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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
none

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

none

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

PREMIER

5.PR005

Hon. M Mofama (EFF) to ask the Premier:

With regard to the Tambo Springs Logistics Gateway, will the Premier respond to the following:

- (i) what are the details of the provincial departments involved in the Tambo Springs Logistics Gateway project in Ekurhuleni;
- (ii) what are details of the budgets allocated and spent by the provincial departments to the specified project;
- (iii) what are the details of the duration of the specified contract;
- (iv) what company was awarded the tender;
- (v) what was the monetary value of the tender;
- (vi) what are the full relevant details of Transnet's involvement in the contract;
- (vii) how does Transnet anticipate to get rail to the Tambo Springs Logistics Gateway; and

- (viii) what total amount has the MEC's department and Transnet spent on the court cases regarding the roads designs and environmental impact assessments of the project to date?

5.PR006

Hon. N Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Premier:

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the Premier please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (vii) if not, why?

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

5.COGTA&HS043

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

Regarding power outages in the Welverdiend/Khutsong area in Merafong, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) in the last two months does how many power outages have been experienced in the above mentioned areas;
- (ii) please provide a list of the duration and areas affected by each outage;
- (iii) what were the reasons for each outage in (i);
- (iv) what infrastructure is missing that would prevent this from happening in the future;
- (v) what has been the impact on the economy of these areas; and
- (vi) is there an intervention plan to stabilise the energy network of Merafong?

5.COGTA&HS048

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

Regarding the Sedibeng District Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) can the MEC please confirm if the Sedibeng District municipality has an operational Disaster Management Centre;
- (ii) if answer to (i) is "No" please explain reasons for not having an operational Disaster Management Centre;
- (iii) if answer in (i) is "Yes", please provide the physical address for the Operational Disaster Management Centre;
- (iv) please highlight any challenges that exists with regards to the effective functioning of the Operational Disaster Centre;
- (v) please provide a breakdown of the current financial year expenditure to ensure effective operation of the Disaster Management Centre; and
- (vi) please list the necessary equipment needed to have a fully functional Disaster Management Centre?

5.COGTA&HS049

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

Regarding the revenue collection rates in Gauteng municipalities, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) please indicate the collection rates for rates and taxes for Gauteng's Metropolitan Municipalities for the past five years;
- (ii) please indicate the collection rates for electricity for Gauteng's Metropolitan Municipalities for the past five years;
- (iii) please indicate the collection rates for water use for Gauteng's Metropolitan Municipalities for the past five years;
- (iv) please indicate the collection rates for rates and taxes for Gauteng's District Municipalities for the past five years;
- (v) please indicate the collection rates for electricity for Gauteng's District Municipalities for the past five years;
- (vi) please indicate the collection rates for water use for Gauteng's District Municipalities for the past five years;
- (vii) please indicate the collection rates for rates and taxes for Gauteng's Local Municipalities for the past five years;
- (viii) please indicate the collection rates for electricity for Gauteng's Local Municipalities for the past five years; and
- (ix) please indicate the collection rates for water use for Gauteng's District Municipalities for the past five years?

5.COGTA&HS050

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

The financial recovery plan for the West Rand district municipality still includes emergency rescue services as part of the fire service function which is presently an unfunded function. The municipality aims to sustain the fire service function to deliver optimum service delivery to the community and will engage with RAF, SANRAL and insurance companies on the sustainability of the services provided on both provincial and national roads. Realignment of equitable share to accommodate the emergency rescue service function.

An item that served in the council dated 22 October 2019: "Amendment of the structure in pursuance of the recommendations set out in the financial recovery plan" had three recommendations with the 3rd recommendation as follows: "Approval be granted to transfer fire services to Merafong City Local Municipality, Mogale City Local Municipality and Rand West City Local Municipality, as well as transfer of Disaster Management and EOC to provincial government".

Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) please confirm if and when the mentioned recommendation (3RD recommendation) was actioned to assist the West Rand District municipality financially;
- (ii) if it has not, please explain;
- (iii) please explain if the services the WRDM renders were assessed to determine a suitable manner of providing such services;
- (iv) if answer is "No" to question (iii) please explain why it was not done;
- (v) please list all functions the WRDM is performing which are either not funded and or underfunded;
- (vi) please indicate the Rand value expended by WRDM for each of the unfunded and/or underfunded functions for the current financial and previous financial year;
- (vii) please indicate and explain if GPT did an assessment in terms of the WRDM's ability to sustain itself going forward (please provide a copy of the assessment);
- (viii) have engagements taken place between WRDM, RAF, SANRAL and insurance companies and what was the outcomes?

5.COGTA&HS051**Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

A question was put to Infrastructure Development as the custodian of fixed infrastructure assets in Gauteng as to what records are held in the Fixed Assets Register for Human Settlements. The MEC responded that the department of Human Settlements manages its own fixed asset registers as custodians.

Would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what legislation and/or regulations bestow on Human Settlements the obligation of custodianship over its assets as well as the responsibility to keep an asset register;
- (ii) does such an asset register exist and is it available for inspection;
- (iii) if not, why not;
- (iv) if an asset register does exist, please provide the following information related to the infrastructural assets of the department:
 - Land: Total Number of assets, total size, total value
 - Residential buildings: Total Number of assets, total area, total value
- (v) in the event that a new human settlement needs to be constructed or an existing settlement needs to be refurbished, please provide a description of the process that the department follows from initiation through to completion, including who the role players are at every stage; and
- (vi) please provide a list of infrastructural projects undertaken by the department since the start of the 6th administration indicating the initial estimate of time and cost for each project as well as the final time taken, and cost expended either to date (if not yet completed) or on completion?

5.COGTA&HS052**Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding people relocated in Merafong due to sinkholes, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many residents of Merafong are directly affected by sinkhole formation;
- (ii) how many have been relocated since 2014, and where have they been relocated to;
- (iii) what is the long term plan to militate against the formation of sinkholes; and
- (iv) how many sinkholes are there currently in Merafong- provide a geographic breakdown;
- (v) how many water leaks are there currently in Merafong- provide a geographic breakdown;
- (vi) provide a list of neighbourhoods or wards in descending order of those most affected by sinkholes;
- (vii) provide a timeline of the sinkhole issues in Merafong indicating government interventions since 1994; and
- (viii) provide the amount budgeted for in 2022 for the mitigation of sinkholes in Merafong?

5.COGTA&HS053**Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding petty cash that is used by Emfuleni municipality employees, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) whether is it recorded properly;

- (ii) is it given to the employees or departments;
- (iii) how much petty cash has been used in the last 5 financial years;
- (iv) what is the petty cash used for;
- (v) which department has claimed the most petty cash;
- (vi) which employee has claimed the most petty cash; and
- (vii) what is the monthly average use of petty cash in the municipality?

5.COGTA&HS054

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

Regarding electrical department offices that were burnt in Duncanville, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much does the municipality pay in insurance premiums for municipal buildings;
- (ii) was the Duncanville electrical department offices insured and what was the monthly premium;
- (iii) which insurance company covered this building;
- (iv) what was the cost of the damage by the fire;
- (v) has the insurance claim being paid;
- (vi) what was the amount paid out to the municipality;
- (vii) are the offices fixed; and
- (viii) if not, why not?

5.COGTA&HS055

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 Metsi a Lekoa in instances where there was a shortage or no diesel and fuel could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) who are the service providers that were used by the municipality in the last 5 financial years to service Emfuleni areas and attend to community queries;
- (ii) how are these service providers appointed;
- (iii) are these service providers contracted to municipality and what is the duration of their contracts;
- (iv) how long have they been contracted to the municipality;
- (v) has the municipality ever extended their contracts and what were the terms of the contract extension;
- (vi) is the municipality following a competitive bidding process when appointing these service providers;
- (vii) how much has been paid to each service provider in the last 5 financial years; and
- (viii) what is the overall total that has been to these service providers in the last 5 financial years?

5.COGTA&HS056

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

Regarding the Debt Management Committee (DMC) mentioned by the Premier David Makhura during his SOPA debate, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when was the Debt Management Committee (DMC) established;
- (ii) how often does the DMC meet;
- (iii) who chairs the meeting;
- (iv) who are the members of the committee (please provide names); and
- (v) what are the terms of reference of this committee;
- (vi) how much outstanding debt was recovered through this committee to Municipalities since the establishment of the committee; and
- (vii) please provide a detailed breakdown for each municipality;

- (viii) please provide a detailed breakdown of all debt from the provincial government to each of the municipalities in Gauteng that is still outstanding?

5.COGTA&HS057

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

Regarding the Disaster Management Act, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) could the MEC please provide a list of all Disaster Management Centres for the Provincial Disaster Management Department as well as each of the municipalities in Gauteng;
- (ii) does the Provincial Disaster Management Department have a disaster management fund available;
- (iii) what is the current balance of this disaster management fund; and
- (iv) how was the allocation of funding to this fund been allocated;
- (v) provide a list and breakdown of expenditures from this fund for the period from May 2019 to March 2022;
- (vi) does each of the municipalities have a disaster management fund (please provide a breakdown of details and amounts available for each of the municipalities);
- (vii) if no, why not;
- (viii) who is the designated officer allocated to deal with this fund for each of the municipalities; and
- (ix) who is the designated officer allocated to deal with this fund for the provincial disaster management department?

5.COGTA&HS058

Hon. M H Cirola (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 RT 1301/18, 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;
- (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&HS059

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

Regarding the grave digging and maintenance of graveyards in Emfuleni could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) please provide the names of the service providers who have been responsible for grave digging in Emfuleni over the past four financial years;
- (ii) how much, in Rands and cents has each service provider been paid in the last four financial years;
- (iii) what are the names of the service providers responsible for maintenance and upkeep of grave yards in Emfuleni over the past four financial years;

- (iv) how much, in Rands and cents has each service provider been paid in the last four financial years;
- (v) how has the municipality spent in the last four financial years in relation to the grave digging and maintenance;
- (vi) why is the municipality using service providers as opposed to its own workforce to reduce the costs of grave digging and maintenance of cemeteries;
- (vii) does the municipality have contracts with the service providers in (i) and (iii); and
- (viii) if yes, when (date) did these contracts start and when will they end?

5.COGTA&HS060

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

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (vii) if not, why?

MEC FOR ROADS AND TRANSPORT:

5.TR015

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

During the earlier stages of COVID-19 pandemic, the MEC committed to recruit the services of Cadet workers to perform various tasks of assisting in confronting the scourge of the pandemic in the province. The cadets would be deployed at taxi ranks to provide cleaning and ablution facilities in the province.

With this in mind, would the MEC please to the following:

- (i) how many Cadet workers were enlisted and recruited to provide these services for the department;
- (ii) what were the tasks and duties of these Cadet workers, including their job descriptions;
- (iii) how much budget was allocated for these Cadet workers (in your response please indicate had been spent to date);
- (iv) where were these Cadet workers deployed (in your response please indicate the taxi ranks, areas and regions where they were stationed);
- (v) is the department still making use of Cadet workers (in your response please specify the areas where they are still operational, and in cases where they are no longer in use, specify when did their contracts got terminated and why);
- (vi) is the department providing cleaning and security services to the taxi ranks in the province;
- (vii) how many taxi ranks are under the supervision of the provincial department (in your response please provide a list of taxi ranks that are being looked after by the department);
- (viii) how far is the department in completing unfinished taxi ranks that were built by the department, such as the Roodepoort taxi rank and many others;

- (ix) are there Service Level Agreements (SLA) entered into between the department, municipalities and taxi associations to improve services rendered by the taxi industry (in your response please indicate what mode of engagement is the department using to liaise with the taxi industry where SLA are non-existent); and
- (x) how far are the initiatives to provide subsidy to the taxi industry and formalising this industry?

5.TR016

Hon. S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

Regarding the incidents of sexual misconduct or gender-based violence (GBV) cases reported in the department, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the total number of reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department in each year over the past five years;
- (ii) provide a breakdown of reported cases in the department in each year over the past five years; and
- (iii) what disciplinary processes does the department have in place to deal with reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV;
- (iv) are any employees who have been found guilty of misconduct still in the employ of the department;
- (v) what steps has the MEC taken to address and combat cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department?

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.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?

5.SP009

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

Regarding the incidents of sexual misconduct or gender-based violence (GBV) cases reported in the department, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the total number of reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department in each year over the past five years;
- (ii) provide a breakdown of reported cases in the department in each year over the past five years; and
- (iii) what disciplinary processes does the department have in place to deal with reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV;
- (iv) are any employees who have been found guilty of misconduct still in the employ of the department; and
- (v) what steps has the MEC taken to address and combat cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department?

5.SP010

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

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (ii) if not, why?

5.SP011

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

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

MEC FOR COMMUNITY SAFETY:

5.PS027

Hon. J J Hoffman (VF-Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

With the surge in state-firearm losses, can the MEC indicate:

- (i) how many firearms and of what make and calibre does the EMPD, TMPD, JMPD, GDT, MT, WT have in their possession;
- (ii) how many firearms have been lost or stolen from the departments;
- (iii) what is the state of firearm proficiency within all these departments; and
- (iv) when was these firearms audited or checked by the SAPS?

5.PS028

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

Regarding a road spiking incident that happened on 12/3/2022 on the R104, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many people were impacted by this incident;
- (ii) what type of crime was committed;
- (iii) were any suspects arrested;
- (iv) if yes to (iii), what were they charged with;
- (v) how may similar incidents have occurred on this stretch of road in the past 12 months;
- (vi) how many people have been arrested in relation to this;
- (vii) how many have been charged;

- (viii) how many have been convicted; and
- (ix) what measures is SAPS taking to ensure that this stretch of road is kept safe from this type of criminal activity?

5.PS029

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

It is alleged that motorists have been stopped by rouge police officers from the Sunnyside SAPS – threatening to arrest them unless they are paid bribe money. Considering this, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is the department aware of these allegations;
- (ii) have any SAPS members who belong to the Sunnyside Police Station been implicated in this matter;
- (iii) if yes, have any members been arrested;
- (iv) if not, why not;
- (v) are there syndicates posing as police officers committing these crimes in the Sunnyside precinct; and
- (vi) if yes, what has been done about this?

MEC FOR HEALTH:

5.HL026

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

Regarding forensic or other investigations into maladministration or corruption in the Department, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many such reports have been done since 2015;
- (ii) in the case of each report in (i) above, what was the subject matter of the investigation and on what dates did the investigation start and conclude;
- (iii) in the case of each report in (i) above, what were the recommendations and findings;
- (iv) in the case of each report in (i) above, what criminal charges were laid;
- (v) in the case of each report in (i) above, what disciplinary action was taken;
- (vi) in the case of each report in (i) above, what accounts for any recommendations that were not implemented;
- (vii) which reports are still being conducted;
- (viii) why have these reports not been made public;
- (ix) why has the Open Waters report into Bheki Mlangeni Hospital not been made public and its recommendations implemented; and
- (x) what steps will be taken to ensure that all recommendation of all these reports are implemented?

5.HL029

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

Regarding the appointment of an acting Chief Financial Officer, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why was she appointed to this position instead of other potential qualified people;
- (ii) what process was followed in this appointment;
- (iii) what are her qualifications and experience;
- (iv) who made the decision to appoint her;
- (v) did she apply for the permanent position of Chief Financial Officer;
- (vi) if so, why was she not considered worthy to be appointed in this position;
- (vii) what merit test or assessment was done when she applied for this position;

- (viii) what was her score in this merit test or assessment;
- (ix) why have non-payments of suppliers within 30 days ballooned during her period as acting CFO; and
- (x) why has she not been speedily replaced for non-performance?

5.HL030

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

Regarding food provided to patients at the Charlotte Maxeke Johannesburg Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what are the present arrangements regarding food procurement;
- (ii) what did patients receive for meals from Monday 7 March to Sunday 13 March this year (please give each day's menu for each meal);
- (iii) what shortages of food have occurred since the beginning of the year;
- (iv) what are the reasons for these shortages;
- (v) how much in Rands and cents has been spent on food since 1 January this year;
- (vi) what is the breakdown of the spending in (v) above in the various categories e.g. fish, meat, chicken, bread, vegetables, fruit etc;
- (vii) what are the nutritional guidelines for food for patients;
- (viii) what inadequacies have occurred regarding these guidelines;
- (ix) why did these inadequacies occur; and
- (x) what steps are being taken to ensure that patients get nutritious meals?

5.HL031

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

Regarding South Rand Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many power failures has this hospital had so far this year;
- (ii) in each case in (i) above, what was the date, the duration, and the cause of the power failure;
- (iii) in each case in (i) above, did the generators operate for the full duration of the outage;
- (iv) if not, what was the cause of the failure;
- (v) approximately how much has been spent on diesel for the generators for this year;
- (vi) what is the price per litre of this diesel in Rands and cents (an average or approximate figure is acceptable);
- (vii) which company provides the diesel;
- (viii) how was this company chosen;
- (ix) how much in Rands and cents was spent on diesel for the whole of last year; and
- (x) what accounts for diesel costs higher than one would reasonably expect?

5.HL032

Hon. S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding the appeal lodged against the refusal of permission to establish a 12-bedded subacute facility in Vanderbijlpark (Ref RB/215/06/2021), will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has a decision been made concerning this appeal;
- (ii) if not, what accounts for any delays in this regard; and
- (iii) when will the decision on this appeal be made to the applicant?

5.HL033

Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for

Health:

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each; and
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.HL034

Hon. N de Jager (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (ii) if not, why?

5.HL035

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

Regarding the Bheki Mlangeni Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the latest progress concerning all the investigations into maladministration at this hospital;
- (ii) what accounts for any delays in this regard;
- (iii) when will a permanent CEO be appointed at this hospital;
- (iv) why has the Nursing Services Manager Cyprian Ramabina not been suspended following an alleged assault incident;
- (v) what is the total number of positions on the staff establishment;
- (vi) how many positions are vacant at this hospital;
- (vii) what is the detailed breakdown of these vacant positions in all the various categories;
- (viii) what accounts for these vacant positions;
- (ix) how do the vacant positions affect service delivery; and
- (x) when will all the positions be filled?

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

5.ECD,ENV&ARD017 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council

for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

According to an article from the Citizen newspaper dated 7th March 2022, Ekurhuleni has “nearly 200 taverns and 400 illegal shebeens ...which may have alcohol-fueled crime problem on its hands”.

Tembisa Police Station also features in the top 30 list for various crimes in the country. In the same week, Times Live carried a story with the same sentiments headlined “Police portfolio committee concerned about high number of shebeens and the taverns in Tembisa”. Noting these 2 articles and the recent crime stats, please answer for the following time period - January 2011 – December 2021:

- (i) how many liquor outlets are legal in Tembisa;
- (ii) of these how many are taverns and how many are shebeens;
- (iii) how many illegal outlets are operating in Tembisa;
- (iv) of the illegal outlets, how many were closed down;
- (v) of the legal outlets in Tembisa, how many went through public participation when they applied for liquor licenses;
- (vi) please define what is entailed in public participation in order to comply with issue a liquor license;
- (vii) of the legal outlets in Tembisa, how many establishments had visible signs that they were applying for licenses;
- (viii) how many establishments advertised in media that was not relevant to people affected with the Tembisa space such a publication outside the province, on in languages not spoken in Tembisa;
- (ix) of the legal outlets in Tembisa, how many establishments received objections; and
- (x) of the objections, how many of went through a hearing process and objectors were informed to attend the hearing with legal representation if they needed?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD018 Hon. R Nt’sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding liquor licenses in Gauteng, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many liquor licenses were issued in Gauteng from January 2011 – December 2021;
- (ii) how many were issued each year;
- (iii) of the licenses issued, how many of the applications were compliant;
- (iv) how many inspectors are there in the department;
- (v) how many inspections are conducted by each inspector per month and year;
- (vi) when was the last time that the Gauteng Liquor Act around liquor licences reviewed;
- (vii) what were the main changes in the Act during the last review;
- (viii) how many contraventions have found from January 2011 – to December 2021 according to the Act; and
- (ix) what happened to the establishments that contravened the Act?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD019 Hon. R Nt’sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

With regards to the Shebeen Act, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when was this act passed;
- (ii) when it was passed, how many liquor outlets were issued with shebeen licenses;
- (iii) did all these liquor outlets comply with the Gauteng Liquor Act;

- (iv) how long was the Shebeen Act supposed to last;
- (v) what were the conditions of the Shebeen Act;
- (vi) was the period of validity of the shebeen Act extended (please specify the time frame);
- (vii) if yes, why was it extended;
- (viii) did the Shebeen Act contradict the Gauteng Liquor Act;
- (ix) if yes, how and which areas; and
- (x) is the Shebeen Act considered more superior than the Gauteng Liquor Act?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD020 Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the contamination of the Blesbokspruit in Ekurhuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department assessed the contamination of the Blesbokspruit in Ekurhuleni;
- (ii) when (date) was this done;
- (iii) has the department taken steps to address this matter;
- (iv) if yes, what steps have been taken;
- (v) has the source of contamination been located;
- (vi) if yes, what was the source of contamination;
- (vii) if the culprit of the contamination has been identified, what steps have been taken by the department to bring the culprit to book;
- (viii) has the department met with representatives from Ekurhuleni, including councilors, with regard to this matter;
- (ix) if yes, please provide dates and minutes of all meetings; and
- (x) what steps have been taken to keep the Blesbokspruit free from contaminants?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD021 Hon. A W Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding Suikerbosrand Nature Reserve, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when last did the department call on the services of the Department of Infrastructure Development to repair or rebuild any part of the facilities at the reserve;
- (ii) were these repairs or rebuilding efforts completed on time;
- (iii) were they completed within cost;
- (iv) is there any infrastructure at Suikerbosrand that has fallen into ill-repair and in need of fixing/ replacing;
- (v) what is the envisaged cost of these repairs; and
- (vi) by when (date) will this be attended to?

MEC FOR FINANCE:

5.FN009 Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Finance:

Further to 5.INF010 (2022), could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how is GIFA involved in this project and how the commercialization will assist GIFA in fast tracking their projects?

5.FN010 Hon. N de Jager (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Finance:

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (i) if not, why?

5.FN011

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

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.FN012

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

Noting that global events have had an impact on commodity prices, notable the cost of oil, which has caused the price of fuel to increase to all time high's, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what steps will be taken to ensure that there are no events of fuel theft by Gauteng Government Employees;
- (ii) when (date) will these steps be implemented;
- (iii) considering rising fuel costs, how will fuel claims be monitored;
- (iv) will a cap on claims be put in place; and
- (iv) if not, why not?

MEC FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT:

5.INF019

Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:

Regarding the security services at the Vereeniging Taxi Rank and Sebokeng DLTC, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many security companies have been employed since the beginning of these projects;

- (iii) what are the names of these security companies;
- (iv) how much has been paid to each security company since the start of these projects to date;
- (v) how much has the department spent on security since the beginning of these projects to date;
- (vi) has the department ever fired a security company working on one of these projects; and
- (vii) if yes to (v), what were the reasons?

5.INF020**Hon. M Mofama (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:**

Understanding that the department is yet to present a detailed account of its land ownership, will the MEC respond to the following:

- (i) whether the department and/or any entity reporting to the department own land;
- (ii) if so, in each case, where is each plot of land located;
- (iii) what is the size of each specified plot and
- (iv) what is each plot currently being used for; and
- (v) what was the process of land allocation; and
- (vi) in your response, provide details per plot?

5.INF021**Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Infrastructure Development:**

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each; and
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

MEC FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**5.SD015****Hon. P Atkinson (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council For Social Development:**

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and

(viii) if not, why?

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY TO MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE

COUNCIL (i.t.o Rule 136) (□□ 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.PR004

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

Regarding the incidents of sexual misconduct or gender-based violence (GBV) cases reported in the department, could the Premier please indicate:

- (i) what is the total number of reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department in each year over the past five years;
- (ii) provide a breakdown of reported cases in the department in each year over the past five years;
- (iii) what disciplinary processes does the department have in place to deal with reported cases of sexual misconduct and GBV; and
- (iv) are any employees who have been found guilty of misconduct still in the employ of the department; and
- (v) what steps has the Premier taken to address and combat cases of sexual misconduct and GBV cases in the department?

5.PR007

Hon. F P Nel (DA) to ask the Premier:

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

□□ 5.PR008

Hon. D S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Premier:

Regarding the company formerly know as "Give an Take Solutions" but now known as "Monty-Given Solutions" which wants to clean Emfuleni dumping sites for free, could the Premier please indicate:

- (i) why has Emfuleni municipality refused or failed to give this company permission in the last 11 years to clean dumping sites for free;
- (ii) does cleaning dumping sites by the municipality not add strain to the financial state of the municipality;
- (iii) will giving this company permission to clean dumping sites not create jobs and contribute to the economy of Emfuleni;

- (iv) would a project such as this fall under your vision of growing the township economy?

MEC FOR COMMUNITY SAFETY:

5.PS030

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

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (vii) if not, why?

5.PS031

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

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.PS032

Hon. J Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Community Safety:

Regarding cases Brooklyn CAS 362/07/2011, Actonville CAS 162/07/2011 and Littleton 176/06/2012, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what progress has been made in these cases; and
- (ii) what accounts for any delays in this regard?

5.PS033

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

Regarding resources at the Klipriversberg Police Station, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) does this station have its full complement of staff;
- (ii) if not, what vacancies are there;
- (iii) by when (date) will those in (ii) be filled;

- (iv) how many vehicles does this station have;
- (v) of those in (iv), how many are out of use;
- (vi) for how long have those in (v) been out of service;
- (vii) is the current number of vehicles at this station adequate for the population it serves; and
- (viii) if not, by when will additional vehicles be procured for this station?

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

5.ECD,ENV&ARD022 Hon. S T Msimanga (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery;
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (vii) if not, why?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD023 Hon. C Bosch (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development), would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD024 Hon M Gana (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the Economic Development War Room, could the MEC please respond:

- (i) when was the War Room established;
- (ii) (ii) what is its intended purpose;
- (iii) (iii) how many staff members are seconded to the

- (iv) war room and who is the person running it;
- (iv) (iv) how much money has been spent running the War Room since its establishment;
- (v) from which programme/entity was the money to run the war room taken from; and
- (vi) please provide a breakdown?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD025 Hon M Gana (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding Licensed Liquor outlets in the suburb of Linden in Johannesburg, could the MEC please respond:

- (i) how many Liquor outlets are licensed to operate in Linden, please provide a list with a type of a license;
- (ii) how many new license applications have been received by the Gauteng Liquor Board from the area of Linden;
- (iii) how many new applications were successful/Declined; and
- (iv) how many inspections have been done in the Linden area in the last 6 months?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD026 Hon. A Cilliers (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

Regarding the issuing of an "Occasional On-Consumption Permit" could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) please list what the process is to apply for such a permit;
- (ii) what part of the Liquor Act speaks to this permit;
- (iii) how are objections to the issuing of such a permit made; and
- (iv) for how long such a permit is valid: and
- (v) what compliance is required for the issuing of such a permit?

5.ECD,ENV&ARD027 Hon. R Nt'sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:

With regard to recycling in the province, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what types of materials are recyclable;
- (ii) are these materials found in the landfill sites;
- (iii) what opportunities exist for recyclable materials;
- (iv) how can people organise themselves with regards to recycling;
- (v) where are recycling materials processed;
- (vi) which organisations are still conducting recycling at landfill sites:
- (vii) (vii) which organisations are conducting recycling themselves and collecting directly from residents homes;
- (viii) which organisations are processing recyclable materials;
- (ix) how is government assisting people/ residents / cooperatives to get into processing; and
- (x) which organisations have been helped to date and

how were they helped?

MEC FOR EDUCATION:

5.ED025

Hon. K Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Regarding the stand on the corner of Westway Road and Alexander Road, Fourways, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) does this stand belong to the department;
- (ii) if yes, when last was it maintained in accordance with city by laws;
- (iii) if it has not been maintained in the past twelve months, why not;
- (iv) how frequently should this stand be maintained; and
- (v) what are the department's plans for this stand?

5.ED026

Hon. K Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education

Regarding: ALBERTON MATRIC PROJECT, EMIS 700400992 EXAM CENTRE 8888034, 23 GENERAL ALBERT'S AVENUE RHC BUILDING , RANDHART , ALBERTON. Could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is this school registered with the department; and
- (ii) if, yes, when;
- (iii) if no, is the department aware of its existence;
- (iv) is the department aware that this school is in close proximity to liquor outlets;
- (v) when last was this school inspected;
- (vi) upon its last inspection, was it found to be compliant;
- (vii) does it have the required health and safety certificate;
- (viii) please confirm zoning status of this property; and
- (ix) please confirm if an occupancy certificate was issued to the school?

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5.ED027

Hon. K Ramulifho (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Education:

Regarding the Maths, Science and Technology (MST) strategy in Gauteng, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many learners have enrolled in Grade 10, 11 and 12 this year (please indicate total number of learners doing Maths, Science, Engineering and Technology subjects);
- (ii) how many teachers are qualified teaching these subjects;
- (iii) are there teachers teaching these subjects who have no post matric specialising in these subjects (please list how many and teaching in which schools);
- (iv) how many schools have specialised classrooms in Gauteng;
- (v) please list name of the schools and municipality where these schools are based;
- (vi) how many schools specialising in physical science have a science laboratory;
- (vii) how many schools specialising in Computer Application Technology/ Information Technology have Computer Centres with necessary gadgets;
- (viii) how many technical high schools in the province are equipped with the necessary facilities or equipment (properly resourced workshops);
- (ix) are there shortages of specialised teachers in the Province (how many); and
- (x) how much in Rands and cents is required to fully implement the MST strategy in the next 3 years?

MEC FOR HEALTH:

- ** 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;
 - (iii) if this is not completed, why is this the case;
 - (iv) 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;
 - (v) in each case in (iii) above, what progress has been made;
 - (vi) 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;
 - (vii) if not, why not; and
 - (viii) what steps are being taken to finalise all the outstanding disciplinary cases?
- ** 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?
- 5.HL036 Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**
Regarding disabled access to Jack Hindon Clinic in Pretoria North, could the MEC please indicate:
- (i) how accessible is the entrance to the Jack Hindon Street clinic in Pretoria North;
 - (ii) how is a wheelchair patients' confidentiality protected if the door to the doctor's office cannot be closed due to lack of space;
 - (iii) when will upgrades to the clinic take place to ensure accessibility for wheelchair bound patients (this includes access from the sidewalk into the clinic premises, and ramps to get from one building to another); and
 - (iv) if no upgrades are planned, please explain how the patients will be assisted otherwise?
- 5.HL037 Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Health:**

Regarding medicine supplies at the Jack Hindon Clinic in Pretoria North, would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why is there a constant shortage of Austell Enalapril 20mg at the Jack Hindon clinic;
- (ii) can the MEC indicate what the standard waiting time is for the mentioned medication from the regional pharmacy;
- (iii) please explain how many patients at the Jack Hindon clinic depend on this medication; and
- (iv) please explain how the constant shortage of Austell Enalapril 20mg will be dealt with in an effective manner going forward?

MEC FOR INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

5.INF022

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

Regarding the contract awarded to Rheinland Investments to do alterations and additions at the Tembisa Hospital, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) why was this tender awarded to this company;
- (ii) what was the price tendered by this company in Rands and cents;
- (iii) what were the names of the other companies that tendered and their prices in Rands and cents;
- (iv) if the price given by Rheinland Investments was not the lowest, why were lower tenders not accepted instead;
- (v) is the MEC aware that the Hawks are investigating a fuel tender with Tshwane Metro Council that includes Rheinland Investments;
- (vi) is the MEC aware that the High Court has set aside this fuel tender in Case number 81425/2019;
- (vii) who sat on the Bid Adjudication Committee that awarded this tender;
- (viii) are any member of this Bid Adjudication Committee currently suspended or under investigation for corruption or maladministration;
- (ix) has Rheinland provided a 10% construction Performance Guarantee as required; and
- (x) will this tender be reviewed or cancelled in view of any irregularities revealed or matters related to what has been asked above?

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

*5.COGTA&HS032

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 youth empowerment projects in Emfuleni could the MEC please 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;
- (iii) how many young people have benefited from this project in the last 5 financial years;
- (iv) is Emfuleni municipality using a service provider to implement this project; and
- (v) if yes to (iv), how much has been paid to the service provider;
- (vi) how many service providers bid for this project; and
- (vii) why was this specific service provider chosen?

5.COGTA&HS061**Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) kas the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;
- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract; and
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.COGTA&HS062**Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding the appointment of Lateral Unison Insurance Brokers by the Emfuleni Municipality, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) did the municipal manager have a mandate to sign and change the contract that was rejected by the bidder;
- (ii) please provide proof of when the tender was advertised and what the closing date for the tender was;
- (iii) please provide the Rand value, and period of the tender awarded;
- (iv) please provide a list of every member that served on the Bid Adjudication Committee;
- (v) please confirm if the CFO was part of this BAC and who mandated him to be part of the BAC;
- (vi) please confirm who issued the letter to appoint the company Lateral Unison Insurance Brokers;
- (vii) Emfuleni Municipality is under administration. Please explain if all tenders are signed jointly by the Municipal Manager and the lead Administrator;
- (viii) if not, why not; and
- (ix) please explain who signed the SLA with this company that was not recommended by the Bid Adjudication Committee?

5.COGTA&HS063**Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding municipal compliance with payments to suppliers, could the MEC please :

- (i) provide each Gauteng municipalities compliance with 30-day payments over the past two financial years;
- (ii) which of these municipalities have unpaid accounts that are older than 60 days;

- (iii) what is the Rand value of the outstanding amounts in (ii);
- (iv) which of these municipalities have unpaid accounts that are older than 90 days;
- (v) what is the Rand value of the outstanding amounts in (iv);
- (vi) how many suppliers who are owed money in (ii) and (iv) have initiated legal proceedings against these municipalities; and
- (vii) what support has the department given to each municipality to assist in ensuring that their accounts are settled?

5.COGTA&HS064**Hon.S J P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding the company "the Red Ants" could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) when did Emfuleni start using them as service providers;
- (ii) what is the nature of contract between the municipality and this company;
- (iii) how many times has the contract of this service provider renewed;
- (iv) what services are they rendering to the municipality;
- (v) how much have they been paid since they started working with the municipality;
- (vi) was this company implicated by the Comperior report as one that illegal benefitted from Emfuleni;
- (vii) what was the amount of money that was illegally paid to them according to the Comperior report; and
- (viii) have they paid back the money that was illegal paid to them?

5.COGTA&HS065**Hon. S J Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Regarding dump sites in Emfuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is the monthly average spend by the municipality on cleaning these dump sites;
- (ii) how much has been spent by the municipality in the last 5 financial years on clearing dump sites;
- (iii) which service providers have been used by the municipality to clean dump sites in the past five financial years;
- (iv) how much has been paid to each service provider;
- (v) how are the service providers appointed;
- (vi) Does the municipality have a contract with these service providers;
- (vii) when did these contracts start and when do they end; and
- (viii) why does the municipality use the services of a 3rd party as opposed to using municipal workforce to clean dump sites?

5.COGTA&HS066**Hon. M F Ledwaba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

There are old informal settlements/plots in ward 30, Rand West Municipality, which host mainly employees from the nearby mining companies, and some are still residing in the privately owned pieces of land which have been deserted by the owners. Majority of these areas are subjected to the most inhumane conditions, and with no services provided to them.

With this in mind, will the MEC respond to the following with regards to the Thusanang Informal Settlement, Doornkop plots and Newdorin:

- (i) when were these informal settlements and plots established;
- (ii) how many residents are staying at these informal settlements and plots;
- (iii) what kind of services are provided to these informal settlements and plots (if there are any, please indicate for how long such services were being provided);
- (iv) are there any plans for the provision of these informal settlements and plots with temporary services like electricity, water tanks, mobile toilets;
- (v) if not so to (iv) above, by when will such services be provided;
- (vi) are there any plans to proclaim these informal settlements and if not, what are the plans for relocation processes;
- (vii) when will the relocation process be conducted and to date how many residents have been relocated to other areas (in your response please indicate the housing project and number of beneficiaries from these areas);
- (viii) in the event that there are going to be relocated, what will happen to those who will not qualify for relocation;
- (ix) what is the anticipated budget to relocate these informal settlements and plots; and
- (x) what is the anticipated budget to build bulk infrastructure and by when will the bulk infrastructure be completed?

5.COGTA&HS067

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

With regards to the recruitment, employment, and utilization of the services of Community Workers Programme (CWP) in the province, would the MEC please respond to the following questions:

- (i) when was the concept of CWP first conceptualized and the basis for this kind of a programme;
- (ii) how many CWP's were recruited and employed in Gauteng (in your response please indicate how was the recruitment process undertaken);
- (iii) how many CWP's are on the payroll of the department (in your response indicate who is funding them);
- (iv) what is the reporting structure of the CWP and under which Directorate are they located (in your response please indicate where are these CWP's deployed in the province);
- (v) what are the key functions and duties performed by the CWP's;
- (vi) are there any plans to insource the CWP to be fully under the employ of the department;
- (vii) when was the last time the CWP received salary increments (in your response please indicate why there has been no salary increase in the recent years, if any);
- (viii) is the department aware of any concerns, issues and grievances about salary increase;
- (ix) what mechanisms have the department undertaken to address these issues/grievances (in your response please provide details about the outcome of such engagements); and
- (x) by when will the CWP be insourced?

5.COGTA&HS068

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

With regard the Borwa Mega project, which is located in Ward 26, Westonaria in the Randwest Municipality, has experienced a myriad of

challenges regarding the building of low-cost houses including the walk-up structures, and failure to meet the project deadlines as communicated in the past. Would the MEC please respond to the following questions:

- (i) when did the construction of Borwa megaproject commence (in your response please specify the initial budget allocated for the project); and
- (ii) what was the initial completion date of the project and the main contractor at the time;
- (iii) (iii) how many housing units were to be built and the targeted beneficiaries;
- (iv) what caused the delay in the completion of the project (in your response please specify how much had been spent to date on this project);
- (v) how many low-cost houses (RDP and units) have been occupied and what measures have the department out to ensure that the remaining incomplete houses/units are not vandalised:
- (vi) has the department reached out to the people who have occupied those houses and what led to the war veterans to opt for Borwa Megaproject instead of the Montross megaproject;
- (vii) what is the revised date for the completion of the remaining incomplete units (in your response please indicate who and when are the identified beneficiaries expected to occupy their housing units);
- (viii) what intervention mechanisms did the department undertake to put the project back on track (in your response please indicate when did such interventions undertaken and provide the outcomes thereof);
- (ix) what were the AG's findings with regards to non-completion of this project (in your response please state what had been done to correct all these adverse findings); and
- (x) have there been any disciplinary measures; actions implemented; or taken emanating from the non-completion of the project on time and the alleged corruption associated with it?

5.COGTA&HS069

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

The weekend of the 18 - 21st March 2021, there was a party at Birch Acres Mall (CTM) and a teenager was found stabbed afterwards. With this in mind, will the MEC please indicate:

- (i) who organised this party;
- (ii) did the organisers source permission from the EMPD & SAPS;
- (iii) if yes, was the permission granted;
- (iv) if yes, what were the conditions associated with the approval; and
- (v) was there a monitoring to the Law officers to ensure that there was compliance;
- (vi) has the family been identified about their child who was killed;
- (vii) if yes, how did they it;
- (viii) has a case been opened;
- (ix) did this party contravene any by-laws (Which ones); and
- (x) did this party contravene any laws (which ones)?

5.COGTA&HS070

Hon. R Nt'sheke (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements

With regard to recycling in municipalities in the province, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what recycling programs exist in each municipality in Gauteng;
- (ii) what is the physical address for each in each respective municipality;
- (iii) of these, how many are Municipal led and how many are Provincially lead;
- (iv) how does the Gauteng government assist municipalities with recycling;
- (v) please explain how scalable these projects / programs are;
- (vi) how many landfill sites are there in each municipality;
- (vii) how many of the sorting at source projects are done at the landfill sites;
- (viii) how many projects in (i) do sorting at source;
- (ix) how many landfill sites are not operating; and
- (x) why are these landfill sites not operating?

5.COGTA&HS071 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 Nomvula Mkhize, Director in the Office of the Sedibeng Municipality Executive Mayor, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what was her date of appointment in the Sedibeng Municipality;
- (ii) was this position advertised;
- (iii) before her appointment in Sedibeng what where was she employed and what position did she hold;
- (iv) what are the academic requirements and experience for the position she currently holds in Sedibeng;
- (v) does she meet the requirements of the position;
- (vi) what are her academic qualifications and where were they obtained;
- (vii) is she related to the Executive Mayor; and
- (viii) if yes to (vii), how is she related to the Executive Mayor?

5.COGTA&HS072 Hon. J S P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements

Further to 5.COGTA&HS030 could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what positions do the employees mentioned in (iii) currently hold in Emfuleni municipality;
- (ii) what positions are they currently acting in;
- (iii) what qualifications do these employees have;
- (iv) what are the academic requirement for the positions they are currently acting in;
- (v) how long have they been acting in these positions; and
- (vi) what is the municipality's policy with regards to the length of an acting period?

5.COGTA&HS073 Hon. J S P Dos Santos (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements

With regard to the properties currently used by the Mayor, Speaker and Chief Whip of Emfuleni, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is the municipality renting or owns properties used the office bearers mentioned above;

- (ii) What is the monthly rental that is paid by the municipality;
- (iii) when did they start staying in these properties;
- (iv) how much in rental has Emfuleni paid for those properties;
- (v) have previous Mayors, Speakers and Chief Whips used those properties;
- (vi) who owns these properties;
- (vii) is he/she an employee of the municipality; and
- (viii) is he/she related to someone working for the municipality?

□□5.COGTA&HS074 **Hon. A Randall (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements**

Regarding the chieftaincy of the Amandebele Ba Lebelo under Chief KC Kekana, can the MEC please:

- (i) provide a complete list of the duties of Chief Kekana from Hammanskraal;
- (ii) explain why Chief Kekana is refusing to give Power of Attorney to the City of Tshwane and Eskom for new projects;
- (iii) explain the impact of the Chief not giving Power of Attorney has had on new developments in Ward 73 Marokolong, Ramotse; Ward 76 Majaneng Village and Ward 8 Suurman Village; and
- (iv) explain how this will be address with Chief Kekana?

□□5.COGTA&HS075 **Hon. M F Ledwaba (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements**

According to Ekurhuleni Municipality and COGTA and Human Settlement department Gauteng, Sakhile Informal Settlement is in an area that cannot be developed and is risky for human settlement. There were several promises and commitments that were made in the past for the relocation of the Sakhile Informal Settlements to a rather well-developed site and this has not been realised as we still have residents who continue to live in this squalor area, not serviced and with no provision for electricity, Future prospects of better housing in this area are extremely low if any. With regard to the Sakhile Informal Settlement in Ekurhuleni, would the MEC of Cogta and Human Settlements please respond to the following questions:

- (i) what is the total number of low-cost houses (RDP houses and Flats units) and social housing units are planned for this project;
- (ii) how much is the budget allocation for the whole project;
- (iii) which social housing company is contracted to build these flats;
- (iv) how many job opportunities have been created from this project so far (in your response please indicate the number of young people, women and people with disabilities);
- (v) how many units have been built so far and of those units/RDP houses how many have already been occupied;
- (vi) who are the earmarked beneficiaries for this project, and from which areas are these beneficiaries sourced;
- (vii) how many beneficiaries have been allocated and relocated from Sakhile Informal Settlement in Ward 59, Ekurhuleni;
- (viii) how many identified beneficiaries from Sakhile Informal Settlement are still going to be allocated and moved to Palm Ridge ext 10 and 11 Project (please provide a list);

- (ix) what are the plans for those who have been staying at Sakhile Informal Settlement for several years but are not yet on the NHNR and HSS; and
- (x) what is the expected completion date for the occupation of all low-cost houses in Palm Ridge Ext 10 and 11, in your response, please highlight the number of the incomplete units/houses we currently have and the expected finishing date?

□□5.COGTA&HS076

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 Palm Ridge Extension 10 and 11 in Ekurhuleni, would the MEC of Cogta and Human Settlements please respond to the following questions:

- (i) what is the total number of low-cost houses (RDP houses and Flats units) and social housing units are planned for this project;
- (ii) how much is the budget allocation for the whole project;
- (iii) which social housing company is contracted to build these flats; how many job opportunities have been created from this project so far (in your response please indicate the number of young people, women and people with disabilities);
- (iv) how many units have been built so far and of those units/RDP houses how many have already been occupied;
- (v) who are the earmarked beneficiaries for this project, and from which areas are these beneficiaries sourced;
- (vi) how many beneficiaries have been allocated and relocated from Silahlwe Informal Settlement in Ward 60, Ekurhuleni;
- (vii) how many identified beneficiaries from Silahlwe Informal Settlement are still going to be allocated and moved to Palm Ridge ext 10 and 11 Project (please provide a list);
- (viii) what are the plans for those who have been staying at Silahlwe Informal Settlement for several years but are not yet on the Municipality register (please provide a list); and
- (ix) what is the expected completion date for the occupation of all low-cost houses in Palm Ridge Ext 10 and 11?

MEC FOR ROADS AND TRANSPORT:

** 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 on 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;
- (ii) 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?

5.TR017

Hon. A Fuchs (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:

A question was put to Infrastructure Development as the custodian of fixed infrastructure assets in Gauteng as to what records are held in the Fixed Assets Register for Roads and Transport. The MEC responded that the department of Roads and Transport manages their own fixed asset registers as custodians.

Would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what legislation and/or regulations bestow on Roads and Transport the obligation of custodianship over its assets as well as the responsibility to keep an asset register;
- (ii) does such an asset register exist and is it available for inspection;
- (iii) if not, why not;
- (iv) if an asset register does exist, please provide the following information related to the infrastructural assets of the department:
 - Land: Total Number of assets, total size, total value
 - Roads: Total Number of assets, total length, total value
- (v) in the event that a new road needs to be constructed or an existing road needs to be refurbished, please provide a description of the

- process that the department follows from initiation through to completion, including who the role players are at every stage; and
- (vi) please provide a list of infrastructural projects undertaken by the department since the start of the 6th administration indicating the initial estimate of time and cost for each project as well as the final time taken and cost expended either to date (if not yet completed) or on completion?

5.TR018**Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Regarding the rebuilding of the Vereeniging Taxi Rank by the Gautrain Management Agency, could the MEC please indicate

- (i) has the department signed the contract with the Gautrain Management Agency;
- (ii) how much is the budget for this project;
- (iii) when will the rebuilding of Vereeniging Taxi Rank start (date);
- (iv) when will the rebuilding of the rank be completed (date);
- (v) are there any other companies involved other than the Gautrain Management Agency;
- (vi) if yes, please provide the names of these companies;
- (vii) are those in (vi) contracted to the department;
- (viii) what work will those in (vi) be responsible for; and
- (ix) how much will each be paid?

5.TR019**Hon. P Atkinson (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Regarding funded posts in the department that are vacant, will the MEC please indicate;

- (i) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2020/21 financial year;
- (ii) how many funded vacancies are there in the department and its entities that were not filled in the 2021/22 financial year;
- (iii) what were the reasons not filling funded vacancies in (i) and (ii);
- (iv) what has been the impact on service delivery; and
- (v) has there been consequences for the accounting officer;
- (vi) if yes, what were the consequences faced; and
- (vii) if not, why?

5.TR020**Hon. W Peach (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Regarding the following companies (Malefane Contractors; Ascentri Creations; Africa Continental Mining; Mk It Consulting; Mk Malefane Ventures; Olimosource; M K Malefane Entertainment; New Era Broadcasting; Mibala Media Investment Company; Maluti Foods And Beverages; Papkuilsfontein Vineyards Bee Investments; Phuthing Investment Holdings; Phuthing Food And Beverages; Festac South Africa 2002 Arts Festival; Mohope Commodities; Image-It; T-Junction Trade And Invest 45; Nkangala International Airport Developments; Nkangala International Airport Holdings; Koti's Phola Resort City Development) would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) has the department awarded a contract to any of the above businesses between 2014 to date;
- (ii) if yes, please list what each was contracted for and the appointment date of each;

- (iii) please list the amounts paid to each company for each contract it was awarded;
- (iv) how many of these companies were used more than once by the department;
- (v) have any of the companies in (i) not carried out the work in accordance with the specifications of the contract;
- (vi) if yes to (v) what were the penalties imposed on these companies?

5.TR021**Hon. J J Hoffman (V-F Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Can the MEC react to the following statement by a member of the public and indicate what steps have been taken to mitigate the issues herein:

- (i) the offices of the Randfontein traffic department closes intermittently, and often for days at a time;
- (ii) during these closures no vehicles can be registered and no licenses can be issued and or renewed; and
- (iii) when enquiring as to why the offices are closed the security guards at the gate informs the public that they have run out of "Face value" stationary this is apparently blank stationary that is used to print vehicle registration certificates and licenses;
- (iv) each certificate has a unique number and is controlled and Issued by the Gauteng Department of Roads & Transport. Revenue collected from issuing licenses is for the coffers of the Department of Roads & Transport;
- (v) apparently, the Randfontein local municipality needs to pay over 80% of the revenue collected from issuing these certificates;
- (vi) it has now come to light that the municipality does not honour this arrangement and often fail to pay this money over to the Department. As a consequence of none payment the Department withholds it's stationary and subsequently leaves the municipality unable to issue licences. This is when the offices at the traffic department close their doors and only reopen once they have received a fresh batch of blank stationary;
- (vii) the effect of such action is detrimental to our community as a whole; and
- (viii) Service delivery to Consumers is none-existed Consumers are inconvenienced as they have to return to the licensing offices day after day to see if they if the offices have opened for business again;
- (ix) consumers often need to drive their vehicles with expired licences and Local car dealerships are hamstrung as they cannot register the cars that have been sold; and
- (x) license department staff sit idle when the offices are closed' Hugh backlogs and bottlenecks when the offices reopen?

5.TR022**Hon. E Du Plessis (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council for Roads and Transport:**

Regarding projects for the current financial year, would the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how many projects were to be completed by the end of this financial year;
- (ii) please provide a list of projects in (i)
- (iii) how many projects will not be completed on time, and please list them;
- (iv) what are the reasons for each in (iii);
- (v) what impact will this have on service delivery; and
- (vi) what cost implications will this have?

5.TR023

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

Regarding the Diepsloot Road/William Nicol Drive-K46, could the MEC indicate:

- (i) when did work on this road initially start;
- (ii) what was the initial budget for this road;
- (iii) how much of the initial budget was spent;
- (iv) what caused work stoppages on this road;
- (v) when did work resume on this road;
- (vi) how much is the new budget for this road
- (vii) how much in (vi) has been spent to date; and
- (viii) what is the new completion date for this road?

MEC FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

5.SD017

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

With regard to Monitoring and Evaluation in the department, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) is it procedural to request staff payroll or staff pay slips including those who are not state subsidized at an NGO;
- (ii) are they entitled to this information;
- (iii) is this not in violation of the POPI Act when the staff permission is not requested;
- (iv) why do M&E require personal staff information;
- (v) how is personal information with people's names going to confirm the correct use of the subsidy;
- (vi) is this a requirement for all NGO's or just certain types - If certain types, please clarify which types; and
- (vii) when did this practice come into being;
- (viii) were all affected NGO's made aware of it before this requirement came into effect; and
- (ix) is there a standard template that is required by M&E when visiting NGO's, if yes, please include?

5.SD018

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

Tembisa Old Age Home is a state of the art facility for elderly living in Tembisa. The R30 million facility was built in 2012 but only opened its doors to accommodate the elderly two years later on 14 October 2014. But it remains empty as it was closed on 12 July 2019. Further to 5.SD006, dated 25/02/2021, please can the MEC indicate:

- (i) what is the current status of the Home for Aged;
- (ii) was the R500,000.00 pledged by the MEC used to fix the infrastructure glitches;
- (iii) why is the Home not open almost a year since the MEC made the undertaking to complete the repairs in July 2021;
- (iv) what is the new timeline for the completion of the repairs;
- (v) why was the initial target date missed;
- (vi) when is the envisaged date for opening of the Home;
- (vii) how many people were employed by this facility when it was operational;
- (viii) what happened to the staff from this facility;
- (ix) are the staff still being paid whilst the facility is closed; and
- (x) what is the salary bill for this facility?

MEC FOR SPORT, RECREATION, ARTS AND CULTURE:

5.SP012

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

Regarding the demolition of HM Pitje stadium, could the MEC

please indicate:

- (i) how much has the department spent on this stadium in the last three financial years;
- (ii) which service providers were appointed by the department;
- (iii) how much was paid to each service provider;
- (iv) what was the scope of their work;
- (v) did they perform as per the scope of the contract;
- (vi) were there any cost over runs;
- (vii) if yes to (vi), what were the reasons for this; and
- (viii) please provide details of all engagements with the City of Tshwane on the planned demolition of the stadium since 2019, and if any provincial funding to assist the City of Tshwane on the project was approved?

5.SP013

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

Regarding the Basetsana script writing and directing workshops, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) where did these workshops take place in 2021;
- (ii) how long were these workshops;
- (iii) how many people did the department book accommodation for these workshops (please provide a list of attendees and their contact details);
- (iv) were these attendees issued with a certificate;
- (v) are these accredited certificates;
- (vi) who is the service provider appointed to roll out the program and is this service provider accredited;
- (vii) with whom is the service provider accredited;
- (viii) what is his/her accreditation number;
- (ix) how much was the service provider paid; and
- (x) who were the other service provider that were contracted by the department for this program and how much were they paid?

5.SP014

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

Regarding irregular expenditure incurred by the Department, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) how much irregular expenditure has been incurred by the department in the last 5 financial years (please give separately);
- (ii) has the department instituted an investigation to determine the cause of this irregular expenditure;
- (iii) if yes to (ii), what were the findings of this investigation;
- (iv) if no to (ii), why has the department not instituted investigation;
- (v) has the department acted against those responsible for the irregular expenditure incurred by the department; and
- (vi) if not, why not?

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5.SP015

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

With regard to the following companies: 999 Roadshow, Queendom and Divatainment, could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) what is nature of the work that these companies have done for the department since 2019;
- (ii) how many contracts have been awarded to each company;
- (iii) what is the Rand value of each contract awarded to them;
- (iv) how much, in Rands and cents, is the total value of all contracts awarded to these companies since 2019;
- (v) does the department have a running contract with these

- companies; and
(vi) if yes to (v), please specify the nature of these contracts?

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5.SP016

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

With regard to the 2021 "16 days of activism against women and children abuse" campaign could the MEC please indicate:

- (i) did the department run campaigns about this theme;
- (ii) what was the budget for these campaigns;
- (iii) how much in Rands and cents did the department spend;
- (iv) did the department use service providers to implement these campaigns;
- (v) if yes to (iv), what are the names of these service providers;
- (vi) how much was paid to each service provider;
- (vii) what services did they render; and
- (viii) how many events did the department do and where did they take place (please provide physical addresses)?

CHECKED FOR COMPLIANCE: HPM/PTA: _____