PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE QUESTION PAPER 3/2025 SEVENTH PARLIAMENT THURSDAY, 29 MAY 2025 ORAL QUESTION

INTERPELLATION

3. Mr B N Herron to ask Mr A R Winde, Premier:

With regard to the applications submitted by Ndifuna Ukwazi on behalf of communities occupying public land under the authority of the Western Cape Government, in terms of the State Land Disposal Act, 1961 (Act 48 of 1961), and the Joint Team established by the President of the Republic, which includes the Department of Public Works and Infrastructure, the Department of Human Settlements and the Housing Development Agency (HDA), to engage with the organisation on the applications:

- (1) Whether the Western Cape Government has been requested to attend or to participate in meetings convened by the HDA on behalf of the Joint Team;
- (2) what progress, if any, has been made with the applications that have been made in respect of public land under the authority of the Western Cape Government?

REPLY:

- (1) The Department of Infrastructure informed me that they have not been approached and therefore have not participated in the activities of the Joint Team.
- (2) The applications received, responses and progress, as informed by the information received from the Department of Infrastructure, are detailed in the table below;

No	Date of application	Applicant	Address	Erf numbe r	Township	Total size (m²)	Response to the applicant	Progress to date (26 May 2025)
1	23-Aug- 2023	Housing Assembly: Barcelona Community	43 Fezeka Street, Gugulethu	4740	Cape Town	21,70	The property is allocated to the WCED for educational purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB. The portion must	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.

							first be relinquished before it is considered for disposal.	
2	23-Aug- 2023	Siyahlala Community	Adjacent to Nomsa Mapongwana Primary School	21863	Khayelitsh a	29,48	The property is allocated to the WCED for educational purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB. The portion must first be relinquished before it is considered for disposal.	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.

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3	23-Aug- 2023	Indibano Yabahlali	7 Jula Street, Khayelitsh a	39481	Khayelitsh a	50,667	The property is allocated to the WCED for educational purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB. The portion must first be relinquished before it is considered for disposal.	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.
4	23-Aug- 2023	Social Justice Coalition, the community of Barney Malokoena Section	57 Old Faure Road	544	Cape RD	6,298,29 4	The property is unlawfully occupied.	The property is still unlawfully occupied.
5	23-Aug- 2023	Housing Assembly: Barcelona Community	18 Athwood Road, Newfields	106649- RE	Cape Town	69,050	The property is allocated to the WCED for educational purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB. The portion must first be relinquished before it is considered for disposal.	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.
6	23-Aug- 2023	Housing Assembly: Parkwood Community	226 Plantation Road	177887- RE	Cape Town	537,679	The property is allocated to the WCED for educational purposes and is under	The property is required for the service delivery objectives of the Western Cape

							the control of WCED. The property is required for the service delivery objectives of the Western Cape Government and is therefore not surplus to government requirements	Government and is therefore not surplus to government requirements
7	23-Aug- 2023	Reclaim the City	1 Beach Road	1559- RE	Cape Town	13,976	The property is unlawfully occupied.	The property is still unlawfully occupied.

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1	05-Aug-24	Singabalapha	15 Moray Place Oranjezich t	424, 431, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448 & 2733	Oranjezich †	18,76	The properties have been identified for governmen t purposes and are not surplus to governmen t needs.	The property is required for the service delivery objectives of the Western Cape Government and is therefore not surplus to government requirement s.
2	05-Aug-24	Intlungu Yasematyotyombe ni (IYM)	1 Welcome Zenzile Street, Khayelitsh a	59787	Khayelitsh a	31,17	The property is allocated to the WCED for education al purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB. The portion must first be relinquishe d before it is considered for disposal.	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.
3	05-Aug-24	Intlungu Yasematyotyombe ni (IYM)	85 Maha Street, Khayelitsh a	59786	Khayelitsh a	31,17	The property is allocated to the WCED for education al purposes and is under the control of WCED and the SGB.	The property or portion thereof has not been relinquished by the WCED.

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4	05-Aug-24	Reclaim the City	Corner Milner and Herbert Road, Sea Point	1675 (T/D on Erf 1424 RE)	Sea Point East	1,039	Erf 1675 Sea Point East is not a stand- alone cadastral property and forms part of Erf 1424 Sea Point East which is not surplus to governmen t needs.	The property is required for the service delivery objectives of the Western Cape Government with the remainder being investigated for human settlement developmen t.
5	05-Aug-24	Kraaifontein Community	Old Paarl Road, Bloekombos Marula & Old Paarl Streets	PA732- 19 37255	Paarl RD	9,006	The property is unlawfully occupied. At the time of the illegal occupation, a muchneeded hospital and primary school were planned for the property in addition to the already constructe d Bloekombo s Secondary School.	The property is required for the service delivery objectives of the Western Cape Government and is therefore not surplus to government requirements .
6	05-Aug-24	Housing Assembly: Ruyterwacht	3 Pieter Uys Circle, Ruyterwacht	3008	Goodwoo d	18,31 8	The property is in use and is therefore not surplus to governmen t needs.	This property is not surplus to government requirements .