PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

QUESTION PAPER

WRITTEN REPLY

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FRIDAY, 1 OCTOBER 2021

1. Mr A P van der Westhuizen to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

With regard to the emission of greenhouse gases in the Western Cape:

- (1) (a) How many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted in (i) 2000, (ii) 2001, (iii) 2002 and (iv) 2003 and (b) what are the relevant details in this regard;
- (2) (a)(i) what are the 10 sectors that contribute the most to the emission of greenhouse gases in the province and (ii) what are the relevant details of each, (b) how many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted by each of these sectors for the same period as in (1)(a), (c)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained increase in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details and (d)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained decrease in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details?

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2. Mr A P van der Westhuizen to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

With regard to the emission of greenhouse gases in the Western Cape:

- (1) (a) How many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted in (i) 2004, (ii) 2005, (iii) 2006 and (iv) 2007 and (b) what are the relevant details in this regard;
- (2) (a)(i) what are the 10 sectors that contribute the most to the emission of greenhouse gases in the province and (ii) what are the relevant details of each, (b) how many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted by each of these sectors for the same period as in (1)(a), (c)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained increase in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details and (d)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained decrease in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details?

3. Mr A P van der Westhuizen to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

With regard to the emission of greenhouse gases in the Western Cape:

- (1) (a) How many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted in (i) 2008, (ii) 2009, (iii) 2010 and (iv) 2011 and (b) what are the relevant details in this regard;
- (2) (a)(i) what are the 10 sectors that contribute the most to the emission of greenhouse gases in the province and (ii) what are the relevant details of each, (b) how many parts per million of greenhouse gases have been emitted by each of these sectors for the same period as in (1)(a), (c)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained increase in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details and (d)(i) which sectors, if any, have demonstrated a sustained decrease in greenhouse emissions and (ii) what are the relevant details?

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4. Mr G Bosman to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:

With reference to the support provided by his Department's Court Watching Brief Unit:

(a) How many (i) gender-based violence and femicide (GBVF) and (ii) sexual-offences-related cases have been (aa) struck off the roll and (bb) delayed since December 2020 in the province, (b) what are the reason for (aa) and (bb), (c) of the cases referred to in (a)(aa) and (a)(bb), how many that have been struck off the roll or that have been delayed can be attributed to unprocessed DNA evidence and (d) what are the other main reasons for cases of GBVF and sexual offences being struck off the roll?

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5. Mr G Bosman to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:

With reference to the provision of South African Police Service (SAPS) resources to prevent and address gender-based violence (GBV):

(a) How many police stations in the eight GBV hotspots in the province have dedicated GBV desks, (b) what services are provided at these desks, (c) of the desks referred to in (a), how many SAPS officers per police station are fully trained to support the desks' operations, (d) how many SAPS officers have undergone victim empowerment training per police station in the province, (e) how does the SAPS determine the quantity of rape kits supplied to police stations and (f) what is the number of rape kits available at each police station in the province?

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

- (1) What was the average police-to-population ratio of the (a) Cape Town metropolitan area and (b) Western Cape in the (i) 2019/20 and (ii) 2020/21 financial years;
- (2) whether these ratios include (a) student constables and (b) support staff; if so, what are the ratios excluding (a) and (b);
- (3) what is the police-to-population ratio of each individual police station in the Cape Town metropolitan area;

- (4) what is the budget allocated to the (a) South African Police Service and (b) province in (i) 2019/20 and (b) 2020/21;
- (5) what was the shortage of police officers in (a) 2019/20 and (b) 2020/21?

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7. Ms L J Botha to ask Mr A T Fritz, Minister of Community Safety:

What is the status of case 157/09/2021 at the SAPS Philippi East (satellite station: Samora Machel)?

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

(a) What was the vacancy rate at each individual South African Police Service (SAPS) station in the province in (i) 2018, (ii) 2019, (iii) 2020 and (iv) 2021 to date and (b) how many officers assigned to a station have left the service as a result of (i) death, (ii) resignation, (iii) dismissal or (iv) any other factors?

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

With reference to the Premier's announcement (weekly digicon, 9 September 2021) that the Western Cape has set a target of fully vaccinating residents 50 years and older against COVID-19, as well as providing at least one dose of the vaccination to 70% of residents between 18 and 49 years of age, by December 2021:

- (1) (a) What progress has been made in this regard and (b)(i) what are the regions with the greatest identified levels of vaccine hesitancy and (ii) how is this being addressed proactively;
- (2) whether community leaders and gatekeepers are being approached to encourage residents to obtain vaccines; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether mobile vaccination sites will operate near voting stations during the upcoming local-government elections; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (4) (a)(i) how are the "boots-on-the-ground drives" determined and (ii) what resources are utilised for these drives, (b) what are the latest details of the Cipla Foundation partnership to deploy vaccination stations in various communities and (c)(i) what plans are in place to increase door-to-door registration campaigns and (ii) how are these determined?

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10. Mr D America to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

With respect to the proposed Sustainable Infrastructure Development and Finance Facility (SIDAFF) Programme:

- (1) (a)(i) At which stage is development of this programme currently and (ii) what are the details of this and (c) when does his Department expect to implement it;
- (2) whether any other local municipalities in addition to those of Saldanha Bay, Swartland, Stellenbosch, the Breede Valley, Overstrand, Mossel Bay, Drakenstein

and George – have indicated their commitment to this programme; if so, what are the relevant details?

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11. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr D G Mitchell, Minister of Transport and Public Works:

- (a) How many members of the executive occupy a provincially owned residence,
 (b) which members of the executive occupy a provincially owned residence,
 (c) where are these residences located,
 (d) what is the market value of each provincial residence,
 (e) what rental is paid by members of the executive and
 (f) what are the costs of (i) domestic and (ii) gardening services for each residence;
- (2) (a) which members of the executive occupy a private residence and (b) what has been the expenditure, since each member has been appointed to the executive, on security upgrades at each private residence?

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12. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr D G Mitchell, Minister of Transport and Public Works:

- (1) Whether the Premier occupies the Premier's residence at Leeuwenhof; if so, (a) what is the market value of this residence, (b) what rental does the Premier pay, (c) what services are provided to the Premier at the residence, (d)(i) what are the monthly or annual operating costs of the residence and (ii) what are the details of the cost, (e) what are the monthly costs for (i) maintenance, (ii) security, (iii) gardening, (iv) housekeeping, (v) entertainment and (vi) groceries;
- (2) whether there are any other services or maintenance undertaken or provided at this residence not listed in (1); if so, what are the relevant details?

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*13. Ms R Windvogel to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

- (1) What are the (a) roles and responsibilities, (b) formal functions and (c) processes of the (i) Executive Mayor, (ii) Speaker and (iii) Municipal Manager respectively at municipalities in light of the Auditor-General's Report on Municipalities as issued;
- (2) whether any official prescript or practice notice was issued to Western Cape municipalities by the Province in light of the abovementioned report; if not, why not; if so, whether a copy of copies can be made available?

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

With reference to the reply to question 7 of 3 September 2021:

- (1) (a) What remedial action was taken to support the learner, (b) what trauma counselling was provided to the victim, (c)(i) what other victim or trauma support was provided to the victim and (ii) what are the detailed steps and timelines of the support provided;
- (2) whether the SAPS was called to the school to arrest the teacher; if not, (a) why not and (b) who made the decision not to call them; if so, who at the school or which WCED official or officials made the call to the SAPS;

- (3) whether medical treatment was provided to the learner; if not, why not; if so, (a) what are the relevant details and (b) who paid for the medical treatment of the learner;
- (4) whether an interdict was sought by her Department against the teacher; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (5) whether her Department decided not to proceed with criminal assault charges against the teacher; if so, (a) who made the decision and (b) why was the decision made;
- (6) how many assault charges has her Department laid against teachers in the period 2016 to 2021?

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

- (1) Whether the case of a learner, whose details has been furnished to her Department for the purpose of her reply, has been brought to her attention; if so,
- (2) whether she and her Department are able to assist with the placement of this learner; if not, why not; if so, how;
- (3) whether learners who are attending junior high schools get admission to the senior high school; if not, what is the admission procedure;
- (4) whether there is an age limit for admission to attend a high school; 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 15 October 2021. 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.