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#### GAUTENG PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

# **QUESTION PAPER**

Tuesday, 01 March 2022 (Not a Question Day)

#### QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE TO THE PREMIER (i.t.o. Rule 138(5))

For next Question Day

none

#### PREMIER'S QUESTION TIME (i.t.o Rule 138)

For next Question Day 3.PR001

Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Premier:

Regarding lifestyle audits on Members of the Executive, could the Premier please indicate:

- (i) by when (date) will these lifestyle audits be concluded;
- (ii) if they are concluded, why have they not been released;
- (iii) why has the Premier not taken the public into his confidence by explaining why there are delays in making these reports public;
- (iv) if these reports have been finalised, has there been any adverse findings against Members of the Executive; and
- (v) if yes, which Members and what were the findings?

3.PR002

#### Hon. M Gana (DA) to ask the Premier:

Regarding 'Operation Dudula Movement' that has been terrorising and chasing out foreign Nationals in Gauteng townships, could the Premier please indicate:

- (i) has the Premier been furnished with intelligence report on the operation of this movement in Gauteng;
- (ii) has the Province formulated a response to this movement, if so, please indicate what the response entail;
- (iii) from the assessment of the province, what are the economic and safety consequence of the actions of Operation Dudula movement; and
- (iv) what is the correct characterization of this movement?

3.PR003

#### Hon. F Hassan (ANC) to ask the Premier:

Noting the Office of the Premier's role is providing strategic leadership and direction to government and society, and that all departments report to the office, can the Premier indicate:

- (i) if the Office of the Premier has a system of monitoring and evaluating departmental performances, if so, is the system able assist departments to adhere to their Annual Performance Plans;
- (ii) how does the system improve service delivery to the people of Gauteng; and
- (iii) is the office of the Premier able to, through the monitoring and evaluation system identify departments that are performing poorly and intervene and what interventions does the office implement?

#### QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY TO THE EXECUTIVE (i.t.o Rule 134)

(i.t.o Rule 133(4) [♦ ♦ Questions carried over from the previous Question Day] **For next Question Day** 

4.PS001

## Hon. A D W Alberts (VF-Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

On the 02 February 2022, while on an Oversight Visit, the Safety Committee for Gauteng was appalled to hear that the SAPS at Norwood Police Station has lost more than 175 firearms since 2014. 134 exhibit firearms and 41 amnesty firearms.

What the SAPS neglected to state was that this was not the first time and it has happened before. See article IOL

https://www.iol.co.za/amp/news/south-africa/gauteng/norwood-sapsstation-commander-steps-down-after-158-firearms-stolen-from-evidenceroom-dcd64b0a-b0b6-44dc-ae81-a03ba72aa085

In light of the above-mentioned gross negligence and apparently clear corrupt activities at the Norwood Station the question arises: Can the MEC indicate:

- (i) what is the state of other police stations;
- (ii) the Freedom Front Plus formally would like to request a full audit on all police stations in Gauteng and their 13 store rooms; and
- (iii) further that the findings be reported to the Gauteng Legislature for public scrutiny?

## 4.HL001 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what departments at this hospital are still closed;
- (ii) what is the latest assessment as to when each of the departments in (i) above will be fully open;
- (iii) what accounts for delays in opening all the departments, including the Accident and Emergency Department;
- (iv) what is the latest assessment as to when the fire-damaged sections of the hospital will be repaired; and
- (v) what steps are being taken to speed up the full re-opening of the hospital?

# 4.TR001 Hon. M F Ledwaba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regards to the "establishment of a single integrated and inter-modal; reliable; safe; and affordable public transport system across the Gauteng City region", would the MEC please respond to the following questions:

(i) does the Gauteng City Region have a single ticket system for all modes of transport by the end of 2019/2020 financial year as per

- (ii) when is it envisaged that a single ticket system would be implemented and operational in the Gauteng City Region (in your response please indicate realistic implementable timeframes for record purposes);
- (iii) how much, in Rand and cents, would a single ticket system cost for the entire province (in your response please provide an estimate for each of the five corridors);
- (iv) how much to date has the department spent towards establishing this single ticket system; and
- (v) would the MEC and the department apologise on behalf of the Premier for having misled the residents of Gauteng, and by extension, the citizens of the country who watched live broadcast of SOPA, about implementing this system by the end of 2020?

### 4.PS002 Hon. N D Radebe (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

In light of the testimony from the SA Police Service (SAPS) Commissioner in the SA Human Rights Commission hearings, who admitted that police were understaffed and lacked the intelligence to deal with the modus operandi used' to organise protests, will the MEC respond to the following:

- what plans has the department put in place to make SAPS more protest ready in future, given the lessons learnt from the July 2021 riots that took place in Gauteng;
- what are the full, relevant details and update on the recent robbery at the Norwood Police Station where 158 firearms were stolen from the evidence room;
- (iii) what is the relevant information on the statistics relating to robberies that target police firearms and ammunition in the Province in the past 10 years; and
- (iv) if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

# 4.PS003 Hon. N D Radebe (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Since the announcement of the 30 hotspots of gender-based violence (GBV) on 22 September 2020 and the commitment to have dedicated GBV desks at police stations, will the MEC respond to the following:

- (i) what number of dedicated GBV desks are currently operational at police stations as at the latest specified date for which information is available;
- (ii) what is the detailed roll-out plan of the GBV desks at police stations(i) within the 30 hotspots and (ii) across the Regions;
- (iii) what is the total number of satellite police stations in the province; and
- (iv) what plans does the department have in place to ensure that the specified satellite police stations are turned into permanent police stations with their own commanders?

# 4.HL002 Hon. C Mabala (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regards to all 23 regulations in the Occupational Health and Safety Act (OHSA). Will the MEC respond to the following:

(i) why are all 37 provincial hospitals not fully compliant with health and safety legislation;

- (ii) what consequence management will the department implement against all 37 provincial hospital management who failed to ensure compliance with health and safety legislation;
- (iii) what is the estimated cost of ensuring that all the hospitals comply with health and safety legislation? (In your response detail where the budget to ensure compliance will come from and be made available).
- (iv) what plan does the department have to protect all Gauteng's public hospitals against avoidable health and safety risks;
- (v) what plan does the department have to urgently deal with the poor deteriorating conditions healthcare workers are forced to work under? (In your response, detail when and where this plan will be implemented)

### 4.HL003 Hon. C Mabala (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Considering that scores of doctors working in the public healthcare sector in Gauteng have not been paid their full salaries for January 2022. As the EFF, we are aware that their efforts to keep ailing public health facilities afloat mean little to the department, Will the MEC respond to the following:

- why have the unions representing all the unpaid doctors not been given concrete answers or responses regarding the perennial issue of doctors not being paid accordingly? (In your response, detail why doctors weren't paid their salaries after putting in 40 hours a week and more than 80 hours of overtime a month)
- (ii) why are there delays in doctors getting Health Professions Council of SA registrations;
- (iii) why were doctors made to work considering the HPCSA prerequisite for entering into an employment contract with health facilities had not been met;
- (iv) what was the cause of the lack of budget, in the January 2021 to March 2021 period; and
- (v) what consequence management will be implemented to deal with the mismanagement of funds in the department? (In your response, provide details as to when this consequence management will be implemented, if none, why)

4.SD001 Hon. B F Badenhorst (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:

Mohlakeng 20 Prototype Old Age Home is receiving financial aid from the Department of Social Development. Could the MEC please give us answers on the following questions:

- (i) how is it possible that a non-functional old age home is receiving funding from the Department of Social Development;
- (ii) how long have the Department of Social Development been funding this old age home;
- (iii) how much do they receive per quarter from the Department of Social Development; and
- (iv) where are the occupants of this old age home since the opening in 2012?

# 4.SD002 Hon. B F Badenhorst (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:

There is a tendency in the Department of Social Development for not obeying Court orders and undermining the professionals in the department. With Regards to the CASE NR: PSH5771-16/17 – ARBITRATION AWARD, Will the MEC please respond to the following questions.

- (i) why has the arbitration court order been undermined;
- (ii) how much money has the Department of Social Development spent3on litigation matters;
- (iii) the health care workers referred to in the order have not been reinstated or compensated since 2018, why is this;
- (iv) what compensation plan has been put in place where this matter and other like matters are concerned; and
- (v) the health care workers in the attached court order were dismissed in September 2016 to date no compensation or settlement has been carried out. Why is this?

4.TR002 Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regards to fare collection services in Gauteng for public transport, can the MEC please reply to the following:

- has the Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport (GPDRT) and the National Department of Transport (NDOT) engaged on the possible introduction of SANRAL as the service provider for automatic fare collection in the province;
- (ii) have municipalities in the province been approached either by the either the GPDRT or the NDOT to engage SANRAL to provide fare collection services for municipalities;
- (iii) if yes to (i) or (ii), was any provisional agreement reached to engage SANRAL as a service provider for automatic fare collection;
- (iv) if yes to (iii), what is the content of such agreement; and
- (v) if no to (iii), what is the extent of consideration by the MEC and his department to possibly engage SANRAL as a service provider for automatic fare collection?

#### 4.SD003 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:

Since the President made an announcement on 25 October 2020 about the ECD stimulus fund, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much of this grant, in Rands and cents, has the department received to date;
- (ii) if there is still funds outstanding, how much is this in Rands and cents and by when will it be disbursed to the department; and
- (iii) how much of the money received has to date has been paid out?

4.SD004

#### 04 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Social Development:

Whilst SRD R350 is a national competency, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much of this money has been paid out in Gauteng;
- (ii) how many recipients have been paid;
- (iii) how many applications were received in total; and
- (iv) what are the Department's plans to meet the shortfall of people who qualify but not receive?

#### 4.HL004 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the devolution of powers to hospital Chief Executive Officers (CEOs), will the MEC please indicate:

- what progress has there been in giving extra powers to hospital CEOs;
- (ii) what accounts for any delays in this regards;
- (iii) is the MEC in favour of giving control over maintenance to hospital CEOs,
- (iv) if not, why not; and
- (v) what future steps are planned to ensure that hospital CEOs have maximum control over all operations affecting their hospitals?

#### WRITTEN QUESTIONS FOR ORAL EXPLANATION & TABLING IN THE

**HOUSE** (i.t.o Rule 137(5) [\*\* Request for extension of time (i.t.o Rule 137(2)] (i.t.o Rule 133(4) [♦ ♦ Questions carried over from the previous Question Day]

#### For next Question Day

#### MEC FOR COMMUNITY SAFETY: 5.PS001 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (

Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

- With regards to Brackendowns Police Station in Alberton, Ekurhuleni:
- (i) when was this police station moved to the current site/address;
- how long was the police station supposed to work from this present site;
- (iii) what was the long-term plan or permanent accommodation plan for this police station;
- (iv) when (date) will the long term or permanent plan be implemented;
- (v) which site (address) has been identified for this long term or permanent plan;
- (vi) which department/sphere of government owns the land on which this police station is currently standing;
- (vii) when did the side building of this police station burn down;
- (viii) who is responsible for ensuring that this building that burnt down is rebuilt;
- (ix) are police stations insured for fires; and
- (x) if yes, was this side building rebuilt?

### 5.PS002 Hon. M Shackleton (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With regards to the qualifications of SAPS employees, would the MEC please respond to the following:

- what steps has the Department of Community Safety taken in cases where SAPS employees have been found to be dishonest regarding their qualifications to get a post;
- (ii) have there been any SAPS employees in Gauteng that have been found to be dishonest about their qualifications; and
- (iii) if yes to (ii) to what were the consequences for said employees?

## 5.PS003 Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With regard to the MEC of Community Safety event "Reclaiming the Night Campaign against Gender-Based Violence and Femicide" which had a briefing at the Winnie Mandela CCC in Ekurhuleni on the 07 December 2021:

- (i) what was the objective of the meeting;
- (ii) which organisations were invited to the event;
- (iii) how were police stations invited to this briefing;

- (iv) for each invited police station, what are the stats for GBV and Femicide from January to end November 2021;
- (v) how many cases were reported at each of these stations;
- (vi) how many cases led to arrests being made at each station;
- (vii) how many alleged perpetrators received bail at each station;
- (viii) how many cases made it onto court rolls from each station;
- (ix) how many cases led to convictions per station; and
- (x) what is the longest time period for GBV and or femicide cases for each station concerned?

5.PS004 Hon. M Shackleton (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With regard to BO105 SAPS helicopters sitting at the SAPS Pretoria Airwing HQ, would the MEC please respond:

- (i) why are 13 unserviceable BO105 SAPS helicopters still on the ground at the SAPS Pretoria Airwing HQ;
- (ii) why have these helicopters not been repaired;
- (iii) how long have these helicopters been sitting unused at the SAPS Pretoria Airwing HQ;
- (iv) what would it cost to repair these helicopters; and
- (v) what is the cost of keeping these helicopters grounded?

### 5.PS005 Hon. M Shackleton (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding the Elsburg and Germiston Police Stations, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the maintenance schedule for each as well as the budget in Rands and cents for each;
- how many sectors does each station cover and how many vehicles are assigned to do patrols in each sector;
- (iii) regarding "Stop and Search" operations in each sector, what management systems are in place to prove these are done; and
- (iv) please provide crime stats for both stations?

## 5.PS006 Hon. M Shackleton (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding 10111 calls in Gauteng, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many 10111 calls are made on a daily basis in Gauteng;
- how many of those in (i) are responded to by the call being answered;
- (iii) how many of those calls in (i) are not responded to telephonically;
- (iv) how many 10111 calls are responded to by SAPS members physically responding by going to where the caller directs them;
- (v) how many crimes have occurred in the past two years due to 10111 calls not being answered; and
- (vi) what steps have been put in place to ensure a more rapid response by SAPS Members?

## 5.PS007 Hon. N D Radebe (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Will the MEC respond to the following:

- what is the total number of persons that were arrested for offences relating to the unrest that took place in Gauteng in July 2021;
- (ii) what were they arrested for and charged with;
- (iii) whether the specified persons were found guilty;
- (iv) if not, what is the position in this regard; and

- (v) if so, what is the total number of persons what were found guilty; and
- (vi) can the MEC inform me of any further relevant details?

# 5.PS008 Hon. N D Radebe (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

- Will the MEC respond to the following:
- provide a list of the farm attacks and murders that occurred in the period 1 October 2020 to 30 November 2021 in the Gauteng province, including details of each (i) district, (ii) station, (iii) CAS Number?

## 5.PS009 Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding staff working from home in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, could the MEC please indicate:

- how many staff in the department are back in the office on a fulltime basis;
- (ii) how many staff are still working remotely;
- (iii) of those working remotely, how are they capacitated to do so;
- (iv) will staff continue to work remotely, or are there plans to return all staff to an office-based work environment; and
- (v) how has remote working impacted the performance of department?

### 5.PS010 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With regard to Kempton Park SAPS, Operation Masakhane, in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how often does this operation take place? (Please indicate if the operation is Weekly, Monthly, Quarterly, Bi-Annually or Annually);
   (ii) who does the planning of this Operation;
- (iii) what criteria is used to plan this operation;
- (iv) are the CPF structures, Civil Organisations, NGO's and Security Companies involved in the planning of these operations;
- (v) what are the successes of the last six (6) operations of Operations that took place;
- (vi) when (dates) did these six (6) operations take place;
- (vii) what is the criteria used to determine a successful operation;
- (viii) which Officer / Commander led each of these six (6) operations;
- (ix) why was EMPD not part of these six (6) operations; and
- (x) how much manpower was available per operation as indicated in (iv)?

### 5.PS011 Hon. S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Please provide the responses to 5.PS117; 5.PS120 and 5.PS121 of 2021?

#### **MEC FOR EDUCATION:**

5.ED009

# Hon. A Alberts (VF-Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Can the MEC indicate the following with regard to Laerskool Theresapark:

- kindly set out the history of the school, especially with reference to its language of instruction;
- kindly set out in percentages and graphs the diminishing number of Afrikaans learners since the schools zenith in Afrikaans learner numbers;

- (iv) kindly set out in percentages and graphs the growing number of English and other language learners since the schools zenith in Afrikaans learner numbers;
- (v) provide a reason for the growing number of English and other language learners in the school; and
- (vi) what options are the Department considering taking to accommodate Afrikaans and other non-English speaking learners at the school in proper classrooms with sufficient teachers, kindly elaborate in full?

#### MEC FOR HEALTH: 5.HL010 F

# Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Please provide the responses to 5.HL147; 5.HL151; 5.HL152; 5.HL153 and 5.HL154 of 2021?

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

5.COGTA&HS017 Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding staff working from home in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many staff in the department are back in the office on a fulltime basis;
- (ii) how many staff are still working remotely;
- (iii) of those working remotely, how are they capacitated to do so;
- (iv) will staff continue to work remotely, or are there plans to return all staff to an office-based work environment; and
- (v) how has remote working impacted the performance of department?

#### 5.COGTA&HS018 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the Glen Marikana site in ward 16, Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is this land zoned for and when did the owner get the zoning approved;
- (ii) after approval, how long did the owner have to implement or adhere to the zoning;
- (iii) if there was a land-grab, what did the owner do about it and how has the municipality assisted with this land-grab;
- (iv) if the owner turned a blind eye to the land grab, did he / she violate the zoning, and if yes how;
- (v) if yes, what are the consequences on this property owner;
- (vi) with the number of shacks that were put on the property, does it become an informal settlement;
- (vii) if yes, when was it / will it be proclaimed as such;
- (viii) has the owner disclosed the plans that they have for this property with timelines, please include the plans;
- (ix) when were the plans approved by the municipality; and
- (x) did the plans comply with the LSDF (Local Spatial Development Plan)?

# 5.COGTA&HS019 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the following farm, Witfontein Farm, Ward 08 Ekurhuleni:

- (i) who/which department does this farm belong to;
- (ii) which cooperative was appointed to work on this farm;
- (iii) what are their contractual obligations on this farm;
- (iv) what type of assistance do they get from government with regards to getting this farm up and running;
- (v) if the workers / cooperative needs a tractor, to whom do they apply/ source one;
- (vi) has the department received an application for a tractor;
- (vii) if yes, how far is this application in the system; and
- (viii) when will they be assisted?

#### 5.COGTA&HS020 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to Ekurhuleni's energy, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many power plants, substations and transformers are there throughout the Ekurhuleni metro;
- (ii) please provide addresses for each one;
- (iii) what type was erected or built at each site;
- (iv) when (date) did each one become operational;
- since becoming operational, how often has each one been serviced;
- (vi) since becoming operational, what was the nature of the service that was done on each;
- (vii) since becoming operational, for each, when were ageing parts replaced;
- (viii) since becoming operational, which parts were replaced; and
- (ix) according to norms and standards, how often should they be serviced and what type of service should be performed?

5.COGTA&HS021

#### Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the government departments and state-owned enterprises in Emfuleni could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) are there any government departments and/or state owned enterprises that owe Emfuleni municipality rates and taxes;
- (ii) what is the total amount that is owed by these government departments and/ or state owned enterprises;
- (iii) how much does each owe Emfuleni;
- (iv) for how long have these rates and taxes been outstanding;
- (v) what are the reasons given by each for the non-payment of their accounts;
- does the municipality have a plan to recoup these rates and taxes; and
- (vii) if yes, what steps have been taken to date?

#### 5.COGTA&HS022 Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Please provide the responses to 5.COGTA&HS171; 5.COGTA&HS172; 5.COGTA&HS173; 5.COGTA&HS174; 5.COGTA&HS175; 5.COGTA&HS176 and 5.COGTA&HS178 of 2021?

#### MEC FOR SPORT, RECREATION, ARTS AND CULTURE:

5.SP001

#### Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

Regarding the 2023 Rowing Championship to be held at Roodeplaat Dam, could the MEC please indicate:

- does the department have any involvement with this activity; (i)
- (ii) if yes, what budget and support will the department offer to make this event a success: and
- (iii) what does the department do to highlight rowing as a sport?

#### QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY TO MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE

**COUNCIL** (i.t.o Rule 136) (III 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 Rule137(2)]

PREMIER:				
**	5.PR001	<ul> <li>Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Premier:</li> <li>Regarding staff working from home in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, could the Premier please indicate:</li> <li>(i) how many staff in the Office of the Premier are back in the office on a full-time basis;</li> <li>(ii) how many staff are still working remotely;</li> <li>(iii) of those working remotely, how are they capacitated to do so;</li> <li>(iv) will staff continue to work remotely, or are there plans to return all staff to a office-based work environment; and</li> <li>(v) how has remote working impacted the performance of Office of the Premier?</li> </ul>		
**	5.PR002	<b>Hon. S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask Premier:</b> Please provide the responses to 5.PR045; 5.PR046 and 5.PR047 of 2021?		
	5.PR003	<ul> <li>Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Premier:</li> <li>Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the Premier please indicate:</li> <li>(i) can the Premier please confirm if his office is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the Office of the Premier's procurement processes are concerned;</li> <li>(ii) please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;</li> <li>(iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements; and</li> <li>(iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the Office of the Premier;</li> <li>(v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and</li> <li>(vi) please indicate how SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects?</li> </ul>		

#### **MEC FOR COMMUNITY SAFETY:** 5.PS012

Hon. M S Shackleton (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive **Council for Community Safety:** Considering the financial strain in Gauteng and throughout the country affecting residents, municipalities and state-owned entities and the exacerbating impact there on by the theft of essential infrastructure, could the MEC please indicate:

why the Springs Police Station refuses to accept, attend to or (i) open dockets pertaining to the theft of Eskom cables and meter

- may an affected party report a crime with the expectation of a docket being opened and appropriately investigated if that affected party is not the owner of the item stolen, sabotaged or vandalised;
- (iii) how are SAPS resources allocated geographically if crime statistics are artificially deflated as a result of the non-acceptance of reports of crimes by SAPS;
- (iv) what is the replacement cost of state owned infrastructure stolen, vandalised or sabotaged within the jurisdiction of the Springs Police station for the period 1 July 2021 to 31 January 2022; and
- (v) what action will be taken to ensure that accurate crime statistics are maintained and dockets opened on the theft, vandalism and/or sabotage of state owned infrastructure by the Springs Police Station and when will such action be implemented?"

## 5.PS013 Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements;
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

### **5.PS014** Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding stock theft in Gauteng, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many cases of stock theft have been opened in Gauteng in the past two years to date;
- (ii) how many of those cases have led to arrests;
- (iii) how many of those have led to convictions;
- (iv) how many cases of stock theft involved SAPS members;
- (v) are any of these SAPS members in (iv) still performing their duties;
- (vi) what types of animals have been stolen;
- (vii) has the department picked up trends in relation to stock theft;
- (viii) if yes, what are these trends;
- (ix) does the department have a comprehensive plan to combat stock theft; and
- (x) if yes, is this plane being implemented and has it bore any successes?

#### 5.PS015

### Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding Zama Zama's (illegal miners) could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) in the past five years to date, how many illegal mining activities have been identified om the West Rand (pleas list areas);
- (ii) how many of those have been stopped;

- (iii) how many of those have resumed after being stopped;
- (iv) how many Zama-Zama's have been arrested;
- (v) how many of those in (iv) led to convictions;
  - (vi) how many of those in (iv) have been rearrested;
  - (vii) how many investigations have been initiated where SAPS members are implicated along with Zama-Zama's; and
  - (viii) how can citizens assist in curbing illegal mining activities?

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

#### 5.ECD,ENV&ARD004 Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the South African Human Rights Commission (SAHRC) investigation into the pollution of Wemmerpan, Johannesburg, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department been contacted by the SAHRC regarding this investigation;
- (ii) if yes, what input has the department made in relation to this;
- (iii) if no, is the department aware of this investigation; and
- (iv) has the City of Johannesburg been contacted by the SAHRC regarding this investigation;
- (v) if yes, what input has the CoJ made in relation to this;
- (vi) what CoJ by-laws have been infringed in relation to the pollution in Wemmerpan;
- (vii) what is the CoJ's responsibilities in terms of The National Environmental Laws Amendment Bill (NEMLA);
- (viii) what are the department's responsibilities in terms of The National Environmental Laws Amendment Bill (NEMLA);
- (ix) does the department liaise with other departments/ spheres of government in terms of NEMLA; and
- (x) if yes to (v) which departments/ spheres of government?

#### 5.ECD,ENV&ARD005 Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year; and
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements;
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

#### □ 5.ECD,ENV&ARD006Hon. J J Hoffman (VF-Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

#### Rooiwal Waste Water Treatment Plant (RWWT): Background

- On 16 April 2021, the former mayor of Tshwane (Randal Williams) announces that the RWWT's upgrade and repair work will cost approximately R2 billion.
- The Minister of Local Settlements and Water and Sanitation, has promised to provide funds for the further upgrading and restoration work on the RWWT, after the original budget was insufficient.
- It is intended to finalize the project during June 2022.
- According to a report by Action SA, the drinking water in Hammanskraal was found to cause various diseases such as, blue-baby syndrome, cancer, nervous system diseases,
- According to Tshwane, the RWWW is 54% complete (5 August 2021).

#### **Greendrop Certification Program**

- The Greendrop Certification Program was introduced nationwide in 2011 later re-established and introduced in July 2021
  - The program's tasks are among others, as follows:
    - 1. Monitoring of wastewater quality;
      - 2. Credibility of wastewater sampling and analysis;
      - 3. Submission of wastewater quality results;
      - 4. Compliance with wastewater quality;
      - 5. Management of wastewater quality failures;
      - 6. Stormwater and water demand management;
      - 7. Capacity and facility to treat wastewater
      - 8. Publication of wastewater quality
      - 9. Wastewater asset management.

#### 5.ECD,ENV&ARD007Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

With regard to the developments on the R21 corridor, Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many organisations have opened facilities on this corridor;
- (ii) please provide list of these organisations;
- (iii) of those in (i), how many of them are manufacturing companies;
- (iv) how many of the organisations in (i) are warehouses for goods;
- (v) how many of the warehouses are working with imported goods;
- (vi) how many of the warehouses are working with goods manufactured locally (in South Africa);
- (vii) of the imported goods warehouses, what type of goods are imported and warehoused; and
- (viii) of the local goods warehouses, what type of goods are warehoused?

#### 5.ECD,ENV&ARD008Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the sale and trade of illegal animals in the province as pets, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the department's responsibility in curbing illegal animal trading, and the legislation and subordinate legislation that enables the department along with SAPS to take action;
- (ii) in the past five years, has the department noticed a growing trend in the sale of illegal animals as pets; and

- (iii) does the department receive feedback from SAPs regarding syndicates that are involved in the illegal trade of these animals;
- (iv) what plan does the department have to tackle the illegal trade;
- (v) what steps can the public take if they are aware of illegal trade; and
- (vi) what has the department done regarding public participation to inform, instruct or take views from the Gauteng public on illegal animal trade?

#### **MEC FOR EDUCATION:**

5.ED010

#### Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements; and
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

### 5.ED011 Hon. N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Regarding a private LSEN school in Vosloorus, Ekurhuleni called Orhovhelani, operating from two locations - Kgosana street across the Vosloorus Municipal offices and 935 Molokomme Str Mabuya Park, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is this school registered with the department;
- (ii) is this school legally allowed to operate from the two premises listed above;
- (iii) is the school compliant with SACE requirements for educators; and
- (iv) do the two addresses comply with the requirements of the department to be considered school buildings?

### 5.ED012 Hon. N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Regarding Thuso-tiro and All Nations schools in Sedibeng district municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) do these schools have their full complement of teachers and staff;
- (ii) if no, why not and for how long has this been the case;
- (iii) by when (date) will each of these schools have their full teaching and staff contingent;
- (iv) do these schools have adequate desks and chairs;
- (v) if not, why not and how long has this been the case; and
- (vi) by when (date) will each of these schools have the required amount of tables and chairs?

5.ED013 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

With regards to Phomolong Secondary School in Tembisa, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when will the proper structure for this school be built;
- (ii) what is the status of the plans to build this school on a new site in their precinct;
- (iii) how much money in Rands and cents have been budgeted to build this school;
- (iv) if none, why not;
- (v) for which financial year has the school building been budgeted for; and
- (vi) which contractor has been appointed for the building of this new school?

#### 5.ED014 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

With regards to schools in Tembisa, Ekurhuleni, would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many schools are there in Tembisa;
- (ii) please provide a list of schools;
- (iii) how many learners were attending each school when there was rotational teaching in each school in 2021;
- (iv) please provide list per school;
- (v) how many learners will not be attending each school now that the schools have returned to full capacity from 7<sup>th</sup> February 2021;
- (vi) what is the shortage of desks and chairs for each school as they return to full capacity;
- (vii) please provide list per school;
- (viii) how is the department going to assist these schools so that all learners have tables and chairs; and
- (ix) when will each of these schools receive additional furniture if any?

#### **MEC FOR FINANCE:**

5.FN005

#### Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Finance:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- (ii) can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements; and
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

#### **MEC FOR HEALTH:**

\*\* 5.HL008

# Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding Covid-19 patients treated at the Ashanti hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

 how many Covid-19 patients have been treated at this hospital so far;

- (ii) how many of these were serious cases that required oxygen;
- (iii) how many of these cases required ICU beds;
- (iv) how many ICU beds are functional are the hospital;
- (v) how much ICU beds were supposed to be functional at the hospital;
- (vi) how many wards and beds have still not been completed at the hospital;
- (vii) what accounts for delays in this regard;
- (viii) how much in total has been spent on this hospital in Rands and cents including building costs and staff and equipment costs;
- (ix) how many of the ICU beds are still completed, with staff and equipment; and
- (x) when is it expected that the hospital with be fully completed, including all staff and equipment?

### \*\* 5.HL011 Hon. K Tong (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

With regard to a pregnant woman (Keaorata Inno) who was turned away from Chris Hani Academic hospital on the 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021 whilst in a stage of labor and after her water had already broken because she did not have a referral letter from a local clinic. Would the MEC please respond to the following questions:

- was it brought to the attention of the MEC and the department that the patient lost her child because she was refused treatment by the hospital staff on the evening of 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021;
- (ii) is it a standard practice at Gauteng public hospitals to refuse treatment for patients who do not produce referral letters from local clinics during emergencies (in your response please indicate how similar cases have the been dealt with by the Department in the current financial year);
- (iii) regarding (i) above, what course of action will the department take to ensure that the staff on duty on that fateful evening are held responsible for the loss of life which could have been avoided;
- (iv) what remedial actions does the department have for families and individuals who have to go through such inhumane treatment in the hands of public healthcare workers (in your response please indicate what steps are in place to ensure that similar incidences do not happen in public healthcare facilities); and
- (v) is the MEC and the department willing to take full responsibility for the death of this innocent child after the hospital staff refused the mother treatment- because we all know that not all local clinics operate for 24 hours and cannot provide referral letters?

## 5.HL012 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding renovation of the Discoverers Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what tenders have been done for any renovation work at this hospital;
- (ii) what was the motivation for these tenders;
- (iii) what was the scope of work in these tenders;
- (iv) who was responsible for issuing these tenders;
- (v) what was/is the monetary value of these tenders in Rands and cents;
- (vi) was a purchase order put in with these tenders;
- (vii) if not, why not;
- (viii) what investigation is being pursued in this matter;
- (ix) if not, why not; and

(x) what loss of money has there been in this matter in Rands and cents?

### 5.HL013 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding mental health patients at the Helen Joseph Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many patients were treated in January this year compared to the number treated in January last year;
- (ii) how many functional beds are there for mental health patients at the hospital;
- (iii) what is the average number of mental health patients seen every day;
- (iv) how many toilets and showers are there for these mental health patients;
- (v) what property has been damaged by these patients in the last 12 months;
- (vi) how many staff have been attacked by these patients in the last 12 months;
- (vii) in each case in (vi) above, what are the details of the incident, including injuries and dates;
- (viii) what accounts for the increased number of mental health patients;
- (ix) what are the waiting times and numbers on the waiting list for admittance of mental health patients; and
- (x) what is being done to address the problems in treating an increased number of mental health patients?

## 5.HL014 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding staff at the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what staff are currently utilised outside the hospital, including numbers, staff designations and where they are;
- (ii) in each case in (i) above, what are the reasons for their allocation elsewhere;
- (iii) how many staff members were there in total before the fire in May last year;
- (iv) how many staff members are there in total at present;
- (v) what accounts for any reduction in numbers;
- (vi) what staff have resigned since the fire in May last year, including their designation and numbers in each category;
- (vii) what are the reasons for these resignations;
- (viii) what are the number of vacancies in each staff category;
- (ix) what assessment is there of critical skill shortages; and
- (x) what action is being taken to address the reasons for resignations and to fill all vacancies?

### 5.HL015 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- (ii) can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements;
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;

- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (v) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

### 5.HL016 Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding dismissals of staff at the Sterkfontein hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- why were the 25 employees dismissed on the spot on 20 May 2020 without being charged or precautionary transferred so that they are utilized pending a determination and to avoid irregular expenditure while ensuring value for money;
- (ii) who specifically advised or recommended this type of a dismissal;
- (iii) how much did the department spent on paying for the 4 months salaries that the dismissed workers received as a settlement when they got reinstated;
- (iv) with its size, and compared to other hospitals of its size, what necessitated the appointment of a second Labour Relations Officer and not an assistance from head office;
- (v) was the post of the second Labour Relations Officer advertised; and
- (vi) Mr. Mashele, the second Labour Relations Officer got a promotion while in Sterkfontein hospital, was this promotional post vacant and advertised?

## 5.HL017 Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the Naledi Youth Against HIV Aids T B Organisation (Nyahato), will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether this NGO was mistakenly taken off the list for funding;
- (ii) what funding has this NGO received in the past;
- (iii) will funding be restored to this NGO; and
- (iv) if not, why not?

## 5.HL018 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Further to the reply to 5.HL066 in 2021, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what progress has been made in compiling the report on all outstanding disciplinary cases;
- (ii) if this is not completed, why is this the case;
- (iii) what are the details of the outstanding disciplinary cases, including date and nature of the offence, the person concerned and the position he/she holds;
- (iv) in each case in (iii) above, what progress has been made;
- (v) what progress has been made in the disciplinary case against Mr Tebogo Legodi who was mentioned in the Special Investigating Report published in the Government Gazette no.33190;
   (vi)
- (vi) if not, why not; and
- (vii) what steps are being taken to finalise all the outstanding disciplinary cases?

## 5.HL019 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding corruption-related disciplinary cases at the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

(i) how much such cases have there been since January 2017;

- (ii) in each case in (i) above, what was the date of the offence, the nature of the charge, and the outcome;
- (iii) what cases are currently still not concluded;
- (iv) what accounts for any delays in this regard; and
- (v) what steps are being taken to conclude these cases timeously?

## 5.HL020 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what performance agreement is there with the CEO;
- (ii) if not, why not;
- (iii) when was she first appointed;
- (iv) what performance assessment has been done for her since her appointment;
- (v) if not, why not;
- (vi) what is her current total annual salary in Rands and cents;
- (vii) what bonus payments or any extra payments has she received since her appointment;
- (viii) in each case in (vi) above, what was the amount in Rands and cents and the reason for the amount paid;
- (ix) why has she not been held accountable for the fire at the hospital last year; and
- (x) what steps will be taken to ensure that the hospital has a competent and effective CEO?

#### rMEC FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

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5.INF004 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

Regarding the report that the CEO of the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital requested the Gift of the Givers to assist with an engineering report on the fire-damaged section of the hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why has an engineering report not been done as yet;
- (ii) when will this report be done;
- (iii) will the department work with the private sector, including the Gift of the Givers, in order to fix the hospital as soon as possible;
- (iv) if not, why not; and
- (v) what accounts for any delays in assessing the damage and what needs to be done to fix the hospital?

\*\* 5.INF008

### Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

Regarding Roodeplaat Dam, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if a valid lease agreement exists between the department and the Angling Grounds;
- (ii) if answer in (i) is no, then why are Mr and Mrs Joubert still allowed to operate their private resort on government land;
- (iii) if answer in (i) is yes, please indicate the term of the lease and the monthly rent payable by the Joubert's;
- (iv) please indicate if the department is aware of average revenue generated by this resort on a monthly basis;
- (v) please indicate if any of the revenue generate at the gates of Angling Grounds are paid over to GDID;
- (vi) please confirm if a forensic investigation was done after the Corruption Watch investigation in 2014;
- (vii) if not, why not;

- (viii) if answer in (vi) is "Yes" please confirm what the recommendations of the forensic report were;
- (ix) if there is no forensic report to date, please indicate if the MEC will now request a forensic report on the matter; and
- (x) please indicate if Debbie Joubert can use GDID equipment to maintain the resort and if so, please provide an approval letter from the department to Debbie Joubert in this regard?

#### 5.INF009 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

With regard to Kempton Park Hospital (Kyalami Hospital precinct), could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the grass-cutting budget in Rands and cents for this hospital for this financial year;
- (ii) which company has been contracted to cut grass at this hospital;
- (iii) when (date) was this company contracted;
- (iv) how long is the grass-cutting contract;
- (v) what is the value of the contract in Rands and cents for the duration of the contract;
- (vi) how often is the grass supposed to be cut at a hospital precinct;
- (vii) since the contractor was appointed, when last did they cut grass? (please provide the dates);
- (viii) does this contract include grounds maintenance;
- (ix) if not, please provide budget, supplier and contract details for the maintenance in accordance with (ii) and (vii); and
- (x) who from the department is responsible for the general grasscutting and upkeep of the precinct of this hospital?

### 5.INF010 Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

In a meeting between the Portfolio Committee of Finance and the Gauteng Infrastructure Financing Agency (GIFA), on the 15/2/2022, it was indicated that, "The Land Enhancement Project, which is part of the land fund project was not undertaken, GIFA is awaiting the decision of the Department of Infrastructure Development (DID) on the project." In light of this, would the MEC please:

- (i) describe what the nature and objectives of the Land Enhancement Project are;
- (ii) indicate how long the decision by DID has been in abeyance and by when such decision will be made; and
- (iii) indicate what the "land fund project" is?

### 5.INF011 Hon. N de Jager (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

The Department of Infrastructure Development is the implementing agent on behalf of client departments in the Gauteng Provincial Government. Considering this, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) please list all companies used by the department between 2014 to 2021 to implement projects for client departments (please list per department and project worked on for each); and
- (ii) if industry stakeholders have been consulted between 2014 and 2021, please list these stakeholders as well as the projects they were consulted on?

#### 5.INF012 Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

 can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;

- (iii) where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;please indicate how many of these procurement processes /
- tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements;(iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in
- a probity audit report to the department;
   (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

### 5.INF013 Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

The administration took a decision to transfer the refurbishment of the firedamaged Charlotte Maxeke to the National Department of Health using the DBSA as an implementing agent. Would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) all the reasons as well as the rationale that led to this decision; an
- (ii) why it was necessary for certain functions defined in section 4 and 13, read with section 1 of the Government Immovable Asset Management Act (GIAMA), to be transferred from the Gauteng's Department of Infrastructure Development to the Department of Health?

### **5.INF014** Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

On 25th June, more than 2 months after the fire occurred at Charlotte Maxeke, the MEC in an interview with John Perlman on Radio 702, indicated that contractors had been appointed, yet despite this, a completion date for the refurbishment could not be provided. Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what circumstances led to the fact that a completion date could not be determined and why the refurbishment process had been delayed to the extent that it had
- (ii) it has been reported that two contracts for fire prevention and propping up of a fire damaged area were costed, but that these contracts with the Mmakgoge Group and SKS Business Solutions are or have been terminated. Please indicate why these contracts were or are being terminated;
- (iii) has any work been performed in terms of these contracts and if so, what is the cost of the work performed to date in each case and have the contractors been paid?

### 5.INF015 Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

The Daily Maverick indicates that it has received confidential reports of intimidation and a possible criminal syndicate operating within the upper echelons of the department. Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is the MEC aware of these allegations;
- (ii) if so, what steps are being taken to determine the veracity of these allegations and to identify the perpetrators; and
- (iii) if not, will the MEC conduct and investigation in to these allegations?

responsibility to implement infrastructure on behalf of the Health

#### 5.INF016 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development: Considering numerous Health projects being years past their planned implementation dates, the Chairperson of the Health Portfolio Committee in a meeting on 17/02/2022 proposed that DID be stripped of its

(ii)

Department and that all projects should be considered, as has the Charlotte Maxeke refurbishment, as candidates for handing over to alternative implementing agents. Would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) would the MEC support such a proposal; and
- (ii) if not, why not?

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

\*\*5.COGTA&HS011

#### 1 Hon. M F Ledwaba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the relocation of residents who are on the road reserve of K54 (Tsamaya Road in Mamelodi, City of Tshwane) to any other alternative place, would the MEC please respond to the following:

- when did the MEC become aware that Skierlik Informal Settlement, is on the road reserve of K54 and that it will affect K54 road construction;
- (ii) how many residents from this Informal Settlement have been affected by the road construction (in your response please indicate how were they made aware of the pending construction);
- (iii) were there any meetings with the affected sister departments to deal with challenges experienced in the construction of K54 road (in your response please indicate how many meetings were held with the officials from the City of Tshwane, Gauteng Cogta and Roads and Transport; and what were the outcomes of such meetings);
- (iv) how many residents have been relocated to alternative pieces of land and what services are currently being provided in those areas (in your response please indicate if all the affected residents will be accommodated onto the new area);
- (v) from the department's opinion, what could be causing the delay in relocating all the affected residents so far; and
- (vi) by when will the remaining residents be relocated to the alternative area (in your response please provide the total budget for the entire relocation project)?

#### \*\*5.COGTA&HS012 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the hiring of water tankers in Emfuleni local municipality could the MEC please indicate:

- who are the service providers that are used by Emfuleni local municipality;
- (ii) does Emfuleni local municipality have a contract with these service providers or they are used as an when required;
- (iii) in Rands and cents, how much have water tankers cost Emfuleni in the last 5 financial years;
- (iv) how much has been paid to each service provider in the last 5 financial years; and
- (v) what are reasons for using water tanks in Emfuleni?

#### \*\*5.COGTA&HS013 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the use of sub-contractors by Emfuleni municipality due to lack of diesel could the MEC please indicate:

(i) who are the service providers that have been used by the municipality when there is lack diesel in the last 5 financial years;

- (ii) does the municipality have a contract with these service providers;
- (iii) how much has the municipality paid to these service projects in the last 5 years;
- (iv) how much has been paid to each service provider; and
- (v) does it make financial sense for the municipality to use the services of a 3rd party instead of its own manpower?

\*\*5.COGTA&HS014 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the car that was purchased for the mayor of Sedibeng district municipality could the MEC please indicate.

- (i) what car was it (brand, model);
- (ii) was it a new or second hand;
- (iii) how much did it cost the municipality;
- (iv) why was the car resprayed from its original white colour to black;
- (v) how much did the municipality pay for respraying; and
- (vi) is the mayor still refusing to use the car, and if so, what are the reasons for this?

\*\*5.COGTA&HS015 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

> With regard to the payment overtime to employees of Emfuleni municipality, specifically Metsi a Lekao employees, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) do Metsi a Lekao employees work overtime;
- (ii) in the last 3 financial years how much overtime has been paid to Metsi a Lekao employees;
- (iii) do Mangers also qualify for overtime payment; and
- (iv) if yes to (iii), how much has been paid to them in the last 3 financial years?

5.COGTA&HS023 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to waste management in Ekurhuleni, would the MEC please indicate:

- which companies service the trucks that belong to the waste department;
- (ii) when (dates) were these companies appointed;
- (iii) what is the contractual obligation for servicing each of these trucks;
- (iv) how many waste trucks belong to the municipality;
- (v) how many waste trucks belong to waste companies;
- (vi) how many of the municipal waste trucks are in for repairs;
- (vii) how long has each truck been in for repairs;
- (viii) how many waste trucks are in for repairs and with-held by service agents due to non-payment;
- (ix) has an audit been conducted to determine the impact on service delivery when a truck is in for repairs for longer than planned; and
- (x) what plans does the municipality make to ensure service delivery continues for the period while a truck goes for service / maintenance?

5.COGTA&HS024 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to chemical toilets in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please explain:

- how much money, in Rands and cents, was budgeted for chemical toilets in Ekurhuleni from 2019 to date;
- (ii) how many chemical toilets were put out;
- (iii) how many chemical toilets were put out in every township and/ or informal settlement (please list for each);
- (iv) what is the actual cost per toilet;
- (v) what is covered by the cost per toilet;
- (vi) which supplier / suppliers were used to supply these chemical toilets;
- (vii) how much has each supplier been paid every year since the toilets were erected;
- (viii) how many toilets did each supplier erect;
- (ix) are suppliers expected to clean the toilets as part of the terms of their contracts; and
- (x) if yes, how often and who checks that they are cleaned?

#### 5.COGTA&HS025 Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality townships, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many complaints have been received by the municipality with regard to irregular waste collection from January to October 2021;
- (ii) how many areas have been found in the same time period to have domestic farm animals feeding on or in the waste;
- (iii) have animal doctors (Vets) ever complained about the condition of these animals due to feeding in or on waste material;
- (iv) which areas in Ekurhuleni have the worst waste collection rates;
- (v) which areas in Ekurhuleni have the best waste collection;
- (vi) how many depots have contributed to poor waste collections;
- (vii) how many staff members work in the waste department;
- (viii) how many companies are used in the waste department;
- (ix) why does Ekurhuleni employ companies instead of increasing the component of staff working in the waste department; and
- (x) what was the cost of using waste companies compared to using staff members in the waste department from January to October 2021?

# 5.COGTA&HS026 Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to the Esselen Park Housing project in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when was the scoping done for this project;
- (ii) what was the envisaged starting and end date for this project;
- (iii) how many houses were going to be built;
- (iv) how many were going to be RDP's, low cost and how many bond houses;
- how many houses of each type have been built since the project started;
- (vi) of these, how many have been allocated;
- (vii) to date, how much money has been spent each year on this project since its inception;
- (viii) please specify exactly what the money was spent on;
- (ix) how was the decision reached to build on this site; and
- (x) what did the environmental impact assessment report say about this site?

#### 5.COGTA&HS027 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regard to human settlements in the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many township exists (please name them);
- (ii) how many informal settlements exists;
- (iii) of the informal settlements, how many have been formalized;
- (iv) for each township, when does the refuse take waste from the township;
- (v) has an audit been done to determine whether the waste removal trucks are removing all the waste on the days set for removal;
- (vi) if so, please provide details of this audit report;
- (vii) based on possible lack of waste removal, how many illegal dumping sites have started in Ekurhuleni from April 2020 to October 2021;
- (viii) according to EMPD, what is the main cause of illegal dumping;
- (ix) according to Environmental health, what is the main cause of rodent infestation; and
- (x) if poor waste removal is the cause of illegal dumping and rodent infestation, what plans does the City have to improve waste collection in the townships?

# 5.COGTA&HS028 Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding utility accounts in Lesedi Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) can the MEC please indicate if Heidelberg Kloof Estate owes the Lesedi municipality money on their utilities account;
- (ii) if yes to (i), please indicate what the outstanding amount is and more especially how much is owed for the past six months;
- (iii) please explain if the Heidelberg Kloof Estate is approved as a bulk supplier of electricity;
- (iv) if no to (iii), please explain why no electricity is charged on their utility account;
- (v) please provide a copy of the latest utility account in the name of Heidelberg Kloof Estate; and
- (vi) if a copy of the account cannot be supplied, please indicate why not?

#### 5.COGTA&HS029

#### Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding tender numbers 62/2021 and 32/2020 issued in Lesedi Municipality, could the MEC::

- (i) please provide a list of bidders for these tenders;
- (ii) please indicate who the successful bidders for these tenders are;
- (iii) please provide the Rand value of the awarded tenders to the successful bidders, as well as the amount that was tendered by the successful bidders;
- (iv) please provide the company registration number of the successful bidders;
- (v) please provide the tax clearance certificates for the successful bidders;
- (vi) please confirm the successful bidders field of specialization as per its CIPS registration;
- (vii) please confirm if any payment were made to the successful bidders/contractors upfront;

	(viii)	please confirm how many refuse removal trucks the successful bidders have it their fleets to do the work effectively; and	
	(ix)	please confirm where these trucks fill up with fuel, and if the Lesedi municipality pays for the fuel used by the successful bidders?	
5.COGTA&HS030	for Co	M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council p-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human ments:	
		egard to employees in the Emfuleni municipality who are in acting	
		ons, could the MEC please indicate:	
	(i)	how many managerial and assistant managerial position are vacant in the Emfuleni municipality;	
	(ii)	what are the minimum requirements for these positions;	
	(iii)	which employees are acting these positions (please provide	
		names and the positions they hold in the municipality); and	
	(iv)	do these employees meet the minimum requirements for these	
	(v)	positions; what are the academic qualifications for employees acting in these	
	(v)	positions;	
	(vi)	how long have these employees been acting in these positions	
	(1)	(please specify for each); and	
	(vi)	did the municipality advertise the vacant positions, if so when?	
5.COGTA&HS031	for Co Settle With re	M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human ments: egard to Executive Director positions in Sedibeng municipality could EC please indicate: as per the organogram of the municipality how many Executive Directors positions are there in the municipality; how many Executive Directors are currently employed by the municipality; did the municipality undertake a vetting process before they employed them; which company was used for vetting; what are the minimum requirements for position of the Executive Director; what are the academic qualifications of all the Executive Directors that are currently employed by the municipality; and pease provide a vetting report for each of the current Executive Directors?	
5.COGTA&HS032	Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Cou for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:		
		egard to youth empowerment projects in Emfuleni could the MEC e indicate:	
	(i)	does Emfuleni municipality have a project that specifically targets the youth of municipality;	
	(ii)	how much, in Rands and cents has Emfuleni municipality spent on	

- this project for the last 5 financial years; how many young people have benefited from this project in the (iii) last 5 financial years;
- (iv) is Emfuleni municipality using a service provider to implement this project; and
- if yes to (iv), how much has been paid to the service provider; how many service providers bid for this project; and
- (v) (vi)

(vii) why was this specific service provider chosen?

# 5.COGTA&HS033 Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding the South African Human Rights Commission (SAHRC) investigation into the pollution of Wemmerpan, Johannesburg, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department been contacted by the SAHRC regarding this investigation;
- (ii) if yes, what input has the department made in relation to this;
- (iii) if no, is the department aware of this investigation;
- (iv) has the City of Johannesburg been contacted by the SAHRC regarding this investigation; and
- (v) if yes, what input has the CoJ made in relation to this;
- (vi) what CoJ by-laws have been infringed in relation to the pollution in Wemmerpan;
- (vii) what is the CoJ's responsibilities in terms of The National Environmental Laws Amendment Bill (NEMLA);
- (viii) what are the department's responsibilities in terms of The National Environmental Laws Amendment Bill (NEMLA);
- (ix) does the department liaise with other departments/ spheres of government in terms of NEMLA; and
- (x) if yes to (v) which departments/ spheres of government?

#### 5.COGTA&HS034 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding the Rental Housing Tribunal Case Number RT152/20, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the status of this case;
- (ii) if the case is concluded, has the outcome of this case been communicated to all effected parties;
- (iii) if yes, please provide proof;
- (iv) if not, why not;
- (v) if the case is concluded, have the recommendations of this case been implemented; and
- (vi) if yes, please provide proof that these have been implemented;
- (vii) if they have not, please explain why not;
- (viii) what recourse do complainants have if the recommendations of investigations are not implemented; and
- (ix) please provide contact details (name, phone number, email address and physical address) of where complainants can lodge their grievances?

# 5.COGTA&HS035 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements; and
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and

(vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

# □ 5.COGTA&HS036 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regards to the Leeupoort Housing project in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when was the scoping done for this project;
- (ii) when was the project supposed to commence and end;
- (iii) how many houses were going to be built
- (iv) how many were going to be RDP's, low cost and how many bond houses;
- how many houses of each type have been built since the project was started;
- (vi) of these, how many have been allocated;
- to date, how much money has been spent each year on this project since its inception;
- (viii) what was this money spent on;
- (ix) how was the decision reach to build on this site; and
- (x) what did the environmental impact assessment report say about this site?

# □ 5.COGTA&HS037 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regards to the Enterprise Project Management Office in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when was this office established;
- what was the rationale for this office being placed in the City Manager's office instead of the Department of Economic Development;
- (iii) since its inception, what has been the budget, year-on-year for this office;
- (iv) since its inception, how much money has been spent by this office;
- (v) in each year since its inception, who have been the stakeholders that benefitted from this office;
- (vi) how did each stakeholder benefit each year (if financially, please specify the amounts for each);
- (vii) what is the criteria for a stakeholder to qualify for support from this office;
- (viii) who does the adjudication of all the proposals that come to this office;
- (ix) how successful has this office been in supporting its stakeholders; and
- (x) how is the success measured?

# □ 5.COGTA&HS038 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:

With regards to fleet management for the Ekurhuleni Metro Police Department (EMPD), could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many vehicles are owned by the municipality for EMPD;
- how many of these vehicles were in for repairs from February 2021 – end January 2022;
- (iii) how many vehicles during the same time period were in for repairs for longer than one month and what was the longest repair time;

- (v) how many municipal owned service centres are there; and
- do municipal owned service centres service all vehicles types and models;
- (vii) how many vehicles were at private dealerships for longer than a week and why;
- (viii) how many vehicles were repaired / maintained by EMPD officers from their own pockets;
- (ix) why did the officers take their issued vehicles to dealerships for repairs / maintenance; and
- (x) does the fleet management have a tracking system of when all vehicles are due for service/maintenance and if not why not?

#### MEC FOR ROADS AND TRANSPORT:

\*\* 5.TR004 Hon. E du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Jacomina Road near Tarlton is a Dirt Road that falls under the department and urgently needs grading, considering this, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when last was the Road been graded;
- (ii) why does the department not use crews that are regularly in that vicinity to do general maintenance;
- does the department grade this road themselves, or is an outside contractor used;
- (iv) can the department please indicate how many dirt roads in the vicinity of Jacomina need grading; and
- (v) when will all the roads in (iv) be graded?

### \*\* 5.TR005 Hon. E du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

The R500 between Carletonville and the Ventersdorp Road is in a poor state. Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when last was the road maintained;
- (ii) why are the roads not resurfaced, instead only potholes are filled in;
- (iii) is there a plan in place for resurfacing to take place; and
- (iv) can the Department indicate how many accidents have been cause by the poor state of the road in the past two years?

#### \*\* 5.TR006

### Hon. E du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

The R559 at the turnoff to the R501 has mostly disintegrated and vehicles are now forced to use the shoulder of the road. Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when (date) will the department attend to this matter;
- (ii) how long has the department been aware of this problem; and
- (iii) how will the department resurface this piece as it is beyond repair?

#### \*\* 5.TR007 Hon. M H Cirota (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

The Kameeldrif Way, Roodeplaat, Tshwane (Ward 87), in front of Poort Primary School has huge challenges in relation to pupils being dropped off as well as crossing the road. Can the MEC please indicate:

- (i) will the department assist with adequate road calming measures;
- (ii) if yes, by when (date) will this be done;
- (iii) what kind of road calming measure will be implemented;
- (iv) please provide statistics as to the number of incidents that have occurred here;

- (v) has this problem been bought to the Department's attention previously; and
- (vi) if yes, why has nothing been done?

#### 5.TR008 Hon. E du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Regarding Taxi's violating the rules of the road at the corner of William Nicol and Kingfisher Drive in Johannesburg, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is the Department aware of this behaviour;
- (ii) what has the Department done to address this;
- (iii) how many traffic violations have been recorded for this intersection in the past 2 financial years;
- (iv) which taxi association/ s is using this route to transport passengers;
- (v) what are the short-term solutions in resolving these issues;
- (vi) what are the long-term solutions in resolving these issues; and
- (vii) are any of these long or short-term solutions currently being implemented?

### 5.TR009 Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Regarding the gravel road upgrade request for Maroela street Kameeldrift East, Tshwane, could the MEC please indicate:

- has the department received a petition requesting the upgrade of this road;
- (ii) if yes, when was this petition received;
- (iii) what happened since the oversight visit by MPL Randall, Councillor Pienaar and GRT official Tshililo Malange (068 5823724) on 3 September 2021
- (iv) when will this road be attended to by the department;
- (v) does the department still regard this road a safe road for motorists to use;
- (vi) how is gravel road maintenance undertaken by the department; and
- (vii) will the department consider tarring this road as housing developments in this area increase and more vehicles travel on this road daily?

#### 5.TR010 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- (ii) can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements: and
- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

**5.TR011** Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regards to the construction of the off and on-ramps to and from the N14 and the Rooihuiskraal road in Centurion, scheduled for the current financial year, can the MEC please indicate the following:

- (i) has construction started on this project;
- (ii) if not, why not;
- (iii) when is it envisaged that construction will commence; and
- (iv) if not during the current financial year, when will construction commence?

**5.TR012** Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Regarding the awarding of contracts to bus companies in the province since 2014 to date, could the MEC please:

- (i) list of all companies contracted to provide bus services in the province;
- (ii) why were the companies in (i) chosen among other bidders for these contracts;
- (iii) have any of the companies in (i) failed to perform yet have been reappointed by the department;
- (iv) provide a report or all accidents and incidents involving these bus companies between the period 2014 to date;
- (v) have claimed been laid against the department for injury and/or death in (iv); and
- (vi) if yes to (v), how much has the department paid for each claim; and
- (vii) have any of the companies been held liable in (v)?

5.TR013

## Hon. E du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to road R459 Rayton to Forfar, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when last was the road graded;
- (ii) why was the road not graded as to specification;
- (iii) when will the cement bridge be repaired; and
- (iv) if the road was graded recently will someone be held accountable for the bad workmanship?

#### **5.TR014** Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

With regard to the maintenance of R460 would the MEC:

- (i) can the MEC please provide a detailed report on the maintenance done to stabilise and resurface the R460 since September 2021 when the matter was first escalated to DRT officials for assistance;
- can the MEC please indicate if any plans are in place to upgrade the R460, as this is the only road farmers can use to get to and from their farms;
- (iii) please indicate the available budget for maintenance of mentioned gravel roads, both in the current and 2022/23 FY; and
- (iv) please explain if there is a process whereby the legal sand mines using the R406 to transport sand can be held responsible for contributing to the maintenance of the gravel road; and
- (v) please provide the up to date claim procedure with claim forms for residents who suffered mechanical and other damages to their vehicles due to the poor condition of the mentioned gravel roads?

#### **MEC FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:**

5.SD004

### Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:

Regarding old age homes, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many old age homes belong to the department;
- (ii) where are they and what are their addresses;
- (iii) what is the Rand value of each home;
- (iv) how many of them are operational;
- (v) of those that are not operational, please indicate why they are not;
- (vi) how many people are housed in each of these old age homes and what type of patients are housed there;
- (vii) how many staff and caregivers are employed at each facility (please provide the ratio of caregiver to client); and
- (viii) what is the yearly operational cost of each of these homes (please include the salaries of caregivers and their salary scales);
- (ix) if these homes are not at 100 % at capacity, what accounts for this; and
- (x) please provide the name and position of the person in charge of each of these homes?

#### 5.SD005 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:

The Minister of Public Works donated six buildings to Gauteng Department of Social Development. Could the MEC please indicate: (i) what are the addresses of these buildings;

- (ii) how many of them have been converted into safe-houses;
- (iii) if none, why not;
- (iv) how many of them are already being used as safe-houses;
- is the department running these safehouses or are they being run by NGO's;
- (vi) if by NGO's, which NGO's are running these sites;
- (vii) if NGO's, how were they selected;
- (viii) when were the safehouses opened;
- (ix) how many people have been assisted by these safehouses; and
- (x) how many of these are being used to assist people from the LGBTI+ community?

#### 5.SD006 Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:

In terms of the 2022 SOPA address and the R 5.6 million spent on women owned enterprises, could the MEC please:

- (i) please explain which enterprises benefitted and the individual amounts provided for each;
- (ii) which of those enterprises in (i) is making a profit;
- (iii) how many staff do each of these enterprises employ;
- (iv) what has been return on investment for each of these supported enterprises;
- (v) how were the beneficiaries chosen; and
- (vi) please provide a list of beneficiaries and their enterprises with the actual amount provided per enterprise?

### 5.SD007 Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:

In terms of the 2022 SOPA address and the R5.3 Billion spend on youth owned enterprises, could the MEC please:

- (i) explain which enterprises benefitted and the individual amounts provided for each;
- (ii) which of those enterprises in (i) are making a profit;
- (iii) how many staff do each of these enterprises employ;

- (iv) what has been return on investment for each of these supported enterprises;
- (v) how were the beneficiaries chosen; and
- (vi) please provide a list of beneficiaries and their enterprises with the actual amount provided per enterprise?

5.SD008

#### Hon. B Engelbrecht (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:

In terms of the 2022 SOPA address and the R470 million on people with disabilities, could the MEC please explain:

- (i) which enterprises benefitted and the individual amounts provided for each;
- (ii) which of those enterprises in (i) are making a profit;
- (iii) how many staff do each of these enterprises employ;
- (iv) what has been return on investment for each of these supported enterprises;
- (v) how were the beneficiaries chosen; and
- (vi) please provide a list of beneficiaries and their enterprises with the actual amount per enterprise?

#### MEC FOR SPORT, RECREATION, ARTS AND CULTURE:

\*\* 5.SP003

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

Regarding funding for all organisations supported by the department, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much was budgeted by the department in the last 3 financial years;
- (ii) how much did the department spend;
- (iii) how many organisations were supported;
- (iv) how much was given to each organisation;
- (v) what are the names of the organisations; and
- (vi) where are these organisations based?

## \*\* 5.SP004 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

Regarding the Hanyane wellness program, can the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many Hanyane wellness programs has the department held;
- (ii) where were these programs held;
- (iii) how much did the department spent on these programs;
- (iv) did the department use service providers for these programs;
- (v) who are the service providers that were used by the department;
- (vi) how much did the department pay each service provider;
- (vii) if any of these service providers have been used more than once, please list them; and
- (viii) what was the reason for making use of them more than once?

### 5.SP005 Hon. S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

Regarding the use of probity auditors, could the MEC please indicate:

- can the MEC please confirm if the department is making use of probity auditors for assurance engagements as far as the department's procurement processes are concerned;
- can the MEC please list the procurement / tender processes where the probity auditors assisted in the current financial year;
- (iii) please indicate how many of these procurement processes / tenders did not meet the prescribed probity requirements;

- (iv) please indicate if the probity auditors documented their findings in a probity audit report to the department;
- (v) please indicate if any significant issues that have been identified in the probity auditor report; and
- (vi) please indicate how the department's SCM officials, BEC and BAC committees have benefitted from the probity audit reports on procurement projects by the department?

### **5.SP006** Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

With regard to the expanded online library services that the Premier mentioned in his SOPA2022 could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many libraries in the province benefited from this program;
- (ii) what are the names and addresses of these libraries;
- (iii) did the department use the services of a third party; and
- (iv) if yes, who are the service providers that were used by the department; and
- (v) how much was each service provider paid?

### **5.SP007** Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

With regard to the gaming devices installed in the community libraries that the Premier mentioned in his SOPA2022 could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many libraries in the province benefited from this program;
- (ii) what are the names and addresses of these libraries;
- (iii) did the department use the services of a third party;
- (iv) if yes, who are the service providers that were used by the department;
- (v) how much was each service provider paid;
- (vi) how many young people have benefited; and
- (vii) how has this program impacted young people in the province?

# 5.SP008 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Sport, Recreation, Arts and Culture:

Regarding sporting academies in the province could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) where are these academies located (please provide the physical address for each);
- (ii) how much has the department given to these academies in the last 5 financial years;
- (iii) is the department monitoring and evaluating the performance of these academies;
- (iv) is the department happy with regards to the performance of these academies in relation to grassroots development; and
- (v) are these academies submitting financial statements with regards to funds provided by the department?