

**PARLIAMENT OF THE  
PROVINCE OF THE  
WESTERN CAPE**

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**QUESTION PAPER**

**WRITTEN REPLY**

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Note: \* Indicates translated version.

**FRIDAY, 28 FEBRUARY 2020**

**1. Ms W F Philander to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Human Settlements:**

Whether his Department currently has a plan and the funding to deal with the complete upgrade of the municipal flats in Paarl East; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**2. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Mr D J Maynier, Minister of Finance and Economic Opportunities:**

(a) What is the total amount that has been surrendered to the provincial revenue fund by various departments in (i) 2014, (ii) 2015, (iii) 2016, (iv) 2017, (v) 2018 and (vi) 2019 and (b) of each surrendered amount, how much was allocated to the compensation of employees in each year?

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**3. Ms N D Nkondlo to ask Mr D J Maynier, Minister of Finance and Economic Opportunities:**

With reference to the SMME booster fund with a budget of R21 million for the current financial year that is earmarked for the support of 100 township and rural small businesses that was announced by the Premier in his SOPA 2019:

(a) What is the detailed breakdown of expenditure with an indication of how much has been spent to date, (b) what is the reason for expenditure, (c) provide a list of all the beneficiaries, (d) what are the amounts received, (e) what are the business addresses,

(f) what are the details of directors and (g) what criteria were followed to allocate the funding?

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**4. Mr A Lili to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Human Settlements:**

With reference to the government's Better Living Model Game Changer at the old Conradie Hospital site:

- (1) (a) What is the total budget of the project, (b) what is the duration of the project, (c) what is the detailed breakdown of expenditure for the project, (d) how much has been spent on the project to date and (e) what are the details of the expenditure items;
- (2) whether any housing units have been completed; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**5. Mr M Kama to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

With regard to the deployment of law enforcement officers at crime hotspots in the province as recently announced by the Premier:

- (1) Whether the South Africa Police Service was adequately consulted and if it participated in the process; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether the provincial police commissioner was formally informed of and invited to the launch; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) what informed the deployment of these officers to the identified crime hotspots?

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**6. Mr L L Mvimbi to ask Mr B S Madikizela, Minister of Transport and Public Works:**

With reference to the Premier's proclamation in SOPA 2019 that "for our part, I can announce today that the Western Cape Government will look to match the extent of any national-government-owned land released to be used for the development of housing":

- (1) Whether he can provide a list of all provincial government land that is available for release in accordance with the Premier's announcement; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) what is the motivation behind waiting for the national government before the provincial government releases the land that is desperately needed for integrated human settlement in the province;
- (3) what are the provincial government's plans for integrated human settlements?

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**7. Ms A Bans to ask Ms A J D Marais, Minister of Cultural Affairs and Sport:**

- (1) Whether her Department has details of all the golf courses in the province; if so, (a)(i) what are their addresses, (ii) what are their erf numbers and (b) are they (i) privately owned or (ii) state-owned;
- (2) whether her Department has details of the lease agreements of all the golf courses that are state-owned; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**8. Ms R Windvogel to ask Dr N Mbombo, Minister of Health:**

With regard to health hazards caused by fires at the waste-deposit facilities in Mossel Bay:

- (1) Whether she will institute an investigation into claims that the waste-deposit facilities are health hazards for the community; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) what is the number of patients treated for pneumonia and other illnesses associated with being exposed to the toxic fumes in the area?

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**9. Mr M K Sayed to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

- (1) (a) How many (i) primary schools and (ii) secondary schools are in Mitchells Plain, (b) how many learners are currently enrolled at (i) primary schools and (ii) secondary schools in Mitchells Plain and (c) what is the number and details of the schools that have been built in Mitchells Plain since 2009;
- (2) whether there are any plans to build new schools in Mitchells Plain; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**10. Mr M K Sayed to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

- (a) What is her Department's plans to (i) renovate existing schools and (ii) build new schools in the province in the next five years and (b) what are the (i) names of the schools and (ii) area where the schools will be built?

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**11. Mr M K Sayed to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

Whether any progress has been made with regard to building the Rouxville Primary School; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**12. Mr M Kama to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

With reference to the funding allocation to the Western Cape Safety Plan:

- (1) Whether he can provide a detailed breakdown of expenditure as at 7 February 2020; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) (a) what are the details of the training that the law enforcement officers receive, (b) what is the duration of training, (c) what amount is spent on each trainee for the duration of training and (d) how many officers have completed the training to date?

(38)

**13. Mr A Lili to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Human Settlements:**

- (1) Whether it is permissible by law for councillors to form part of the steering committees of housing projects; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether there are any councillors in the province who form part of the steering committees of housing projects; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) what are the details of the steering committee members of the Heelside Housing Project of the Theewaterskloof Municipality?

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**14. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Human Settlements:**

- (a) What are the details of the steering committee members of the Kosovo Housing Project in Philippi, (b) what is the total number of housing units of this specific project, (c) how many of these units will be allocated to beneficiaries from Kosovo and (d) how many units will be allocated to beneficiaries from Mitchells Plain?

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**15. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

- (1) Whether her Department has a sexual harassment policy; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) what is the turnaround time for departmental investigations of complaints related to sexual harassment?

(41)

**16. Mr D Smith to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:**

- (1) Whether the alleged misconduct involving the member of the mayoral committee for finance of the George Municipality related to the investment of the Municipality's funds with a company called Old Mutual has been brought to his attention; if so;
- (2) whether he will institute an investigation into the alleged misconduct; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**17. Mr B N Herron to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

With reference to her reply to question 2 of 31 January 2020:

What are the names and locations of the schools that do not have their own libraries?

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**PLEASE NOTE: The replies to the questions contained in this Question Paper are due on 13 March 2020. Should the replies not be submitted before or on the deadline, the Members have the right to have the questions transferred to the Question Paper for oral reply in accordance with Rule 206.**