PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

QUESTION PAPER ORAL REPLY

Note: * Indicates translated version.

THURSDAY, 22 JUNE 2017

INTERPELLATIONS

1. Ms N D Nkondlo to ask Mr A R Winde, Minister of Economic Opportunities:

Whether his Department supports localisation and the promotion of local content as a public procurement approach to build local economies and encourage new and black entrants; if so, how is this approach being implemented by his Department?

(165)

2. Mr R D Mackenzie to ask Ms A J Marais, Minister of Cultural Affairs and Sport:

What is the importance of direct funding of sports organisations to ensure that they are able to support, assist and continue with the development of various or specific sporting codes in their areas?

(166)

3. Ms C F Beerwinkel to ask Dr I H Meyer, Minister of Finance:

Given the fact that both the national and provincial constitutions instruct this Province to put legislation in place to amend a Money Bill, what is he doing to initiate this process?

(167)

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY

Question standing over from Thursday, 4 May 2017, as agreed to by the House:

2. Ms L J Botha to ask Ms H Zille, Premier:

- (1) What support is the Western Cape Government giving to disabled children of the province who are of schoolgoing age but who are not attending school and who are being left to their own devices;
- (2) whether the support is being monitored; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

(107)

Questions standing over from Thursday, 15 June 2017, as agreed to by the House:

1. Ms L J Botha to ask Ms H Zille, Premier:

- (1) Whether the Western Cape Government is in a position to safeguard itself against any cyberattacks; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether the Western Cape Government, during her tenure as Premier, has ever been threatened by a cyberattack; if so, (a) what are the relevant details and (b) how was the attack address?

(135)

*2. Mr P Uys to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:

Whether a high school is being planned for Asla Park, Mossel Bay; if so, what is the date of completion?

(121)

4. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

(a) How many casualties have been reported in the gang war in Avian Park, Worcester, and (b) what has been the intervention from his Department?

(123)

5. Ms C F Beerwinkel to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

(a) Which Alcohol Harm Reduction Programme is his Department implementing in the Swellendam area, (b) from which venue is this programme being run, (c) what does the programme entail and (d) what kind of interventions are implemented where alcohol-abuse-related activities are rife?

(124)

6. Ms C F Beerwinkel to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

Whether there are any neighbourhood watches established in the municipal area of Swellendam; if not, why not; if so, (a) where and (b) how many community members are actively involved in it?

9. Mr B D Kivedo to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

- (1) How many firearms, used in gang activity on the Cape Flats, were given in during the amnesty period;
- (2) whether the establishment of a dedicated special task force, operating under a distinct code name and with the sole responsibility of confiscating illegal firearms, is possible; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

(130)

12. Mr M Mnqasela to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

Whether the tap water provided by Western Cape municipalities is safe for drinking; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

(133)

14. Mr L H Max to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:

With reference to the De Villiers Primary School, Bridgeton, Oudtshoorn:

- (1) Whether there are any plans to replace the structure and/or to relocate the children; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details and by when;
- (2) whether there are any plans to address the cockroach problem; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details and by when?

(136)

15. Mr L H Max to ask Ms D A Schäfer, Minister of Education:

The De Villiers Primary School, Bridgton, Oudtshoorn, in terms of the total number of leaners qualifies for two administrative clerks, as communicated to her Department on 27 March 2017:

Whether there is an intention to provide the school with a second administrative clerk; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details and by when?

(137)

17. Mr R D Mackenzie to ask Mr A R Winde, Minister of Economic Opportunities:

(a) What programmes does his Department have in place to reduce youth unemployment in Mitchells Plain, (b) when last was an event held in Mitchells Plain that highlighted economic opportunities and (c)(i) what assistance is his Department providing to small businesses and entrepreneurs in Mitchells Plain and (ii) how can these services be accessed?

(139)

18. Ms B A Schäfer to ask Mr A R Winde, Minister of Economic Opportunities:

(a) What impact does the cycling economy have on Western Cape tourism and (b) what programmes does his Department have in place to stimulate interest in the Western Cape as an international cycling tourism destination?

New questions:

1. Ms L J Botha to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

(a) How many cases of child rape have been struck off the roll in court between the 2014/15 and 2016/17 financial years and (b) what steps has his Department taken to ensure that these cases are appropriately investigated so that victims are protected and perpetrators convicted?

(154)

2. Mr F C Christians to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

What role is his Department playing to reduce the ongoing gang violence in areas that are considered to be our "red zones"?

(155)

3. Ms C F Beerwinkel to ask Dr I H Meyer, Minister of Finance:

- (1) Whether any youths of Swellendam is included in the Western Cape Financial Management Capacity Building Grant; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) what is the Provincial Treasury doing to encourage and assist the Swellendam Municipality to implement this important empowerment programme?

(156)

*4. Mr D Joseph to ask Dr I H Meyer, Minister of Finance:

Whether there is a link between the new national Minister of Finance and the government's nuclear energy policy; if so, how will it affect the Western Cape?

(157)

5. Ms S W Davids to ask Mr B S Madikizela, Minister of Human Settlements:

- (1) Which consultants and contractors of the Department of Human Settlements made a direct or indirect contribution to the celebration of his birthday in March 2017 at the One & Only Hotel;
- (2) (a) whether Minister Mbombo and his office manager arranged the celebration of his birthday in March 2017 at the One & Only Hotel and (b) who paid for the event?

(158)

6. Ms M N Gillion to ask Ms N Mbombo, Minister of Health:

(a) Which consultants and contractors of the Western Cape Government made a direct or indirect contribution to the celebration of her birthday last year at the Radisson Blue Hotel and (b) who paid for the event?

(159)

7. Mr S G Tyatyam to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

What is his intervention strategy or specific project to prevent crime in hotspots in Nyanga and the surrounding areas, over and above the South African Police Service's interventions or in collaboration with them?

8. Mr R D Mackenzie to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

- (1) (a) What programmes does his Department have in place to keep youths in conflict with the law off the streets and (b) how many churches is his Department funding for youth development in Mitchells Plain;
- (2) whether his Department is funding any neighbourhood watches in Mitchells Plain; if not, why not; if so, how many?

(161)

9. Mr R D Mackenzie to ask Mr D A C Grant, Minister of Transport and Public Works:

- (1) When is Baden Powell Drive between Sunrise Circle and the N2 due for an upgrade;
- (2) whether this road will be receiving any street lighting in the near future; if not; why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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*10. Mr P Uys to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

What progress has been made with the establishment of a regional dumping site in the area of the Eden District Municipality?

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*11. Mr P Uys to ask Mr B S Madikizela, Minister of Human Settlements:

(a) How many houses have been built in the past year in Sonskynvallei, Mossel Bay,(b) what the future planning for the area entails and (c) who are the beneficiaries?

(164)

12. Ms M N Gillion to ask Ms N Mbombo, Minister of Health:

Whether any contracted service providers to her Department with links to top and senior management has been brought to her attention; if so, what are their names and what are the value of the contracts?

(171)

13. Mr S G Tyatyam to ask Mr B S Madikizela, Minister of Human Settlements:

(a) Why the housing projects in Gugulethu and Nyanga East have not been completed after years of construction and (b) how much has been spent of these unfinished projects to date?

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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY RECEIVED BUT NOT PUBLISHED OWING TO LIMITS IMPOSED IN TERMS OF RULES 202(2) AND 202(4)

1. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

- (1) Whether the incident where law enforcement officers allegedly pelted suspects with apples has been brought to his attention; if so,
- (2) whether any disciplinary actions have been instituted; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

2. Ms P Z Lekker to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

Whether his Department has measures in place to prevent the killing of children and young women in the province; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?