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## QUESTION PAPER

**(HOUSE ONLY)**

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 (Question Day)

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

 **4.HL013 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council**

**for Health:**

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

(i) what items have been stolen from the hospital since 1 January this year;

1. what is the estimated value of each item in (i) above;
2. what is the estimated total value of all the items stolen;
3. how is it possible for any large machines to be stolen without being caught; and
4. what accountability and/or sanctions have been implemented against the security company at the hospital?

 **4.HL014 Hon. J B Bloom (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council**

**for Health:**

Regarding the departure of Dr Sibongile Zungu as the Acting Head of Health, will the MEC please indicate:

(i) what were the terms of her appointment, including period to be served;

1. why did she leave;
2. did she resign or was she terminated;
3. how much was paid to her in Rands and cents for her leaving package; and
4. what effect does this have on the running of the department?

**4.COGTA&HS003 Hon. M S Chabalala (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council**

**for Co-operative Governance, Traditional Affairs and Human Settlements:**

Further to 4.COGTA&HS013 of 2021, regarding the employment of the following political appointments in the Emfuleni Municipality, Jabu Khumalo: Manager Office of the Mayor; Matshepo Mathumbo: Manger Office of the Speaker; and Juda Dlamini: Office of the Chief Whip, could the MEC please indicate:

(i) did the MEC conduct the investigation he committed to as per his undertaking in this House;

1. if yes, what were the findings;
2. if no, why not;
3. are the afore mentioned individuals still employed; and
4. if yes, why?

**4.ECD,ENV&ARD004 Hon. R Nt’sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council**

**for Economic Development, Environment, Agriculture and Rural Development:**

According to the National Liquor Act, provinces must provide a list of all

licences issued per quarter, there must be on a database that is

accessible to the public where they can check registration. With that in

mind can the MEC please indicate:

1. what is the URL where one can access this

database for Tembisa;

1. how many registrations were made from March 2021 – end February 2022 for Tembisa;
2. when were the latest registrations updated on the site with Tembisa applications; and
3. is the departments website open to the public as the National Liquor Act?

 **4.PS008 Hon. R Nt’sekhe (DA) to ask the Member of the Executive Council**

**for Community Safety:**

Regarding Liquor Officers in Gauteng’s Police Stations, could the MEC please indicate:

(i) how many police stations are there in Gauteng;

1. how many of them have a dedicated Liquor Officer;
2. what is the role of a liquor officer in the police station;
3. how often is a liquor officers list of approved liquor outlets updated; and
4. how often is a liquor officers list of illegal liquor outlets updated?

 **4.SD006 Hon. B F Badenhorst (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive**

**Council for Social Development:**

MEC today marks almost 3 years since the Arbitration Award was awarded to the nurses Case No;( PSHS 771-16/17) at the Social Development Offices, situated on the 1st floor, The Perm building, corner Commissioner and Simmonds streets, Johannesburg.

(i) MEC please tell the Province of Gauteng about the “Batho Pele “concept that is being modelled at every Government institution but does not have meaning when it comes to the people of Gauteng, or is it merely just a slogan;

(ii) MEC. Which measures has been taken by you to reimburse and reinstate the 12 Staff nurses and the 63 nursing assistants ever since this matter was referred to the Gauteng Legislature; and

(iii) should these Professional nurses wait for another 3 years before they can be reimbursed and reinstated?

 **4.ED002 Hon. I E Mukwevho (EFF) to ask the Member of the Executive**

**Council for Education:**

Following the recent upheaval regarding the Department failure to adequately place learners in schools for the 2022 academic year which resulted in many learners missing out on valuable orientation time and parents protesting and closing down schools as seen in Lawley, southern Johannesburg. Will the MEC respond to the following:

(i) what are the details of the interventions that have been put in place to address the challenges and/or problems related to learner admissions and placement in schools for the 2022 school year;

1. how many learners have still not been placed in schools to date? (In your response, provide details per region);
2. what plans does the department have to prevent future challenges in school placements across all regions of the province;
3. why does the department continue to place learners far from the schools in their area, thus requiring them to travel extremely long distances that have severe financial ramifications for poor parents; and
4. how will the department resolve the issues presented by Parents of Afrikaans pupils at the Theresapark Primary School who are being shunned and taught in places outside the classrooms, such as in a storeroom?

 **4.PS009 Hon. J J Hoffman (VF-Plus) to ask the Member of the Executive**

**Council for Community Safety:**

With regards to the procedures of issuing and receiving of firearms at Municipalities,can the MEC please indicate:

(i) may an officer take the firearm that is issued to them to their home;

(ii) where is that firearm stored when not in use;

(iii) are there any firearms and ammunition stored at the premises and is there an adequate safe; and

(iv) who have access to this safe?