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QUESTION PAPER

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(Question Day)

QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE TO THE PREMIER (i.t.o. Rule 142(5))

For next Question Day

none

PREMIER'S QUESTION TIME (i.t.o Rule 142)

3. PR007. Ms M S Mashego (EFF) to ask the Premier:

The Automotive Industry Development Centre (AIDC), which is an entity wholly owned by the Gauteng Growth Development Agency (GGDA) is an entity embroiled in a series of allegations about maladministration, corruption, abuse of power and degradation of corporate governance standards with infringements of the Public Finance Management Act as well as the King Code on Good Governance, will the Premier please indicate:

- (i) have you received a letter from a group of concerned internal stakeholders of the AIDC about the range of corruption allegations levelled against some members of the Board of the GGDA and the AIDC, specifically pointing at both chairpersons of both company boards, The Chief Financial Officer of the AIDC, the Chair of the Audit Committee of the AIDC board and the former Chief Executive Officer (Namely: Mr. Mogopodi, Mr Mafumadi, Susan van der Merwe, Ms Doris Dondur, Barlow Manilal and a certain Dr Van Dyk plus another person known as Dineshan Moodley);
- (ii) have you received any other complaints about the AIDC communicated to you in any other format (either than a formal letter) about the former CEO of the AIDC, the current CFO, the Supply Chain manager and department including allegations that they operate and collude together in a corrupt network of fleecing the AIDC along with some spouses alleged to also be involved in the looting and corruption;

- (iii) if your answers are yes to both of the above questions, what have you done materially (outside of rhetoric) about all the allegations indicated there, referring to actions you may have taken over and above those fiduciary actions that may have been taken by the MEC responsible for the Department of Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development- as the MEC is responsible for the GGDA and AIDC;
- (iv) is there any rational explanation that aligns with your “radical” economic programmes to explain your choice to keep the AIDC as a wholly owned subsidiary of the GGDA; and
- (v) are you aware that the AIDC also owns a Non-Government Organisation called AIDC ESDA, which is alleged to still be under the financial control of the former CEO of the AIDC, Barlow Manilal?

3. PR008. Mr P Sindane (EFF) to ask the Premier:

The EFF has on number of occasions and this very same house raised concerns about monies owed by some of the Departments in Gauteng to the financially trouble Emfuleni Local Municipality. The same municipality which has seen its cars repossessed while at the same time its Mayor and Speaker enjoyed rides like some kings and queens driven in luxurious Mercedes benz as if all is well in that municipality, in one of the sittings, the Premier assured the EFF and the House that the matter is being attended to, now with regard to monies owed to Emfuleni Local Municipality by your departments, will the Premier please indicate:

- (i) out of all the department that owed money to Emfuleni since our last question, which departments have since paid (list them);
- (ii) how much each departments owed and how much has been paid;
- (iii) are there departments that still owe Emfuleni money and how much if yes;
- (iv) if yes to question (iii) when will the money be paid; and
- (v) did the Gauteng government enter into any form of settlement with Emfuleni and if yes, please attach the agreement?

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY TO THE EXECUTIVE (i.t.o Rule 138)

(i.t.o Rule 137(4) [♦ ♦ Questions carried over from the previous Question Day]

4. ED011. Mr M Tshwaku (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

In the matter of Pamela Annah Keyise, my niece who collapsed at a Afrikaans Hoer Skool, with the principal not bothering to call the ambulance, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the progress on the inquiry; and
- (ii) when will it conclude its findings?

4. PS007. Mr M Tshwaku (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

On a matter of Buti Mosia, a police reservist that was put on unexplained leave due to appearance on an EFF advert. The man was not aware that he should not have done so and was mistake on his side and wishes to apologise. Can the MEC please:

- (i) engage with the department so that he can be re-instated?

4. ECD,ENV&ARD008. Ms J A Semple (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

With regard to the current severe pollution of diesel fuel in the Swartspruit in Kempton Park, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) who was responsible for the diesel spillage causing pollution;
- (ii) what measures have been taken to hold the responsible person/persons to account;
- (iii) who is paying for the clean-up currently taking place and what are the costs;
- (iv) what measures are in place to ensure such serious pollution risks are prevented in the future; and
- (v) are the relevant current by-laws in Ekurhuleni being enforced?

4. PS008. Mr P Sindane (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Gauteng has seen a lot of protest and especially student's protests under the banner of Fees Must Fall Movement. In this genuine and important struggle, students continue to suffer injuries at the hands of the police. With regard to the deployment of police in all Fees Must Fall protests in Gauteng (since the beginning of the movement), could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many police have been deployed to Wits University alone since the beginning of the Fees Must Fall Movement/protests;
- (ii) how much has been spent by Gauteng police since the beginning of the Fees Must Fall Movement/protest, surely deployment of police comes at a price;
- (iii) why is the MEC not withdrawing the use of the so called rubber bullets during protests;
- (iv) whatever that bullet is made of, it is not 100 percent rubber, something is coated by the rubber so what is it; and
- (v) do you think the police in Gauteng have handled student's protest well and to your satisfaction as the MEC?

4. ECD,ENV&ARD009. Ms M S Mashego (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

An Automotive Industry Development Centre (AIDC), which is an entity wholly owned by the Gauteng Growth and Development Agency (GGDA) is an entity embroiled in a series of allegations about maladministration, corruption, abuse of power and degradation of corporate governance standards with possible infringements of the King Code of Good Governance, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether the MEC is aware of allegations that the AIDC's supply chain management division is alleged to have purchased three vehicles between March and April this year from a company that presented a false SARS tax clearance certificate and that no record of said company's tax registration could be found by SARS and that a preliminary forensic investigation on this matter is available;
- (ii) is the MEC aware that the Board (which has been accused of unhealthy relations with some of the executives inside the AIDC and its Chairperson have imposed a moratorium on recruitment and placement of over 60 vacancies, without any sound reason;

- (iii) do you know about the supply chain division of the AIDC unlawfully installing surveillance CCTV camera equipment in some of its offices using the services of a company called Spytek Surveillance which is further alleged to have been overpaid for the unlawful services; indicating unlawful activities on several fronts by the supply chain in some of the senior management members of AIDC;
- (iv) are you further aware that there is a Board member and Chair of the Audit Committee at the AIDC, by the name of Doris Dondur whose company which is called Doris Dondur Consuting, has recently received R300 000.00 from the AIDC, an act indicative of gross conflict and corruption by a member of the board; and
- (v) is the MEC aware that the former CEO of AIDC, Mr Barlow Manilal is said to still be controlling the finances of an NGO known as AIDC ESDA, which is owned by AIDC?

4. COGTA&HS019. Ms M S Mashego (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Zandspruit in Ward 114 Johannesburg desperately needs houses and sanitation plus water infrastructure is non-existent; seeing as the MEC is responsible for the Cooperative aspect in the Provincial Government, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when will proper houses be built in the ward;
- (ii) how many houses are you able to commit to and over what kind of timeframes;
- (iii) what commitments are you willing to make as far as building houses for qualifying and deserving South African citizens on the same spot as where they already have their shacks erected; and
- (iv) are you aware that there is potentially toxic and polluted water running through a lengthy stretch of the ward?

4. COGTA&HS020. Ms J A Semple (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Further to 5.COGTA&HS0173, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) if he is aware that there is an informal settlement called Freedom Park in Ward 99 in Ekurhuleni;
- (ii) if yes, how many people live in this informal settlement;
- (iii) how many houses will be built to accommodate the people of Freedom Park;
- (iv) where will these houses be built; and
- (v) if no, will there be an in-situ upgrade to this informal settlement?

4. ED012. Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

With regard to Noordgesig Primary School in Soweto, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when did the department realise that the R90 million set aside to rebuild Noordgesig primary school is not enough;
- (ii) what has happened to the R17.8 million contract awarded in November 2014 which the Department claimed was completed in August 2015;

- (iii) why has this school not been prioritised in the R2.6 billion allocated for infrastructure related projects in the 2016/17 financial year;
- (iv) why the department is continuing with repairs of school ablution facilities in September while the commitment was to demolish the school and rebuild it; and
- (v) what is the name of the company who was awarded the contract to rebuild this school?

4. ED013. Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

With respect to the school nutrition tender advertised in July 2016 and the decision to reduce service providers from 600 to 20, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why a decision was made to award contracts to 20 service providers who would then subcontract more than 500 others for ease of management;
- (ii) whether the 20 service providers which were selected conformed to all the necessary criteria;
- (iii) whether the initial 600 contractors will be given first option to continue with their service provision;
- (iv) what monitoring and evaluation processes the Department would institute to ensure that sub-contractors are suitably able to deliver on the programme; and
- (v) whether the MEC is aware of allegations of corruption in the process of awarding the 20 service providers?

4. ED014. Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Further to the findings of 159 forensic reports into misconduct against school principals, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the progress made to date regarding the findings made against principals;
- (ii) what is the progress made at Glenvista High and Parkdale Primary respectively;
- (iii) has the Department conducted follow-ups regarding criminal charges laid based on the forensic reports;
- (iv) why the Department hasn't replied to a series of emails regarding Glenvista on identified misconduct; and
- (v) will there be further steps or does the MEC consider all cases closed?

4. PS009. Ms L Dzimba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With regard to the Lieutenant General: Chief of Police position in Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality can the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what process was followed in advertising the said post;
- (ii) what were the requirements in selecting the suitable candidate;
- (iii) did BA Mahlabe meet all these requirements upon his appointment;
- (iv) why did he then have to approach the Tshwane Metro police Academy to get the required qualification/s after his appointment; and

- (v) may we please be furnished with details of the candidates who made it to the final stage of the selection process and get a brief explanation why they were unsuccessful in their applications?

4. INF004. Ms L Dzimba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

With regard to the abandoned Kathorus Training Centre, can the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much has the Department lost due to the abandoning of the building;
- (ii) what does the Department plan to do with this building?
- (iii) has the Department ever been approached by any Organization to utilise the facility
- (iv) if yes, what was the outcome of the application and what informed it; and
- (v) since the department always prides its self in keeping stock of all governmental infrastructure and avoiding negligence in anyway, can the MEC please indicate on what plan does the department have about this building that has not only turned into a looting ground for steel collectors but has also become a hideout for gangsters thus turning this into a danger zone for the community around?

WRITTEN QUESTIONS FOR ORAL EXPLANATION & TABLING IN THE

HOUSE (i.t.o Rule 141(5) [** Request for extension of time (i.t.o Rule 141(2)) (i.t.o Rule 137(4)

[♦ ♦ Questions carried over from the previous Question Day]

For next Question Day

PREMIER:

5.PR033

Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Premier:

With regard to Ms Namhla Siqaza, the suspended head of the Sports, Arts, Culture and Recreation Department, will the Premier please indicate:

- (i) what was her salary in rands and cents when she was employed by the department;
- (ii) is this the correct salary for a head of department;
- (iii) if not, why not;
- (iv) on what date was her contract of employment as head of department signed;
- (v) is this contract correctly signed by all the necessary parties;
- (vi) if not, why not;
- (vii) whether the Premier will supply me with a copy of the contract;
- (viii) if not, why not;
- (ix) what steps are being taken in connection with any identified irregularities in this contract and the employment of Ms Siqaza; and
- (x) how much in rands and cents has she been paid so far while she is suspended?

MEC FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENT, AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT:

5.ECD,ENV&ARD039 Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

With regard to the proposed Palmietkuilen coal mine

(EIA CNC4065), could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether an application for this mine has been received;
- (ii) if yes to (i), then does the application contain a completed EIA;
- (iii) if yes to (ii), then please provide a copy of this EIA;

- (iv) if no to (ii), then why not;
- (v) whether the impact of AMD and pollution on the local wetlands and rivers has been considered;
- (vi) if yes to (v), then please provide evidence;
- (vii) if no to (v), then why not;
- (viii) whether any appeals have been received in this matter;
- (ix) if yes to (viii), then please provide details; and
- (x) if yes to (viii), then what was the outcome of these appeals?

MEC FOR HEALTH:

5. HL0103. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regard to the South Rand Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the total number of patients waiting for surgery at this hospital;
- (ii) how many patients are there on the various waiting lists respectively (please give separately for each category);
- (iii) in each case in 2) above, approximately how long will they have to wait for the operation (please give separately for each category);
- (iv) what accounts for the long waiting lists and waiting periods;
- (v) how many operations were deferred or cancelled from January 2015 to September 2016;
- (vi) what were the reasons in each case in (v) above for the deferment or cancellation;
- (vii) how many staff are there at this hospital in the various categories (please give separately in each category);
- (viii) how many vacancies are there at this hospital in the various categories (please give separately in each category);
- (ix) why is Dr Ubabukho still listed as a doctor on call when he is currently in Canada; and
- (x) what steps are being to cut the waiting lists and waiting periods?

MEC FOR CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNANCE, TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS:

5. COGTA&HS0179. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to leases by the Emfuleni Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many lease agreements for properties etc. has the Emfuleni Municipality entered into as a lessee;
- (ii) what is the address of each of the properties etc. in (i);
- (iii) what is the name and company registration number of each of the lessors in (i);
- (iv) what are the details of each of the properties etc. in (i) – please indicate purpose, size, etc;
- (v) what is the monthly rental (in rands and cents) for each of the properties etc. in (i);
- (vi) on what date was each lease in (i) signed;
- (vii) on what date does each lease in (i) expire;
- (viii) how many lease agreements for properties etc. has the Emfuleni Municipality entered into as a lessor;
- (ix) what are the details of each of the properties etc in (i) – please indicate purpose, size, etc; and

- (x) what is the monthly rental (in rands and cents) for each of the properties etc. in (i)?

5. COGTA&HS0180. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the Vaal Uprising event in Emfuleni held on 3 September 2016, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) who are the organisers of this event (please provide the name and company registration number of the organisations in question);
- (ii) how many people attended this event;
- (iii) what security provisions were made;
- (iv) how much did the Emfuleni Municipality spend on this event;
- (v) on what grounds was this expenditure made;
- (vi) what were the names and company registration numbers of the service providers or organisations who were recipients of this expenditure; and
- (vi) how much (in rands and cents) was paid to each service provider or organisation respectively?

5. COGTA&HS0181. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to amounts owing to and owed by the Emfuleni Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much (in rands and cents) is currently owed to the Emfuleni Municipality (total debtors);
- (ii) what is the name of each company and organisation in (i);
- (iii) what is the age of these debtors (please indicate 30, 60 and 90+ days);
- (iv) what steps are being taken to recover these outstanding amounts;
- (v) if no steps are being taken, then why not;
- (vi) what engagement has the municipality made with the Gauteng Provincial Government to settle all of their outstanding payments to the municipality;
- (vii) what engagement has the municipality made with the National Government to settle all of their outstanding payments to the municipality;
- (viii) how much (in rands and cents) is owed by the Emfuleni Municipality to service providers (total creditors);
- (ix) what is the name, company registration number of each service provider/creditor in (viii); and
- (x) what is the age of these creditors (please indicate 30, 60 and 90+ days)?

5. COGTA&HS0182. Ms A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the R256 million that was earmarked for the upgrade of informal settlements in Mogale, Randwest and Merafong, but was returned unspent to Treasury, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why was the money returned to Treasury, unspent;
- (ii) was the money paid over to municipalities, who then did not spend it;
- (iii) was the money never paid over to municipalities from the GPG;
- (iv) if no to (iii), then why not;

- (v) for each municipality, what was the individual allocation, which informal areas were earmarked for upgrade and what exactly did the upgrades entail; and
- (vi) what steps are being taken to increase institutional capacity in these municipalities for managing such infrastructure budgets and projects?

5. COGTA&HS0183. Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the moratorium on bulk water supply to developments around Bronkhorstspuit along the N4 corridor, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) which areas are affected by the moratorium;
- (ii) since when was this moratorium put in place;
- (iii) what progress has been made to address the shortage of bulk water supply to areas affected by this moratorium;
- (iv) how many development applications were declined since the moratorium took effect;
- (v) list the type of developments that were applied for;
- (vi) potentially how many jobs could have been created if the shortage of water supply was addressed and the moratorium lifted;
- (vii) what is the future role of Magalies Water in the affected area; and
- (viii) whether adequate budgets have been allocated or not since the moratorium took effect?

5. COGTA&HS0184. Ms R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Asatico Bolt and Tool CC, Asatico Bolt and Tool (Pty) Ltd, Asatico Civil and Construction CC, ASATICO Civil and Construction (Pty) Ltd, Asatico Industrial Supplies CC and Asatico Properties (Pty) Ltd, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) whether the Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs and its entities have ever appointed any of these companies as service providers;
- (ii) if yes to (i), then please indicate the start and finish date of each contract ;
- (iii) if yes to (i), then what service was provided in each contract;
- (iv) if yes to (i), then what was the value (in rands and cents) of each contract;
- (v) if yes to (i), then how much (in rands and cents) has the Department and its entities paid to each company respectively;
- (vi) whether the Department of Human Settlements and its entities have ever appointed any of these companies as service providers;
- (vii) if yes to (i), then please indicate the start and finish date of each contract ;
- (viii) if yes to (i), then what service was provided in each contract;
- (ix) if yes to (i), then what was the value (in rands and cents) of each contract; and
- (x) if yes to (i), then how much (in rands and cents) has the GPT and its entities paid to each company respectively?

5. COGTA&HS0185. Mr P S R Willeburg (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Asatico Bolt and Tool CC, Asatico Bolt and Tool (Pty) Ltd, Asatico Civil and Construction CC, ASATICO Civil and Construction (Pty) Ltd, Asatico Industrial Supplies CC and Asatico Properties (Pty) Ltd, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) whether any municipalities in Gauteng have ever appointed any of these companies as service providers;
- (ii) if yes to (i), then please indicate the start and finish date of each contract ;
- (iii) if yes to (i), then what service was provided in each contract;
- (iv) if yes to (i), then what was the value (in rands and cents) of each contract; and
- (v) if yes to (i), then how much (in rands and cents) has each municipality paid to each company respectively?

5. COGTA&HS0203. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Malokiba trading 58 PTY LTD, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether the company is doing business with Emfuleni local Municipality;
- (ii) if yes, what is the nature of the business;
- (iii) please provide details of contracts if there are any since 2009/2010 financial year to date;
- (iv) how much has been paid to the company since 2009/2010 financial year to date;
- (v) who are the shareholders of the company; and
- (vi) whether the company's rates and taxes account is up to date?

MEC FOR SPORT, RECREATION, ARTS AND CULTURE:

5. SP066. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

With regard to GCRA project/s, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many project/s under GCRA (please indicate budget for each project in this financial year);
- (ii) is there a memorandum of understanding with Department of Roads and Transport regarding K53 project (please provide summary of this memorandum);
- (iii) when will the department finalize the contracts of people who are working in this project;
- (iv) when will this program rolled out to schools;
- (v) how many people employed at GCRA are on contract (please indicate the nature of their contract, whether is 1 year or 5 years);
- (vi) are there any benefits except stipends they receive;
- (vii) is the stipend the same or differs according to service;
- (viii) are there any plans to absorb them permanently; and
- (ix) how long will this project be implemented?

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY TO MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (□□ Indicates New Questions for the Current Week) [♦♦ Oral Questions converted to Written Questions by Resolution of the House] [** Request for extension of time (i.t.o Rule141(5))]

PREMIER:

none

MEC FOR COMMUNITY SAFETY:

- 5.PS053 **Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:**
With regard to accidents on the R513 and Kameelfontein intersection, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) does the department keep records of accidents at the intersection;
 - (ii) if so please provide detailed records;
 - (iii) how much (in rands and cents) has the accidents caused the department or any other department so far
 - (iv) does the department do a traffic count at the intersection during peak times;
 - (v) if not, who does; and
 - (vi) if yes please provide records of the last traffic count that was done at the intersection during peak times?

MEC FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENT, AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT:

none

MEC FOR EDUCATION:

- 5.ED080 **Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**
With regard to School Libraries, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) whether all public ordinary schools have functioning and fully stocked and equipped liabraries;
 - (ii) if no to (i) then why not and what steps are being taken to address this matter;
 - (iii) if no to (i) then please provide a list of all schools who do not have functioning and fully stocked and equipped libraries (please indicate their name and location);
 - (iv) how many schools do not have a functioning library; and
 - (v) how much is this as a percentage of the total of public ordinary schools?
- 5.ED081 **Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**
With regard to O.R Tambo Secondary School in Katlehong, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) has the Principal been replaced by a new one in the current school calendar or previous school calendar year;
 - (ii) if so, what were the reasons;
 - (iii) who is the new principal; and
 - (iv) when was he/she appointed?

- **5.ED082** **Mr A N Sarupen (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**
 With regard to the provision of a bursary from the Department to Mr Mcebo Dlamini, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) when was this bursary first granted to Mr Dlamini;
 - (ii) what was the total amount of this bursary to date;
 - (iii) what did the bursary cover;
 - (iv) what assessment criteria did the department use to assess this application;
 - (v) how did Mr Dlamini's application compare to the assessment criteria;
 - (vi) is the department committed to social cohesion and non-racialism;
 - (vii) if so, why did the department continue to fund Mr Dlamini for tertiary education after he expressed his admiration for Adolf Hitler and refused to retract these remarks;
 - (viii) does the MEC support the views and opinions of Mr Mcebo Dlamini in relation to Adolf Hitler;
 - (ix) did Mr Dlamini's membership of the ANCYL and SASCO have any bearing on his receiving a bursary from the department; and
 - (x) is there special treatment to ANC members in receiving bursaries allocated by the department?
- **5.ED083** **Ms R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**
 With regard to English medium High Schools in Kempton Park, would the MEC please indicate;
- (i) how many students have applied for grade 8 for the 2017 year;
 - (ii) how many English medium high schools are there in wards 13, 15, 16, 17, 25, 91, 101, 104 (Kempton Park suburbs) in Ekurhuleni;
 - (iii) please list the capacity of each of the above schools for grade 8 for 2017;
 - (iv) how many English medium primary schools are in the same ward;
 - (v) how many learners are in grade 7 in the 2016 year in the above schools;
 - (vi) how many students of those who have applied will be accommodated in the above schools;
 - (vii) does the department have plans to assist learners who do not get space;
 - (viii) if yes, please provide details of plans;
 - (ix) if not, why not; and
 - (x) are there plans to build additional high school /schools in the Kempton Park suburbs (above mentioned wards)?
- **5.ED084** **Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**
 With regard to contracts for goods procured and services rendered with a transaction value of above R500 000 awarded without adhering to Treasury Regulations, will the MEC please indicate;
- (i) how many service providers who consecutively benefited from this practice since 2014 to date;
 - (ii) please list the names of the companies who benefitted;
 - (iii) are these companies owned by employees of Gauteng Provincial Government or their relatives;

- (iv) how much in total was spent on contracts awarded since 2014 to date;
- (v) what is the department doing to avoid violating Treasury Regulations as reported on annual report by the Auditor General; and
- (vi) has the department suspected any corrupt practice as a reason to award contracts to services providers who don't meet requirements like tax clearance certificate etc?

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5.ED085**Mr N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:**

With regard to registration of independent schools, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many unregistered schools known by the department are operating in Gauteng;
- (ii) how many applications submitted to the department but not responded to;
- (iii) what are the main reasons the Amazing K, Heron Academy, North American International School, Aerospace Leadership Academy and Arvanitis independent schools (please give reasons for each school separately);
- (iv) is the department aware that some of these schools if not all have no Health Permit, Health Certificate and Occupancy Certificate;
- (v) if the department is aware, what has been done to help these schools to comply with necessary regulations and get registered;
- (vi) when will the department register these schools;
- (vii) what is the turn-around time to register an independent schools;
- (viii) what has the department done to inform parents about all registered and unregistered independent schools; and
- (ix) how many applications are awaiting for approval?

MEC FOR FINANCE:

none

MEC FOR HEALTH:

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5. HL0100.**Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**

With regard to the operating theatres at the Thelle Mogoerane Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what are the regulations concerning disinfection and sterilization of operating theatres;
- (ii) were these regulations followed in all respects since the opening of this hospital;
- (iii) if not, in what respect were they deficient and what has been done to rectify the deficiencies;
- (iv) how many of the operating theatres have been closed this year because of concerns about measures to ensure disinfection and sterilization;
- (v) what were the dates on which the theatres were closed and then reopened;
- (vi) how many cases have there been of infection in patients that was suspected or attributed to conditions in the operating theatres;
- (vii) what was the identified nature of the infections;

- (viii) in how many cases did such infection contribute to the death of patients;
- (ix) approximately how many operations were cancelled or deferred because of the recent closure of the theatres; and
- (x) what steps are being taken to ensure that the theatres meet the standards required in terms of disinfection and sterilization?

**** 5. HL0102. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**

With regard to acting positions at the Chris Hani Baragwanath Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the policy on acting appointments;
- (ii) how many staff are currently in acting positions at this hospital;
- (iii) which positions currently have a staff member in an acting position;
- (iv) in the case of each position in (iii) above, on what date was the acting appointment made;
- (v) in the case of each position in (iii) above, on what date was the position for a permanent position advertised;
- (vi) in the case of each position in (iii) above, what is the cause of any delay in appointing a permanent employee;
- (vii) in the case of each position in (iii) above, when is it anticipated that an appointment will be made;
- (viii) in the case of each position in (iii) above, what is the effect on operations;
- (ix) what positions are vacant but have not been filled by an acting appointment; and
- (x) why are these positions vacant without an acting appointment being made?

5. HL0104. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regard to deaths of babies at the Chris Hani Baragwanath Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many babies died in 2013, 2014 and 2015 respectively (please give separately for each year);
- (ii) how many babies have died from January to October this year or whatever is the latest date for which statistics are available;
- (iii) in each case in (i) and (i) above, what was the cause of death;
- (iv) in which cases in (i) and (ii) above has negligence been established or suspected as a cause of death;
- (v) in each case of negligence identified above, what action was taken;
- (vi) if not, why not;
- (vii) what accounts for any trends in baby deaths at this hospital;
- (viii) what posts are vacant in the neo-natal department (please give the number of vacant posts for each vocational category);
- (ix) what equipment shortages are there in the neo-natal department (please give numbers in each category); and
- (x) what steps are being taken to address the staff and equipment shortages?

5. HL0105. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regard to allegations of corruption reported on the National Anti-Corruption Hotline (NACH) will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many such allegations were referred to the department by the Public Service Commission (PSC) since January 2015 to date;
- (ii) in each case in (i) above, what was the nature of the allegation;

- (iii) in each case in (i) above, at which hospital, clinic or directorate did the allegation refer;
- (iv) in each case in (i) above, on what date was it referred to the department by the PSC;
- (v) in each case in (i) above, what was the outcome of the department's investigation;
- (vi) in each case in (i) above, on what date was the outcome communicated to the PSC;
- (vii) in which of the cases in (i) above has the PSC not yet been responded to;
- (viii) what response has been given to the PSC for the cases with the reference number 9920160219093430 and 9920151124113111;
- (ix) what accounts for any delays in finalising investigations and responding to the PSC; and
- (x) what steps are being taken to speed up investigations in this matter?

5. HL0106. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regard to labour relations disputes that have gone to court, bargaining council, CCMA or arbitration, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many labour relations cases has the department had to defend in court, bargaining council, CCMA or arbitration since January 2014 to date;
- (ii) in each case in (i), what was the name(s) of the other party;
- (iii) in each case in (i) above, what was the nature of the case;
- (iv) in each case in (i) above, what was the outcome;
- (v) in each case in (i) above, how much was paid out in rands and cents in terms of the court order or ruling;
- (vi) in the case of the six employees from the Odi ambulance station who won their case, why has the department not complied with the order to reinstate them;
- (vii) what accounts for the failure of the department to win cases; and
- (viii) what steps are being taken to ensure that clear losing cases are conceded before needlessly being referred to another body for a ruling?

□□ **5. HL0107. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**

With regard to Cuban doctors practicing in Gauteng hospitals and clinics, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what assessment has been done of the work performance of the Cuban doctors;
- (ii) what complaints have been received;
- (iii) what is the assessed competency of the four Cuban doctors working at the Bheki Mlangeni Hospital;
- (iv) on what date did they arrive to work at the hospital;
- (v) what further training or course have they been sent on;
- (vi) why was this training not done before they saw patients at the hospital;
- (vii) what further training has been provided this year to all doctors from Cuba who work in Gauteng hospitals and clinics;
- (viii) how many of these doctors have gone on this further training;
- (ix) why were any Cuban doctors not required to undergo this training before they were assigned to work in hospitals and clinics; and
- (x) what steps are being taken to ensure that they have the language and medical skills to work in a South African hospital?

- **5. HL0108. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**
- With regard to contracts worth R500 000 and over by the Department, will the MEC please indicate:
- (i) how many contracts worth R500 000 and over were awarded by the Department in the 2014/15 and 2015/16 financial years respectively;
 - (ii) how many of the contracts in (i) above did not go through a competitive bidding process despite the National Treasury requirement that all contracts above R500 000 go through a competitive bidding process;
 - (iii) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, what were the names and company registration details of each of the service providers;
 - (iv) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, what was the reason why it did not go through a competitive process (please give separately for each case);
 - (v) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, what was the value in rands and cents in each case (please give separately for each case);
 - (vi) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, what services were to be delivered in terms of each contract (please give separately for each case);
 - (vii) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, how much in rands and cents has been paid to each of the service providers (please give separately for each case);
 - (viii) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, which services were not delivered on time and according to budget (please give separately for each case);
 - (ix) in the case of each contract that did not go through a competitive process, in which case did an alternative supplier have to be brought in because of non-delivery by the original supplier (please give separately for each case); and
 - (x) what steps are being taken to ensure that all contracts above R500 000 go through a competitive process as required by National Treasury?

- **5. HL0109. Mr J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**
- With regard to patient queues at the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Academic Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:
- (i) what are the current assessed waiting periods for medicine, to receive a file, to see a doctor, at outpatients, and at casualty respectively (please give separately for each category);
 - (ii) what trends can be observed in this regard;
 - (iii) what accounts for long queues and waiting periods; and
 - (iv) what steps are being taken to cut down long waiting times and queues at this hospital?

MEC FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT:**5. INF047. Mr A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:**

With regard to the recent visit of the Portfolio Committee to the Vaaldam Nature Reserve, where the committee found locked ablution facilities, broken infrastructure, stripped and illegally occupied buildings, broken fencing and people using the 'facilities' without paying, would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the history of the project (including dates, details of the farm on which the buildings exist, how the property came to be owned by the Gauteng government, the provincial departments responsible, the original budgeted cost of the project, the reasons for the abandonment of the project and the lack of maintenance of the facility by DID;
- (ii) it is alleged that part of the property opposite the dam was leased to a farmer for grazing of animals. If yes, what is the current status of this portion of the property;
- (iii) does a contract exist between DID or its predecessor in law, and the University of Johannesburg (formerly RAU) for the leasing of a portion of the property (The 'island') for scientific research;
- (iv) if yes, provide all the critical terms of the contract as well as a copy of the contract;
- (v) does DID employ any staff who collect money at the entrance to the facility and are there any processes in place to ensure that such funds collected make their way into DID's banking accounts; and
- (vi) are there any legal obstructions to the facility being maintained and put to its intended economic use;
- (vii) if yes, what are the legal impediments; and
- (viii) if no, what are DID's plans for this abandoned project?

MEC FOR CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNANCE, TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS:**5. COGTA&HS0203. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

With regard to Malokiba trading 58 PTY LTD, will the MEC please indicate:

- (vii) whether the company is doing business with Emfuleni local Municipality;
- (viii) if yes, what is the nature of the business;
- (ix) please provide details of contracts if there are any since 2009/2010 financial year to date;
- (x) how much has been paid to the company since 2009/2010 financial year to date;
- (xi) who are the shareholders of the company; and
- (xii) whether the company's rates and taxes account is up to date?

5. COGTA&HS0204. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Title deeds in Emfuleni, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many title deeds have been issued since the 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 financial years;
- (ii) in percentages what is the backlog in issuing title deeds for the financial years in (i);

- (iii) please provide the breakdown for title deeds allocation in Evaton, Sebokeng, Sharpeville, Bophelong and Tshirela;
- (iv) whether the Emfuleni Local Municipality have any plans in place for the fast tracking of the delivery of title deeds; and
- (iv) what are the challenges facing the Emfuleni Local Municipality in delivering title deeds to residents?

5. COGTA&HS0205. Mr M H Cirola (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Take Shape Properties, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the nature of the contract with Take shape Properties and the Department;
- (ii) how many other agreements have been entered into with the service provider;
- (iii) what is the budget allocation for projects entered into with the service provider;
- (iv) what plans are in place with the service provider for inner city renewal projects;
- (v) whether the department is entering into a public-private partnership with the Take Shape Properties;
- (vi) who are the board members of Take Shape Properties; and
- (vii) what is the company registration number for Take Shape Properties?

5. COGTA&HS0206. Ms R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Metro Police members completing their training at the Ekurhuleni College, will the MEC please provide details on;

- (i) the report of the total members completing their training for the last 5 years;
- (ii) the cost per year to train the members for the last 5 years;
- (iii) the appointment of the members before training per precinct for the last 5 years;
- (iv) how many members completed their training in Ekurhuleni and resigned after the training;
- (v) when members resign, are they asked to pay back any monies to Ekurhuleni for their training;
- (vi) a report of members who did pay back and when they resigned;
- (vii) how long is the training program for Ekurhuleni members;
- (viii) how many of the members completing training have been absorbed into other municipalities;
- (ix) a report of how many resignations from Ekurhuleni and how many were absorbed in each of the other municipalities; and
- (x) salary codes comparison for each of the municipalities in Gauteng?

5. COGTA&HS0207. Mr L More (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Millions of Rands pumped in the Keditseleane Cultural Village in Katlehong in the past 10 Years to date, could the MEC indicate:

- (i) how much has Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality pumped into Keditseleane Cultural Village in the past 10 years to date;
- (ii) what was such funding for;

- (iii) is the facility still in use;
- (iv) if no why;
- (v) if no, does the MEC find value in what has been spent to the multi million rand facility; and
- (vi) how many active jobs in the Keditseleane Cultural Village are currently existing?

5. COGTA&HS0208. Ms A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Further to question 5.COGTA&HS0165, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much money has been received from each department to assist in the relief of water crisis in Merafong;
- (ii) how much money has been received from the National Department of Water and Sanitation;
- (iii) how much money has been made available from the disaster fund;
- (v) when will this funding be made available;
- (vi) what were the outcomes of the Geotechnical Investigations in to the dolomite in Merafong;
- (vii) what steps have been take following these findings;
- (viii) what long term plans are there to address the water issues in Merafong (please provide timelines); and
- (ix) who will be in charge of the project to improve the water infrastructure in Merafong?

5. COGTA&HS0209. Mr M H Cirola (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the former MEC undertaking to grant ownership and issue title deeds to the residents of Geluksdal/Uniavile, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether each of these processes has taken place;
- (ii) if so how many title deeds have been issued and to whom;
- (iii) if not, explain and give reasons;
- (iv) if no progress has been made when is it intended to commence and complete the process; and
- (v) how many residents will receive title deeds?

5. COGTA&HS0210. Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Cooperative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the Minimum Competencies set out by National Treasury for Municipal Managers (MMs) and Chief Financial Officers (CFOs) in municipalities in Gauteng, would the MEC please provide information on the following:

- (i) what are the levels of experience of all MMs and CFOs in all local, district and metro municipalities in the province;
- (ii) how has the 2016 local government elections affected the appointment of MMs and CFOs in all local, district and metro municipalities in the province;
- (iii) where any service delivery gaps left due to reasons provided in (ii);
- (iv) what measures are in place to mitigate the hampering of service delivery in local, district and metro municipalities with

- vacancies in positions mentioned in (i);
- (v) are there any resolutions forthcoming from National Treasury and the National COGTA department on extension of deadline for MMs and CFOs who do not meet minimum competency requirements, as the MEC is aware that the deadline has passed on the 30 September 2015?

MEC FOR ROADS AND TRANSPORT:

5. TR049. Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to the Van der Hoff road R514 up to the border with North West province, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether the department is aware of the uneven surface of Van der Hoff road (R514) over the Swartspruit bridge, and that motorists have to decrease their speed to at least 40kmph in order not to lose control of their vehicles;
- (ii) if not , when can a site visit be arranged to familiarise the Department with the dangerous situation at mentioned location;
- (iii) what the future plans for the improvement of Van der Hoff road is in terms of the following: Slipways for buses and taxis along the R514, Maintenance of the road reserve along the R514, entrance from Van Der Hoff road into Swacina park small holdings where residents used their own funds to tar the entrance to their suburb and the reduction of speed limits on Van der Hoff where roads connect to Van der Hoff as a result of new housing developments in the area;
- (iv) if the new freeway planned in phase B of the Gauteng Freeway Improvement Project (PWV9) that might include a southern expansion of the Mabopane freeway up to the R55 is still on track and if not please explain status quo of this project; and
- (v) how the department intend to address the large volumes of freight transport on the R514, daily?

5. TR051. Mr J de Goede (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to the reported completion of the feasibility study for the expansion of the Gautrain network, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether the study is now in the public domain;
- (ii) if not, when it will be available;
- (iii) what the timetable is for circulation of the study to members of the Portfolio Committee for Roads and Transport; and
- (iv) whether the public participation process timeline has been established?

5. TR052. Mr J de Goede (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to The National Road Traffic Act of 1996, which stipulates that the holder of a foreign driving licence may use the licence for a limited period before being obliged to exchange it for a South African licence, could the MEC please indicate

- (i) what exact period is provided for in the Act, during which a foreign driving licence is regarded as valid in South Africa;
- (ii) whether in fact the holder of the foreign licence is obliged to undergo the full driving test to obtain a South African licence or whether such a licence is simply issued on application; and

- (iii) whether all licencing authorities and law enforcement agencies in Gauteng are aware of the position regarding foreign driving licences?

5. TR055. Dr N G Campbell (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to plant owned by the GDRT, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many items of heavy plant, including graders, heavy trucks, road marking machines, bitumen laying machines, tractors, forklifts, bulldozers, trench digging machines, front and back mechanical hoes or any other items of heavy plant does the GDRT own, if any;
- (ii) what is their value on your books; and
- (iii) under which heading are they reported in the Department's budget and Annual Report?

□□ **5. TR056. Mr J de Goede (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

With regard to media reports of the slow rate of roll-out of the Bus Rapid Transit systems in Gauteng Metros, notably Tshwane and Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate;

- (i) whether the Department of Roads and Transport has conducted an investigation into the delays in BRT construction in the Metros in question;
- (ii) if no, what is the reason;
- (iii) if yes, what are details of the findings of such an investigation;
- (iv) whether, in light of the considerable budget allocated to BRT projects by the National Department of Transport, the latter has been engaged on this issue by the MEC or his Department;
- (v) if yes, what is the view of the NDOT regarding the reported slow progress; and
- (vi) whether the Department of Roads and Transport formulated its own suggested solution for this problem?

□□ **5. TR057. Ms A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Further to 5.TR047 regarding the increase of traffic volumes on the R513 and Kameelfontein intersection, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how long has the intersection on the R513 and Kameelfontein been operational without traffic signals;
- (ii) are there rules governing/guiding installations of traffic signals at intersections;
- (iii) if yes; please provide the guidelines
- (iv) if not; is the department considering putting guidelines in place outlining how much traffic at an intersection is considered a lot to install traffic signals; and
- (v) given the high number of accidents and the increase in traffic volumes, why is the department still not considering installation of traffic signals on the R513 and Kameelfontein intersection?

- **5. TR058. Dr N G Campbell (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**
- With regard to 'speed-bumps', could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) whether the GDRT constructs (or employ contractors to construct) speed bumps on provincial roads;
 - (ii) if 'yes' what design is used for this construction;
 - (iii) are there standards designs set down in law for the construction of such speed bumps and if 'yes' where are the specifications to be found;
 - (iv) if 'no' what reasons informs your decision not to use such bumps especially in urban areas;
 - (v) is the underlying road penetrated during the construction of such bumps;
 - (vi) what warning signs or road markings are required in law to indicate the presence of speed bumps; and
 - (vii) do your bumps show signs of subsidence after some use and if 'yes' what is the reason for such collapse?
- **5. TR059. Dr N G Campbell (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**
- With regard to advertising boards alongside/on provincial roads, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) what National or Provincial Act controls the erection of advertisements/ hoardings alongside/on provincial roads;
 - (ii) does the Department comply with the terms of the controlling act or has some amendment or amelioration of the terms of the act been condoned;
 - (iii) if it has been condoned what persuaded the Department to change from the act;
 - (iv) to whom are applications made for the erection of advertising hoardings, to what address and how much is the application fee and on-going costs in Rands (if any);
 - (v) what are the basic requirements for erection of hoardings on the road verge, road reserve and on adjacent private property;
 - (vi) what is the turn-around time for approval or denial of these applications;
 - (vii) is there an officer who deals with illegally erected advertisements and what are his or her contact details;
 - (viii) are you aware of the illegal advertisement on the R82 opposite the Eaglesnest Estate? If you are, what are you doing about it; and
 - (ix) is there an application for the erection of a hoarding 300m off the intersection of the R513 and the Kameelfontein Road intersection for the Gabbata Lodge being processed at present?
- **5. TR060. Dr N G Campbell (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**
- With regard to settled claims against the Department for damage sustained to vehicles due to the poor condition of provincial roads over the past 3 years, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) how many cases did the GDRT win and how much, in Rands and cents was thereby saved;
 - (ii) how many cases did the GDRT lose and how much, in Rands and cents was awarded to claimants;

- (iii) how much, in Rands and cents did legal fees amount to for cases won;
- (iv) how much, in Rands and cents did legal fees amount to for cases lost;
- (v) from which programme and budget line are claims paid; and
- (vi) from which programme and budget line are legal fees paid?

MEC FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

5. SD039. Ms R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:

With regard to staff who were employed under former MEC Bopape, would the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many employees were employed when she was an MEC (please indicate their positions);
- (ii) are there any employees who have lost their jobs since she left the department;
- (iii) if not, are they absorbed in other departments;
- (iv) if yes, what are the reasons for them losing their jobs; and
- (v) are you aware that some are unemployed since the departure of former MEC?

□□ **5. SD040. Ms R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:**

With regard to Rearabilwe Centre in Tshwane, would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when were the original construction project and completion dates for expanding the existing building planned;
- (ii) what was the original budget amount versus the final costs for this construction project;
- (iii) which construction company was used for this project;
- (iv) which company performed the geological site investigation for this project;
- (v) what was the outcome of the original geological site investigation?
- (vi) was the original investigation report taken into consideration when preparing the foundation of the new building;
- (vii) what was discovered by the construction company as they were preparing the foundation;
- (viii) based on the findings during construction, were there any penalties for the geological site investigation company;
- (ix) if yes, please provide details; and
- (x) if not, why not?

MEC FOR SPORT, RECREATION, ARTS AND CULTURE:

5. SP067. Mr L More (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

With regard to Millions of Rands pumped in the Keditseleane Cultural Village in Katlehong in the past 10 Years to date, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much has the department of Sports, Recreation, Arts and Culture pumped into Keditseleane Cultural Village in the past 10 years to date;
- (ii) what was such funding for;

- (iii) is the facility still in use, if not why not;
- (iv) if not, does the MEC find value in what has been spent to the multi million rand facility;
- (v) how many Cultural activities/ events have taken place in this government funded project in the current financial year; and
- (vi) how many active jobs in the Keditseane Cultural Village are currently existing?

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5. SP068. Mr M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

With regard to OR Tambo Games 2016, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) did Emfuleni and Sedibeng municipality participate at the Games;
- (ii) how much was spend by both Municipalities on goods and services;
- (iii) where were these Goods and services procured;
- (iv) did these municipalities follow the normal tender process in appointing service providers; and
- (v) if no to (iv), how were these service providers appointed?

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