

**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 AUGUST 2020**

**1. Mr G Brinkhuis to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:**

- (1) Whether her Department can provide a report on school attendance for all the schools in Valhalla Park for all the grades from June 2020 to date; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether her Department receives records of absenteeism; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether her Department receives copies of the letters that parents must sign when learners are absent; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (4) whether her Department can provide statistics of school attendance in the province since June 2020; if so, what are the relevant details?

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**2. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:**

With regard to the City of Cape Town's Strandfontein camp for homeless people and the replies to the questions published in Written Question Paper 24 of 31 July 2020:

- (1) (a) Which service providers were contracted to supply the various services and equipment procured in the amount R48 460 626,19 by the Safety & Security Directorate and (b) what process was followed to award those contracts;
- (2) whether a competitive process was followed (a tender or RFQ); if so, (a) how many bids were received and (b) what are the relevant details;
- (3) how were the successful bidders selected;
- (4) with regard to the procurement of tents for the sum of R43 820 785, what were the specifications of the tender or RFQ or request;

- (5) what process was followed in terms of the Grant-in-Aid Policy to identify the organisations appointed by the City of Cape Town to “deliver services on behalf of Council”;
- (6) how were The Haven Night Shelter, Oasis and Ubuntu selected?

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**3. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:**

- (1) With regard to the City of Cape Town’s Zandvliet water reuse plant, (a) to which company was this project awarded, (b) what is the total budget, (c) what process was followed by the City of Cape Town to award the tender, (d) what other bids were received and (e) how much would they have cost;
- (2) with regard to the City of Cape Town’s Strandfontein desalination plant, (a) to which company was this project awarded, (b) what was the total amount spent by the City on the contract, operations, additional parts and assistance in kind and (c) what was the total volume of water delivered to the City by the Strandfontein desalination plant;
- (3) with regard to the City of Cape Town’s Monwabisi desalination plant, (a) to which company was this project awarded, (b) what was the total amount spent by the City on the contract, operations, additional parts and assistance in kind and (c) what was the total volume of water delivered to the City by the Monwabisi desalination plant?

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**4. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Human Settlements:**

With regard to housing needs in Kalbaskraal in the Swartland Municipality:

- (1) (a) What are the housing plans, if any, for the Kalbaskraal community in the Swartland Municipality, (b) why was the community request for a PHP project, submitted in 2019, rejected and (c) why are residents of Spes Bona being asked to sign a document agreeing to an allocation of “6 roof sheets and 100 safe top nails from approved provincial funds”;
- (2) whether funding will be allocated for formal housing or top structures; if so, (a) what funding, (b) for how many houses and (c) when?

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**5. Mr R D Mackenzie to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

- (1) How many police firearms were (a) stolen in the Western Cape and (b) recovered (i) at the Mitchells Plain police station, (ii) at the Lenteguur police station and (iii) in the Western Cape as a whole in the (aa) 2017/18, (bb) 2018/19 and (cc) 2019/20 financial years;
- (2) (a) how many police officials were charged for losing or misplacing their firearms (i) at the Mitchells Plain police station, (ii) at the Lenteguur police station and (iii) in the Western Cape as a whole in the (aa) 2017/18, (bb) 2018/19 and (cc) 2019/20 financial years and (b) how many officials were (i) dismissed and (ii) found not guilty during the same period?

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**6. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

- (1) (a) What are the (i) granted number and (ii) actual number of SAPS vehicles and (b) what is the number of boarded SAPS vehicles at the Kirstenhof police station;
- (2) (a) what is the average mileage in kilometre of the vehicles and (b) how many operational vehicles are allocated to (i) Vispol, (ii) detectives and (iii) support services?

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**7. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

- (1) (a) What are the (i) granted number and (ii) actual number of SAPS vehicles and (b) what is the number of boarded SAPS vehicles at the Muizenberg police station;
- (2) (a) what is the average mileage in kilometre of the vehicles and (b) how many operational vehicles are allocated to (i) Vispol, (ii) detectives and (iii) support services?

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**8. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:**

- (1) (a) What are the (i) granted number and (ii) actual number of SAPS vehicles and (b) what is the number of boarded SAPS vehicles at the Oceanview police station;
- (2) (a) what is the average mileage in kilometre of the vehicles and (b) how many operational vehicles are allocated to (i) Vispol, (ii) detectives and (iii) support services?

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**PLEASE NOTE: The replies to the questions contained in this Question Paper are due on 11 September 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.**