

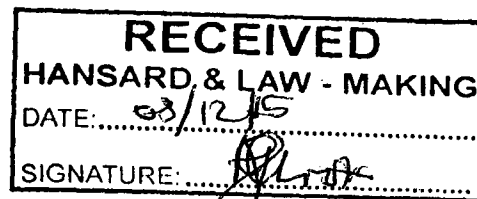


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Question *365

***365. Mr RS Stevenson to ask the MEC responsible for Transport, Safety and Liaison:**

(1) How many police reservists are there currently in the province as at the latest specified date for which information is available.

(1) There are (2031) two thousand and thirty one police reservists that are currently in the Eastern Cape Province as at 2015-11-20.

(2) How many police reservists were there in the province in (a) 2013/14, (b) 2014/15 and (c) 2015/16 as at the latest specified date for which information is available.

(2) (a) In 2013/14 there were (1796) one thousand seven hundred and ninety six reservists in the province. (b) In 2014/15 there were (1739) one thousand seven hundred and thirty nine reservists and (c) in 2015/16 (2031) there were two thousand and thirty one reservists as at the 2015-11-20.

(3) Whether her Department has a target number of police reservists that are required in the province; if so what are the relevant details.

(3) No, the province does as not have a target number of police reservists at present. The ideal number of police reservists will be determined by considering the actual number of permanent members in relation to reservists. Furthermore, target specific recruitment drives based on available capacity to train and equip such reservists optimally as well as on operational needs and priorities as identified at local level will be taken into consideration.