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#### **MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

# STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY SAFETY, CULTURAL AFFAIRS AND SPORT

(COMMUNITY SAFETY)

Tuesday, 26 November 2019 (14h00), Committee Room 2, Floor, 7 Wale Street, Cape Town

#### **SAPS 2018/19 ANNUAL REPORT**

#### **Democratic Alliance**

Allen, RI (Chairperson)

Botha, LJ

Bosman, G

# **African Christian Democratic Party**

Christians, FC

# **African National Congress**

Kama, M

Additional

Bans, AP (ANC)

Windvogel, R (ANC)

## **Apology**

An apology was rendered by Member P Marais.

See the attached list for persons in attendance.

#### 1. Welcome

The Chairperson welcomed all and allowed for brief introductions. The South African Police Service (SAPS) was led by Brig P Voskuil.

### 2. SAPS Western Cape 2018/19 Annual Report

The Chairperson tabled the SAPS' 2018/19 Annual Report for the Western Cape. Brig Voskuil led a presentation on the Annual Report. The Committee deliberated on the Annual Report and the SAPS duly responded to questions posed by the Committee.

#### 3. Resolution

The Committee resolved to invite the Office of the Provincial Police Commissioner to discuss Programme 3: Detective Services, at a later date as there was not sufficient time to address matters related to Detective Services during the discussion.

#### 4. Requests

The Committee REQUESTED that the Provincial Police Commissioner provides the following information.

- 4.1. A list of the number of incident reports of poor management for 2018/19.
- 4.2. The number of bullet resistant vests that have been reported lost and/or stolen during 2018/19.
- 4.3. An update on the processes undertaken against the 37 fraud and corruption cases of 2018/19.
- 4.4. A breakdown of the nature of the 24 dishonourable discharged police officers of 2018/19.
- 4.5. An updated breakdown of expenses for financial goods and services for 2018/19.
- 4.6. A breakdown of the processes and timelines for training SAPS detectives.
- 4.7. An indication of the successes and challenges in achieving the SAPS' Mission, as it is reflected in the Annual Report of 2018/19.
- 4.8. An indication of the average docket to detective ratio in the province.
- 4.9. More information on the how the competency of the Forensic Science Laboratories (FSLs), especially the Plattekloof based FSL, is managed. The information should include how the monitoring of success rates of FSL cases are monitored, the monitoring of successful prosecutions linked to the work facilitated by the FSL, as well as relevant reporting lines regarding the competency of the FSL.

## 5. Consideration and adoption of draft documents

The Committee adopted the draft minutes of 1 October 2019, and the draft minutes of 17 October 2019, with amendments.

The Committee adopted the draft report on the Western Cape Police Ombudsman's 2018/19 Annual Report discussion with amendments.

The Committee adopted the draft quarterly reports for April to June 2019 and September to October 2019.

Meeting adjourned at 13:00.

MR RI ALLEN, MPP

CHAIRPERSON: STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY SAFETY, CULTURAL AFFAIRS AND SPORT