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QUESTION PAPER

WRITTEN REPLY

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FRIDAY, 19 JUNE 2020

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

With regard to the launch of a dedicated digital marketplace that connects businesses that need to purchase personal protective equipment (PPE) with the suppliers and manufacturers thereof:

- (1) What are the details of (a)(i) the suppliers and (ii) the manufactures that have been included in the marketplace and (b) their BBBEE status levels;
- (2) what are the details of the (a) suppliers and (b) manufacturers that have been successfully connected to businesses that need to purchase PPE and (c) value of each purchase;
- (3) whether there is a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content of PPE; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

(280)

2. Mr F C Christians to ask Mr B S Madikizela, Minister of Transport and Public Works:

Whether there has been an increase in alcohol-related road fatalities since the alcohol ban had been lifted; if so, what is he and his Department doing to curb and prevent the increase in alcohol-related road fatalities?

(281)

3. Mr A P van der Westhuizen to ask Dr I H Meyer, Minister of Agriculture:

- (1) (a) Who has been nominated by Western Cape Agriculture to serve on the Ebenhaeser Trust and (b) what is this individual's prior exposure to businesses and trusts;

- (2) (a)(i) how many budgets have been submitted by the Ebenhaeser Trust to his Department for a due diligence analysis and (ii) what were the full sum of the expenditure contained in those budgets and (b)(i) what were the major expense items contained in those budgets and (ii) what amounts have been transferred by the Ebenhaeser Trust to the Community Property Association?

(282)

4. Mr R I Allen to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:

How many (a) illegal and (b) legal firearms were surrendered or voluntarily handed over to the SAPS in the Western Cape during the (i) last amnesty period that ended on 31 May 2020 and (ii) amnesty period in the 2018/19 financial year?

(283)

5. Mr R I Allen to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:

(a) How many parolees were released in the Western Cape since the announcement of the release of parolees during the lockdown period and (b) how many of them have reoffended to date?

(284)

6. Ms W F Philander to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

What assistance has he and his Department been providing to the Drakenstein region, the area worst affected by COVID-19 infections outside the metropolitan area?

(285)

7. Ms W F Philander to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:

(a) How many schools in the Drakenstein region have been affected by COVID-19 positive cases and (b) what was her Department's response in this regard?

(286)

8. Ms W F Philander to ask Dr N Mbombo, Minister of Health:

With reference to the call by unions to close Tygerberg Hospital:

- (1) What were the reasons behind the demand for closure;
- (2) whether the hospital will be closed; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether her Department responded to the claim that the hospital is a "breeding ground for COVID-19"; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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PLEASE NOTE: The replies to the questions contained in this Question Paper are due on 3 July 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.