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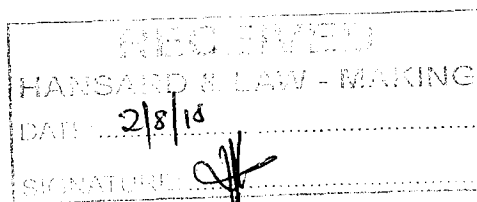
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SUBJECT : RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS 279, 280 & 281 IQP 23
FOR WRITTEN REPLY

Enclosed herewith please find attached a responses to above-mentioned written reply.

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MEC FOR TRANSPORT, SAFETY AND LIAISON
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Friday, 6 July 2018]

No 23 - 2018] FIFTH SESSION, FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER

Note:

1. Questions for oral reply will be printed in full in the Question Paper for the day for which they have been set down for reply.
2. *Indicates a question for oral reply.

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY

FRIDAY, 6 JULY 2018

279. Mr M von Buchenroder to ask the MEC responsible for Safety and Liaison:

- (1) What was the total amount of provincial traffic fines paid accumulated by each department for the (i) 2016/17 (ii) 2017/18 and (iii) 2018/19 financial years as at the latest specified date for which information is available and can she kindly provide the relevant details per year, per department;

RESPONSE QUESTION 1

The total amount of provincial fines collected for (i) 2016/17 is R6, 635M and for 2017/18 is R, 203M and (iii) 1st Quarter 2018/19 is R2,445M

- (2) whether her Department has recovered any of the amounts mentioned in response to (1) above; if so, (a) how much and (b) from which departments in respect of the abovementioned financial years;

RESPONSE QUESTION 2

The Department has recovered these amounts from the Municipalities but not from the Departments.

(a) for (i)2016/17 is R6,635M and for 2017/18 is R,203M and (iii) 1st Quarter 2018/19 is R2,445M : as indicated these amounts are collected from the Municipalities not from the Department.

- (3) what steps has her Department taken with a view to recovering the outstanding amounts?

RESPONSE QUESTION 3

The amounts reflected above are collected monthly from the Municipalities.

280. Mr M von Buchenroder to ask the MEC responsible for Safety and Liaison:

With reference to the Daily Dispatch article titled "Traffic Culprits can Kiss Amnesty Goodbye" dated Friday, 29 June 2018:

- (1) Whether the abovementioned initiative by her Department was successful; if so,

RESPONSE QUESTION 1

The above mentioned initiative of the Department was not successful because of none response to it by the motorists.

- (2) how much of the R125 million was collected;

RESPONSE QUESTION 2

Nil

- (3) how many warrants of arrest has her Department issued out in the 2017/18 financial year as at the latest specified date for which information is available;

RESPONSE QUESTION 3

Warrants of arrests are issued out by the Department of Justice for each Municipal Jurisdiction for none payment or appearance in court on the due date. A consolidation will be made per district within two weeks after submission of these responses.

- (4) what is the outstanding amount with regard to the backlog in fines for the financial year specified above as at the latest specified date for which information is available;

RESPONSE QUESTION 4 is **R57.7 M**

- (5) whether her Department envisages the amnesty period will reopen?

RESPONSE QUESTION 5

The Department has not yet further discussed the reopening of the Amnesty due to poor initial responses.

281. Mr M von Buchenroder to ask the MEC responsible for Transport:

- (1) Whether the Kinkelbos weigh bridge station is fully operational, if not, why;

RESPONSE QUESTION 1

- Kinkelbos Weighbridge is fully operational.
- (2) whether her Department has appointed a security company for the abovementioned station; if not, why; if so,

RESPONSE QUESTION 2

- The Department has not yet appointed the security company but in the process of SCM procurement.
- (3) which company has her Department appointed and can she kindly provide a detailed report in this regard;

RESPONSE QUESTION 3

- The Department has not yet appointed Security Company.
- (4) Whether the South African National Roads Agency (SANRAL) is taking over the station mentioned above; if so, can she kindly provide the relevant details in this regard?

RESPONSE QUESTION 4

South African Roads Agency (SANRAL) is not taking over the station mentioned above. However, a memorandum of Understanding (MOU) has been signed with SANRAL for Approval by their Head Office as a joint operations venture.