

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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THURSDAY, 25 JULY 2019

DEPUTY PRESIDENT

★1. Ms V S Siwela (ANC) to ask the Deputy President:

With reference to the context of building the township economy as a vehicle for economic growth and development that is more inclusive and creates job opportunities, how is the Government ensuring that the economy is regulated in a manner that results in investment in the townships? NO1222E

★2. Mr J H Steenhuisen (DA) to ask the Deputy President:

Whether any municipality has been designated as a service delivery hotspot following the findings of the Auditor-General in the Consolidated General Report on the Local Government Audit Outcomes for the 2017-18 financial year; if not, why not; if so, what are the details of the rapid response interventions planned for the specified hotspots? NO1220E

★3. Mr N F Shivambu (EFF) to ask the Deputy President:

Whether he, as the Leader of Government Business in the National Assembly, intends to fast-track any legislation of the Government through Parliament that is currently in the legislative pipeline, which will regulate the establishment of intelligence services in government departments and state-owned entities, where such services are not of the

SA National Defence Force or the SA Police Service, with the view to counter the practice of state institutions establishing intelligence-gathering units without the approval of the President nor on the authority of an Act of Parliament; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? NO1221E

★4. Ms J Tshabalala (ANC) to ask the Deputy President:

With regard to the objectives and terms of reference that underpin the Public Employment Programmes with their multiple functions and purposes, what has been the assessment of the programmes against the primary objective of poverty alleviation and providing work experience? NO1224E

★5. Mr X Ngwezi (IFP) to ask the Deputy President:

Whether, given that the recent figures by Stats SA revealed that the unemployment rate for young persons aged between 15 and 24 years was 55,2% and 31% among graduates and considering that young people make up the largest percentage of our population, he is assisting with urgent interventions to stimulate and support rural and township economy through implementing empowerment models to prevent the doom that the economy is headed for; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? NO1158E

★6. Dr P J Groenewald (FF Plus) to ask the Deputy President:

With regard to his functions to assist with land reform and the coordination of Government programmes to accelerate land reform and agricultural support, what measures is the Government taking to support and assist farmers in the Northern Cape, Eastern Cape and Free State who have suffered tremendous losses as a result of prolonged periods of drought and who are as a result not economically viable and are facing bankruptcy, resulting in job losses and the threat to food security? NO1159E
