits for police stations in each province;

(3) whether his department has taken any steps to address the shortage of rape care kits at police stations; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N2359E

The MINISTER OF SAFETY AND SECURITY:

(1) (a) The SA Police Service has in each of the past three years including 2006, purchased the following quantities of Rape Crime Kits.

| *Financial year* | *Quantity* |
|---|---|
| 2003-04 | 22 564 |
| 2004-05 | 82 518 |
| 2005-06 | 58 587 |
| 2006-07 | 9 560 |
| Grand total | 173 229 |

The grand total for the purchased and received rape care kits in the past three years is 173 229.

(1) (b) (i) The following quantities of rape care kits were distributed to provinces:

| *Province* | *Issue* |
|---|---|
| Western Cape | 23 248 |
| Eastern Cape | 23 349 |
| Northern Cape | 4 032 |
| Free State | 17 261 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 29 055 |
| North West | 18 150 |
| Mpumalanga | 10 155 |
| Limpopo | 16 600 |
| Gauteng | 30 665 |
| National Head Office | 146 |
| Total | 172 661 |

The distribution to station level is done by provinces and that information is not readily available within the timeframes provided to

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Expenses incurred by departmental officials on travel costs

1464. Mr A C STEYN (DA) asked the Minister of Housing:

What amount was spent by officials of the department on (a) hotel accommodation, (b) restaurant expenses and (c) travel costs (i) in the 2004-05 and (ii) in the 2005-06 financial years and (iii) during the period 1 April 2006 up to the latest specified date for which information is available? N1887E

The MINISTER OF HOUSING:

The information required is not readily available and due to the time available, I shall provide you with figures for the current financial year.

The officials of the Department of Housing is *inter alia* responsible to travel to all nine provinces to check on progress made with the implementation of housing projects, meet with provincial housing departments and gather information to reply to parliamentary questions. This oversight responsibility of the national Department of Housing means that officials would travel a lot and overnight in hotels and that costs would be incurred.

Total expenditure incurred from 01/04/06 to 17/10/2006 on domestic hotel accommodation, restaurant and travel costs amount to R8 253 806,00.

| | |
|---|---|
| Accommodation | R1 503 725,14 |
| Travel costs | R6 750 080,86 |
| Total | R8 253 806,00 |

- Restaurant expenses are included in the accommodation costs, since the officials eat at the hotel where they stay.

### Completion of audit into blocked projects

1593. Mr A C STEYN (DA) asked the Minister of Housing:

Whether the audit that she commissioned into blocked projects has been completed; if not, why not; if so, (a) by whom was the audit conducted, (b) when was it completed, (c) what was the total cost of the audit in each Province, (d) how many incomplete projects have been identified per Province, (e) what was the (i) value of the incomplete projects, (ii) number of housing units not completed and (iii) financial losses that can be attributed to the incomplete projects, (f) how much of the estimated losses can reasonably be recovered and (g) what impact will the programme to complete the projects have on existing and future projects over the Medium-Term Expenditure Framework period? N2120E

The MINISTER OF HOUSING:

It is important to note that blocked projects are inherited problems and the information provided is based on our own assessment. Projects became blocked between 1995 and 2005 and it was agreed by Minmec that all blocked projects have to be unblocked by March 2008.

Yes

(a) The audit was conducted by the provincial departments of housing and verified by the national Department of Housing.

(b) It was completed during September 2005. A second comprehensive audit is currently under way to refine the information on blocked projects.

(c) Officials of the national Department of Housing conducted the audit and therefore the only cost that was incurred is related to travel expenses.

| *Province* | *(2)(a)* | *(2)(b)* | *(3)* |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 7 Did not register complaints | 7 Written warnings |
| | 1 Left line unattended | 1 Final written warning | |
| Limpopo | 2 | Misuse of other members' pin code | Verbal warnings |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 60 | Private calls | Blocking of outgoing lines and verbal warnings |
| Gauteng | 1 | Unprofessional behaviour | Dismissal |
| *Total* | 388 | | |

## QUESTIONS

*For written reply:*

### Steps to implement the decisions of the Khampepe Commission

1050. Mrs S M CAMERER (DA) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

Whether any steps have been taken to implement the decisions of the Khampepe Commission as set out in the President's 2006 state-of-the-nation address; if not, why not; if so, what steps? N1371E

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

I would like to advise the hon member that indeed steps have been taken to implement the Khampepe Commission's recommendations. A number of consultations have taken place between the responsible departments. A proposal was submitted to the JCPS Cabinet Committee and was approved. The proposal will now be submitted to Cabinet for approval.

### Current status of certain NPA projects

1112. Mr L W GREYLING (ID) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

(1) What is the current status of the National Prosecuting Authority's (a) Project Thari and (b) the Victim Support Assistance and Preparation Project;

(2) whether the National Anti-Rape Strategy is complete; if not, when will consultative drafts be made available to the public? N1460E

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

(1) (a) Project Thari was established to determine the rate of under-reporting regarding sexual offences. The project was divided into three phases. The first phase, the Initiation phase relates to the launch of the Project Thari in George in May 2004.

The Definition Phase is the second phase of Project Thari. An access database developed and set up through a telephonic and field survey conducted with relevant nongovernmental organisations (NGOs) and other stakeholders like the Department of Health.

The third phase of Project Thari, the Analysis, Design and Implementation Phase is partially complete as the information pertaining to the analysis and recommendations has not been received from the NGOS as many of these NGOs are not equipped to provide the information required. There have also been budgetary constraints and donors are currently being lobbied for funding.

(b) The Victim Management Project comprises the following: The Uniform Protocol for Victim Management and The Victim Assistance Officer Project.

The Uniform Protocol for Victim Management (UPVM): This protocol was developed to address the lack of uniformity and consistency in these services and to provide for a framework to create a body responsible for the regulation of organisations providing these support services. A framework for the development of accredited programs in these fields have been developed.

The Victim Assistance Officer Project: The Victim Assistance Project (VAP), is implemented in

(d) The total number of blocked projects identified per province, is reflected in the table below. A much more accurate number will be available as soon as the second audit is completed.

| *Province* | *Number of projects* | *Financial implications R' million* |
|---|---|---|
| Eastern Cape | 64 | 268,4 |
| Free State | 31 | 48,8 |
| Gauteng | 0 | 0 |
| KwaZulu-Natal | 20 | 14,4 |
| Limpopo | 193 | 1 684,0 |
| Mpumalanga | 4 | 174,0 |
| Northern Cape | 12 | 68,6 |
| North West | 14 | 49,7 |
| Western Cape | 8 | 55,7 |

(e) (i) R2,363 billion

(ii) The number of units not completed will be available as soon as the second audit has been completed.

(iii) A second audit is being done to determine values of projects at inception and the current values. The financial losses in respect of the projects being blocked will therefore be available as soon as the second audit has been concluded;

(f) It is anticipated that the amount to be recovered will be available as soon as the second audit has been finalised.

(g) The national Department of Housing will approach National Treasury for additional funding to address the blocked projects so that Provincial Government will not have to utilise their annual allocation for this purpose.

QUESTIONS

For written reply:

Steps to implement the decisions of the Kalenjeppe Commission

[1050. MRS S M CAMBRIER (DA) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

Whether any steps have been taken to implement the decisions of the Kalenjeppe Commission as set out in the President's 2005 State-of-the-Nation address; if not, why not; if so, what steps?

The MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

I would like to advise the honourable member that steps have been taken to implement the Kalenjeppe Commission's recommendations. A number of consultations have taken place between the responsible departments. A proposal was submitted to the JCPS Cabinet Committee and was approved. The proposal will now be submitted to Cabinet for approval.

Current state of certain NPA projects

1052. Mrs J M CAMPBELL (ID) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

(1) What is the current status of the National Prosecuting Authority's (a) Project Plan and (b) the Victim Support Assistance and Preparation Project;

(2) whether the National Anti-Rape Strategy is complete; if not, when will cumulative data be made available to the public?

The MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

(1) (a) Project Plan was established to coordinate the role of prosecuting regarding sexual offences. The project was divided into three phases. The first phase, the initiation phase relates to the launch of the Project Plan in October 2004.

The Definition Phase is the second phase of Project Plan. All process database developed and set up through a telephonic and field survey conducted with relevant non-governmental organisations (NGO's) and other stakeholders like the Department of Health.

The third phase of Project Plan, the analysis, design and implementation phase is partially complete as the information pertaining to the analysis and recommendations has not been received from the NGO's as many of these NGO's are not equipped to provide the information required. There have also been budgetary constraints and donors are currently being lobbied for funding.

(b) The Victim Empowerment Project comprises the following: the Uniform Protocol for Victim Empowerment and the Victim Assistance Officer Project.

The Uniform Protocol for Victim Empowerment (UPVE) Project: This protocol was developed to address the lack of uniformity and consistency in these services and to provide for a framework to create a body responsible for the regulation of organisations providing these support services. A framework for the development of standard procedures in these fields have been developed.

The Victim Assistance Officer Project: The Victim Assistance Project (VAP) is implemented in

line with the Thuthuzela Care Centre Model in order to eliminate secondary victimisation and to increase the conviction rates in sexual offences and domestic violence cases. The objective of the VAP is to guide and support the victim as he/she engages with the Criminal Justice System. In 2005, the VAP ceased being a pilot project and is presently institutionalised by the NPA. Processes are presently in place to facilitate absorption of these positions to permanent positions within the NPA establishment. It should be noted that the National Prosecution Services (NPS) Unit has 68 court preparation officials in courts countrywide who prepare victims of crime for court. The programme has the aim of reducing secondary victimisation, reducing consultation time with the prosecutor, empowering victims of crime, improving services to victims of crime and enhancing the experience of the criminal justice system for victims of crime. Ideally there should be two court preparation officials per Regional Court. The NPS Unit plans to expand the programme over the next three years and anticipates increasing the number of court preparation officials to 175 within the current financial year. These court preparation officials have prepared more than 77 000 witnesses over the past few years and they have made a significant contribution to enhance customer satisfaction.

(2) To accelerate the development of the anti-rape strategy, the Inter-Departmental Management Team (IDMT), commissioned research that broadly highlighted the following factors as contributing to the incidence of rape: culture of violence within communities, patriarchal attitudes, values and norms that inform relationships with women, substance abuse, dysfunctional families, sexual gratification, inadequacies of the legal system, socioeconomic factors, and the impact of political transition on communities.

The anti-rape strategy has seen the roll out of good practice models such as the Thuthuzela Care Centres (TCCs) and for Sexual Offences Courts (SOCs) with 18 TCCs and 100 SOCs being planned for 2006-07, depending on the availability of sufficient funding.

On public awareness, the Sexual Affairs and Community Affairs Unit has planned to go beyond the 16 days campaign and make it 365 days of education and information sharing and thus use the 16 days to account to the South African public on progress made in combating gender based violence. A National Action Plan that outlines key priority actions to be taken across 10 thematic areas to address violence against women and children in South Africa was adopted during a conference hosted by the IDMT in May 2006. Subsequently the 10 thematic areas were collapsed into five clusters, namely Prevention, Response, Support Children and other vulnerable groups, and Co-ordination, Monitoring and Evaluation.

**Prosecutors suspended on full pay since 2000 pending investigations and disciplinary action against them**

1236. Mrs S M CAMERER (DA) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

Whether any prosecutors have been suspended on full pay since 2000 pending investigations and disciplinary action against them; if not, under what circumstances have they been suspended; if so,

(a) what are the names of those suspended, (b) what was the reason for their suspension in each case and (c) what steps are being taken to finalise those cases? N1639E

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

(a) Yes, there are thirteen prosecutors that have been suspended pending disciplinary action against them. They have all been suspended on full pay.

(b) The prosecutors have been suspended for corruption or fraud.

(c) These cases are at different stages. Some have been completed and the prosecutors concerned dismissed. They have filed appeals and the outcome of which are awaited. In some cases, proceedings are yet to take place.

**Act 2 of 2000 used to obtain information**

1274. Ms H WEBER (DA) asked the Minister of Social Development:

(1) Since the Promotion of Access to Information Act, Act 2 of 2000, came into effect, (a) how many times has it been used to obtain information from his department and (b) what documentation was requested in each instance;

(2) whether his department complied with such request in each instance, if not, why not, if so,

(3) whether his department complied within 30 days, if not, (a) why did his department not refuse the request, (b) how many times has a request thus been refused been taken to court, (c) what was the outcome of the court case in each instance and (d) what were the associated costs of the litigation to his department in each case? N1677E

The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

(1) (a) Since the Act came into effect it has been used 142 times to obtain information from the Department of Social Development. However 136 of these were related to appeals lodged for access to social security grants. These 136 were therefore treated as appeals and are being handled in accordance with our appeals processes.

(b) Documentation requested

- The Institute for Democracy South Africa (Idasa) requested in 2004: A list of disability assessment panels that have been set up nationwide broken down by province and cases each panel has dealt with in 2003.
- The Department of Justice and Constitutional Development requested in 2004: an account of Voluntary Disclosure and Automatic Availability of Records. s 14(1)
- The South African History Archive (SAHA) requested in 2004

(a) The total amount of the approved Ministerial budget and amount spent so far.

(b) Full reasons, including all correspondence and minutes of meetings (excluding Cabinet minutes) to which the department and/or the Ministry of Social Development were party relating to the decision not to accept the recommendations of the Taylor Report insofar as the report proposed the

line with the Thuthuzela Care Centre Model in order to eliminate secondary victimisation and to increase the conviction rates in sexual offences and domestic violence cases. The objective of the VAP is to guide and support the victim as he/she engages with the Criminal Justice System. In 2005, the VAP ceased being a pilot project and is presently institutionalised by the NPA. Processes are presently in place to facilitate absorption of these positions to permanent positions within the NPA establishment. It should be noted that the National Prosecution Services (NPS) Unit has 68 court preparation officials in courts countrywide who prepare victims of crime for court. The programme has the aim of reducing secondary victimisation, reducing consultation time with the prosecutor, empowering victims of crime, improving services to victims of crime and enhancing the experience of the criminal justice system for victims of crime. Ideally there should be two court preparation officials per Regional Court. The NPS Unit plans to expand the programme over the next three years and anticipates increasing the number of court preparation officials to 175 within the current financial year. These court preparation officials have prepared more than 77 000 witnesses over the past few years and they have made a significant contribution to enhance customer satisfaction.

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The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

The parties and promotional events held by the Department showing costs, budget allocations and details of any sponsorship, where applicable, from 2002 up to and including 2006 are shown in the attached Annexures A to E.

**Annexure A**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | Integrated Sustainable Rural Development Programme and Urban Renewal Programme (ISRDP and URP) Open Day) Open Day held on 17 March 2006<br>Open day:<br>• Create awareness amongst DSD staff about the ISRDP and URP;<br>• Foster understanding about the two programmes<br>• Facilitate participation of staff in Nodal Development<br>• Assist the department's planning, budgeting and reporting about service delivery in the nodal areas | R125 602,52 banners, posters information leaflets venue and catering | Directorate: Policy Development and Service Standards | No sponsorship. Only received supporting documents from DPLG such as a handbook on Urban and Rural Development Programmes: Guidelines for participation; |

implementation of Basic Income grant.

- The Institute for Democracy South Africa requested in 2004:

(c) The extent to which children under 18 orphaned by HIV/Aids face barriers to accessing grants from the department as a result of lack of:

- An adult caregiver to apply for the benefit
- Identification documents
- A birth certificate
- Any other requirement

(d) Any current or ongoing measures of the department to address this problem

- Ms S Strydom — University of Stellenbosch (Social Work department) requested in 2006 a copy of the article from the "Social work practice" vol. 2, p.7-12 (1997)
- *Mail & Guardian* requested in February 2006 all correspondence between the Department of Social Development, Treasury, SITA and IT Lynx relating to "Tender 82" issued by SITA on behalf of the Department of Social Development for the development of a Grants Administration System

(1) Yes, the department has complied with five out of six of the above requests. The request by *Mail & Guardian* is currently being attended to.

(a) Yes, for all requests the department complied with, and these were completed within 30 days.

(b) There are no requests complied with that were completed outside the 30 days and therefore the department had no reasons to refuse the requests.

(c) There are no refused requests that have been taken to court.

(d) There was no litigation relating to PAIA and therefore no court outcomes.

(e) No financial costs to litigation as no request have ever been taken to court.

**Parties held by department**

1304. Mr S J MASANGO (DA) asked the Minister of Social Development:

(1) In respect of each year since 2002, up to and including 2006, (a) how many (i) parties and (ii) promotional events were held by his department, (b) what was the nature of the event in each instance, (c) how much did each party cost and (d) from which budget was the money allocated;

(2) whether any sponsorships were obtained in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details in each case?

N1707E

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 4 | Budget Vote — Cape Town | Cape Town<br>1. National Assembly — R35 000<br>2. National Council of Provinces — R11 228,07<br><br>Total 46,228.07 | Communication | N/A |
| 5 | Substance abuse function in Magaliesoord | Catering R27 237 | Communication | N/A |
| 6 | International Day Against Substance Abuse & Illicit Drug Trafficking in Umbumbulu, KZN | Catering R22 275 | Communication | N/A |
| 7 | Child Protection week in Alexandra | Catering R12 476 | Communication | N/A |
| 8 | Social Development Week | R1 094 538,15 media campaign | Communication | |
| 9 | National Child Protection Week | R3 896 358 | R400 000: Dir Children<br>R3 000 000: C Dir Grant system<br>R296 358: Directorate: Children,<br>R200 000: Chief Directorate: Children, youth and Families | N/A |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 2 | Eight career fair events were held to promote social work as a career of choice to high school learners<br>The career fair events were held in 2006 targeting grades 10, 11, 12 and majority of which were grades 11 and 12 in most provinces:<br>• Pretoria Show Grounds<br>• Rustenburg Civic Centre<br>• Polokwane Show Grounds<br>• Cape Town Good Hope<br>• Kimberley Show Grounds<br>• Welkom Oppenheimer Theatre<br>• Atteridgeville Lutheran Church<br>• Royal Bafokeng<br><br>These promotional events will continue even in the coming financial year. | 1. 5 000 z-fold R62 991,80<br>1. 1 000 posters R5 792,00<br>2. 2 500 paper bags R27 253,98<br>3. 100 golf shirts R2 063,00<br>4. 100 sweaters R16 000,00<br>5. 1 roller max R4 788,00<br>6. 1 wall banner R9 576,00<br>7. Exhibition space R178 518,87<br>8. Redesign of exhibition stand R27 672,45<br>9. Travelling expenses R6 991,00<br><br>Total R 341 647,10 | Service Standard | Not applicable (N/A) |
| 3 | Internal seminar on Women with Disabilities (to commemorate women's month) | R18 348,00 | Communication | N/A |

**Annexure C**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | National Women's Day Commemoration on the 9th August 2003. 10 Years of Freedom-what it has meant for women. Awareness raising | R 500 000<br>1. Transport R20 000<br>2. Advertising, publicity & banners R110 000<br>3. Posters R35 000<br>4. Marquees, tents tables, chairs & toilets R100 000<br>5. Catering R80 000<br>6. Women Chiffons R45 000<br>7. Entertainment R25 000<br>8. Candles & gifts R25 000<br>9. Co-ordination & administrative allowances R15 000<br>10. Grading & cementing area to be used R45 000 | Grants Administration R300 000 Communications R110 000 Welfare Services & Transformation R70 000 Social Security Policy & Planning R20 000 | Mobile stage — Transnet Coca cola for refreshments Office of the Executive mayor-Madibeng |
| 2 | Year-end function | 1. Venue & Catering — R111 163<br>2. Buses — R2 820<br>3. Entertainment — R6 000 (Cultural dance)<br><br>TOTAL: R119 983,00 | | N/A |

**Annexure B**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | Year-end function | 1. Catering — R26 250,00<br>2. Hiring of the Venue — R19 150<br>3. Bar Limit — R3 000<br>4. Flower arrangements — R2 750<br><br>TOTAL: R51 150,00 | | N/A |
| 2 | World Summit on Sustainable Development- Exhibitions | 1. Exhibitions — R51 300,00<br>2. Subsistence & travel for officials who were working there — R31 174,00<br>3. The WSSD stall R264 469,99<br><br>TOTAL: R346 943,99 | Communication | N/A |

**Annexure C**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
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| 2 | Year-end function | 1. Venue & Catering — R111 163<br>2. Buses — R2 820<br>3. Entertainment — R6 000 (Cultural dance)<br><br>TOTAL: R119 983,00 | | N/A |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 3 | International day of the Families (13 May 2003) — Soshanguve | 1. Catering — R9 969,99<br>2. Tent Hire —R2 070<br>3. Buses — R1 932<br>4. Buses — R2 880<br><br>TOTAL: R16 851,99 | Children Families Chief Directorate | N/A |
| 4 | Women's day celebration | 1. Catering for the Internal event — Women's day celebration — R10 000<br>2. Hiring of Venue — R380,00<br><br>Total: R10 380,00 | Executive Support | N/A |
| 5 | Child Protection Week | 1 Catering —R9 050,00<br>2. Venue — R1 250,00<br><br>Total: R10 300,00 | Communication | N/A |
| 6 | Launches of Social Development months | 1. Catering — R10 170<br>2. PA System — R980<br><br>Total: R11 150,00 | Communication | N/A |

**Annexure D**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | Year-end function | 1. Buses — R3 600<br>2. Venue & Catering R114 123,00<br>3. P.A system — R7 500<br>4. Umbrellas — R17 100<br>5. Video coverage — R5 000<br>6. Entertainment — R5 000 for kids<br>7. Cultural performance — R7 500<br><br>TOTAL: R154 823,00 | Communication | N/A |
| 2 | Celebration of 10 Year Anniversary (Launch of the International Year of the family) | 1. 30 000 Posters — R46 062,00<br>2. 30 000 Leaflets — R9 000<br>3. 10 000 Plastic mugs — R68 800<br>4. Venue & Catering for the post launch event — R7 470<br>5. Entertainment — R95 000<br>6. OB — R45 000<br>7. Media Bulk Buying — R1,2 million to GCIS<br>8. Transport — R28 500,00<br><br>TOTAL: R1 499 832,00 | Children & Families Chief Directorate | N/A |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 3 | International day of the Families (13 May 2003) — Soshanguve | 1. Catering — R9 969,99<br>2. Tent Hire —R2 070<br>3. Buses — R1 932<br>4. Buses — R2 880<br><br>TOTAL: R16 851,99 | Children Families Chief Directorate | N/A |
| 4 | Women's day celebration | 1. Catering for the Internal event — Women's day celebration — R10 000<br>2. Hiring of Venue — R380,00<br><br>Total: R10 380,00 | Executive Support | N/A |
| 5 | Child Protection Week | 1 Catering —R9 050,00<br>2. Venue — R1 250,00<br><br>Total: R10 300,00 | Communication | N/A |
| 6 | Launches of Social Development months | 1. Catering — R10 170<br>2. PA System — R980<br><br>Total: R11 150,00 | Communication | N/A |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 7 | Budget Vote | Cape Town —<br>1. National Assembly- Food & Entertainment R14 734<br>2. National Council of Province — R 980 Pretoria Food and Entertainment — R16 520<br><br>Total — R32 234 | Communication | Novell SA Pty Ltd paid for entertainment — R46 320 |
| 8 | International Day for Older Persons | Hiring stage R1 500 | Communication | N/A |
| 9 | Stakeholder meeting Faith Based Organisation | Catering R4 000 | Communication | N/A |
| 10 | Older Persons Day | Video recording R300 | Older Persons | N/A |
| 11 | Funds assisting wives/spouse of chiefs to entertain orphans | Catering R 19 550 | | N/A |
| 12 | Stake holder meeting Older persons in Kuils River | Catering R42 000 | Older Persons | N/A |

**Annexure F**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | Disability sensitisation workshop | R3 800,00 | Communication | Not applicable |
| 2 | Disability seminar | R1 800,00 | Communication | R1 500,00 contributed by HSRC |
| 3 | Internal seminar on Women with Disabilities (to commemorate women's month) | R18 348,00 | Communication | Not applicable |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 3 | Budget Vote | Cape Town<br>1. Sound system — R9 638<br>2. Catering & Tab — R63 931<br><br>Total — R73 569 | Ministry/Communications | Catering and Entertainment sponsored by Tiger Brand and drinks by Department of foreign Affairs |

**Annexure E**

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 1 | Disability sensitisation workshop | R3 800,00 | Communication | Not applicable |
| 2 | Disability seminar | R1 800,00 | Communication | R1 500,00 contributed by HSRC |
| 3 | Internal seminar on Women with Disabilities (to commemorate women's month | R18 348,00 | Communication | Not applicable |
| 4 | Promotional material on disability (share with provinces) | R55 000,00 posters on disability R15 000,00 on Z cards R25 000,00 on roller banners<br><br>Total R95 000 | Communications | Not applicable |
| 5 | Traditional Queens and Chief Wives conference March 2005 | R 876 900 | Communications | NHTL transported royalty and assistants |
| 6 | Year-end function | 1. PA System — R10,000<br>2. Venue & Catering R248 896,20<br>3. DJ — R1 400,00<br><br>TOTAL: R260 296,20 | Communications | N/A |

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 12 | Stake holder meeting Older persons in Kuils River | Catering R42 000 | Older Persons | N/A |

## Reasons for cancellation of sale of military equipment to Jordan

1318. Mr R JANKIELSOHN (DA) asked the Minister of Defence:

(1) (a) What were the reasons for the cancellation of the sale of ratels, samils and mirages, with spares to Jordan and (b) who was responsible for the decision that led to the cancellation of the contracts;

(2) what was the value of the transactions for the (a) ratels, (b) samils and (c) mirages and spares? N1723E

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE:

(1) (a) No contracts were cancelled by the Department of Defence, instead a moratorium was placed on the disposal of all ex-stock sales, due a departmental investigation that was launched to investigate suspected unauthorised sales of DOD equipment, and possible violation of export regulations. The Mirages were sold for Rm40,00.

(b) The DOD cancelled no contracts, the Secretary for Defence authorised the placement of the moratorium.

(2) (a) The value of the transactions for the Ratels is Rm95,7.

(b) The value of the transactions for the Samils is Rm16,770.

(c) The value of the transactions for the Mirages is Rm40.

## Completion of regulations for the Children's Act

1342. Mr M WATERS (DA) asked the Minister of Social Development:

(1) Whether, with reference to his reply to Question 108 for oral reply on 14 September 2005, (a) the development of the regulations for the Children's Act, Act 38 of 2005, will be completed by the end of 2006 and (b) section 75 of the Act will be implemented in December 2006, if not, why not in each case;

(2) whether the tender to appoint a service provider with the development of the regulations for the Children's Act was ever awarded; if not, (a) why not, (b) when was the tender advertised and where, (c) who in his department is responsible for awarding the tender; if so, (i) when, (ii) who was appointed, (iii) what was the cost of the tender and (iv) by what date is it expected that the development of the regulations will be completed? N1749E

The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

(1) (a) The development of the regulations of the Children's Act, 2005 will not be completed by the end of 2006. The Children's Act, 2005 and the recently introduced Children's Amendment Bill are closely linked to each other and it is the intention to have the regulations under both laws finalised and implemented at the same time.

| *Number* | *Nature of Parties/ promotional events* | *Cost* | *Budget Allocation* | *Name and Amount of External Sponsorship* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| (a)(i) & (ii) | (b) | (c) | (d) | (2) |
| 4 | Promotional material on disability (share with provinces) | R55 000,00 posters on disability R15 000,00 on Z cards R25 000,00 on roller banners<br><br>Total R95 000 | Communications | Not applicable |
| 5 | Traditional Queens and Chief Wives conference March 2005 | R 876 900 | Communications | NHTL transported royalty and assistants |
| 6 | Year-end function | 1. PA System — R10 000<br>2. Venue & Catering R248 896,20<br>3. DJ — R1 400.<br><br>TOTAL: R260 296,20 | Communications | N/A |
| 7 | Budget Vote | Cape Town —<br>3. National Assembly-Food & Entertainment R14 734<br>4. National Council of Province — R980 Pretoria-Food and Entertainment — R16 520<br><br>Total — R32 234 | Communication | Novell SA Pty Ltd paid for entertainment — R46 320 |
| 8 | International Day for Older Persons | Hiring stage R1 500 | Communication | N/A |
| 9 | Stakeholder meeting Faith Based Organisation | Catering R4 000 | Communication | N/A |
| 10 | Older Persons Day | Video recording R300 | Older Persons | N/A |
| 11 | Funds assisting wives/spouse of chiefs to entertain orphans | Catering R 19 550 | | N/A |

The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

(1)

| *Name of State Institution (1)(a)* | *Province located (1)(a)* | *Whether the institution makes provision for adults (1)(a)(i)* | *Whether the institution makes provision for children (1)(a)(ii)* | *Number of adults admitted in 2005 (1)(b)(i)* | *Number of children admitted in 2005 (1)(b)(ii)* | *Number of disadvantaged children admitted for free in 2005 (2)* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Swartfontein Centre | Mpumalanga | Yes | No | 183 | No children | |
| Madadeni Rehab Centre | KwaZulu-Natal | Yes | No | 91 | No children | |
| De Novo Centre | Western Cape | Yes | Yes | 326 | 177 | 177 |
| Newlands Park Centre | KwaZulu-Natal | Yes | Yes | 522 | 78 | 32 |
| Magaliesoord Centre | Gauteng | Yes | Yes | 518 | 69 | 69 |

(2) Yes, admission to these centres is free for disadvantaged groups. Refer to the last column in table.

- There is a policy on the management of substance abuse as well as minimum norms and standards for in-patient treatment centres which provide for rehabilitation of abusers in in-patient treatment centres and promotes standardisation and provision of quality services.

- Access for indigent is addressed through the policy on financial awards, wherein provinces ensure that NGOs, providing rehabilitation, are subsidised and a certain number of beds are made available for the disadvantaged groups to access treatment in private facilities. State facilities provide free rehabilitation to the indigent.

**Number/cost of annual reports printed/ distributed**

1414. Mr D H M GIBSON (DA) asked the Minister of Foreign Affairs:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of her department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to her, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost, (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1868E

The MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS:

Please note that there were no statutory and other entities reporting to the Minister of Foreign Affairs during the 2004-05 financial year. In respect of the 2004-05 annual report of the department (a) the (i) budgeted cost was R310 000 (inclusive of projected distribution costs of R50 700) and (ii) actual cost was R251 637,30 (exclusive of distribution costs) and (iii) unit cost of each annual report was R83,87 and (b) the amount of copies (i) produced were 3 000 and (ii) 2 979 copies have been distributed.

Please note that there were no statutory and other entities reporting to the Minister of Foreign Affairs during the 2005-06 financial year. In respect of the 2005-06 annual report of the department (a) the (i) budgeted cost

The Children's Amendment Bill will upon finalisation be incorporated into the Children's Act, 2005.

(b) Section 75 of the Children's Act, 2005 will not be implemented by December 2006. The section deals with regulations which may be made by the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development and which have not been drafted yet.

(2) (a) The tender to appoint a service provider to develop the regulations has not been awarded as approval to appoint the successful service provider has not yet been obtained.

(b) The tender was advertised in the State Tender Bulletin of 20 January 2006 and in the *Sunday Times* of 22 January 2006.

(c) The Departmental Bid Adjudication Committee is responsible for awarding tenders:

(i) on 26 October 2006;

(ii) to Professor Julia Sloth-Nielsen and a team of drafters;

(iii) amounts to R2 992 158,00;

(iv) end of November 2007.

**Department's involvement in palliative care projects**

1369. Ms H WEBER (DA) asked the Minister of Social Development:

Whether his department is involved in palliative care projects; if not, why not; if so, (a) what is the nature of the projects, (b) where are these projects located and (c) what is the departmental budget for these projects in the 2006-07 financial year?
N1756E

The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

(a) No. The Department of Social Development (DSD) does not have projects focusing only on palliative care, but renders a comprehensive home/community-based care and support programme, which includes psychosocial support to individuals and households facing life-threatening illnesses. the principles of palliative care are therefor integrated and implemented in the home/community-based care and support programme.

DSD participated in the development of National Guidelines for Palliative Care, which is the mandate of the Department of Health.

(b) DSD does not have palliative care projects as mentioned in (a).

(c) There is no specific departmental budget on palliative care as it is part of the broader home/community-based care and support programme. The budget allocation for home/community-based care and support programme is part of the provincial equitable share.

**Number of state drug rehabilitation centres per province**

1378. Mrs P DE LILLE (ID) asked the Minister of Social Development:

(1) How many (a) state drug rehabilitation centres are there in each province that provide for (i) adults and (ii) children and (b)(i) adults and (ii) children were admitted to each of these centres in 2005;

(2) whether admission to these centres is free for disadvantaged groups; if not, why not; if so, what number of disadvantaged youth was admitted for free in 2005 (at which centres)?
N1785E

**Number/cost of annual reports printed/ distributed**

1427. Ms H WEBER (DA) asked the Minister of Social Development:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of his department and the annual reports of each statutory and other entity reporting to him, (a) what was the (i) budgeted cost, (ii) actual cost and (iii) unit cost of each annual report and (b) how many copies of each were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1881E

The MINISTER OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

For the Department of Social Development: DSD

| | | 2004-05 | 2005-06 |
|---|---|---|---|
| (1)(a) | | | |
| (i) | budgeted cost | R800 000,00 | R300 000,00 |
| (ii) | actual cost | R247 218,00 | R217 067,26 |
| | Braille | 0 | R17 385,00 |
| | Visually impaired | 0 | R8 500,00 |
| (iii) | unit cost | R81,86 | R72,35 |
| | Braille | 0 | R321,94 |
| | Visually impaired | 0 | R2 125,00 |
| (b) (i) | produced | 3 020,00 | 3 000,00 |
| | Braille | 0 | 54,00 |
| | Visually impaired | 0 | 4,00 |
| (ii) | distributed | (to date) 2 950,00 | (to date) 1 630,00 |

Public entities reporting to DSD

- For the SA Social Security Agency: SASSA
  The first annual report for SASSA will only be available in 2007-08 financial year.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| (1)(a) | | |
| (i) | budgeted cost | R170 000,00 |
| (ii) | actual cost | R165 750,00 |
| (iii) | unit cost | R55,25 |
| (b) (i) | produced | 3 000,00 |
| (ii) | distributed | 2 900,00 |

- For the National Development Agency: NDA

| 2004-05 | 2005-06 |
|---|---|
| R330 000,00 | |
| R314 000,00 | |
| R104.66 | |
| 3 000,00 | |
| (to date) 1 900,00 | |

Other statutory bodies (not deemed as public entities) within DSD

- For the Central Drug Authority: CDA

| | | 2004-05 | 2005-06 |
|---|---|---|---|
| (1)(a) | | | |
| (i) | budgeted cost | R100 000 | R100 000 |
| (ii) | actual cost | R16 375 | Still in the process of producing |
| (iii) | unit cost | R8.19 | Still in the process of producing |
| (b) (i) | produced | 2 000 | Still in the process of producing |
| (ii) | distributed | 1 500 | Still in the process of producing |

was R370 000 (inclusive of projected distribution costs of R70 000) and (ii) actual cost was R179 000 (exclusive of distribution costs) and (iii) unit cost of each annual report was R59,35 and (b) the amount of copies (i) produced were 3 000 and (ii) thus far 1 500 copies have been distributed and distribution will be concluded by 30 November 2006.

**Number/cost of annual reports printed/ distributed**

1420. Mr L K JOUBERT (DA) asked the Minister for Justice and Constitutional Development:

In respect of the 2004-05 and 2005-06 annual reports of her department and the annual reports of each statutory and or other entity reporting to her, (a) what was the (i) budgeted costs, (ii) actual cost and unit cost of each annual report and how many copies were (i) produced and (ii) distributed? N1874E

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

The costs associated with the production of the annual reports of my department as well as that of the South African Law Reform Commission and the National Prosecuting Authority are detailed below:

For the financial year 2004-05, my department budgeted R160 000 for the production of its annual report. A total amount of R151 403,05 was spent on its publication. These costs included the design and layout, printing and delivery thereof. One thousand copies were printed and distributed at a unit cost of R151,40 per report.

For the financial year 2004-05, R130 000 was budgeted for the annual report of the South African Law Reform Commission (SALRC). The production costs for this report were R113 920,52. One thousand copies were printed and distributed at a unit cost of R113,92 per report.

The budgeted costs of the National Prosecuting Authority's annual report for the 2004-05 financial year were R350 000. The final costs for the production of this annual report were R224 674,62. This translates to a unit cost of R65. Five thousand copies of the annual report were produced and 4 500 copies distributed. The Communication Unit within the NPA has retained the remainder of the copies for distribution to the public and other stakeholders.

For the financial year 2005-06, my department budgeted R165 000 for the production of its annual report. A total of R156 755,14 was spent on the production of 700 copies that are currently being distributed. The unit cost of each report is R223,93.

With regard to the 2005-06 annual report of the SALRC, R130 000 was budgeted for its production. The document is currently being edited and therefore no indication of the total costs of the document can be given at this point in time. One thousand copies will be printed. Preliminary printing quotations indicate that this project will be within the budgeted amount.

The NPA's budgeted costs for the 2005-06 annual report were R200 000. The actual cost of the production of this annual report was R224 674,62 and the unit cost of each report was R112. Two thousand copies of the annual report have been produced and 1 800 have been distributed thus far. The remainder of the annual reports will be distributed by the Communication Unit within the NPA to the public and other stakeholders.

The Auditor-General has furthermore requested the department to henceforth submit annual reports for the Guardian's Fund, Monies in Trust, the President's Fund and the Criminal Assets Recovery Account. These reports are in the process of being finalised and because they have not been signed off by the Auditor-General, no final production costs on these reports are available at present. Figures pertaining to these reports will be disclosed once these reports have been published.