



TO : HANSARD AND HOUSE BUSINESS
FROM : MEC FOR COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS
SUBJECT : RESPONSES TO QUESTION 581 OF IQP 31 WRITTEN REPLY

***581. Dr V Knoetze to ask the MEC responsible for Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs:**

With regard to the Eskom debt of provincial municipalities:

QUESTION	RESPONSE
1. What is the amount of debt owed to Eskom by each municipality in the province, can he kindly provide details of the debt (i) current (debt), (ii) older than 30 Days, (iii) older than 60 days and (iv) older than 90 days;	The municipalities in the Eastern Cape owe Eskom an amount of R4.7bn (attached Annexure A)
2. (a) which provincial municipalities have payment agreements with Eskom and (b) what are the details thereof;	King Sabata Dalindyebo; Great Kei & Makana have payment agreements with Eskom
3. in terms of (2) above, which municipalities are complying with these agreements	King Sabata Dalindyebo & Great Kei do honour their payment agreements
4. whether his Department has put any plan in place towards assisting in terms of Section 154 of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa (RSA) Act No. 108 of 1996); if not, why; if so, can he kindly provide the relevant details in this regard?	In collaboration with Provincial Treasury the department is facilitating applications by municipalities for debt relief in line with the MFMA Circular 124 issued by National Treasury. To date Walter Sisulu LM was assisted to submit application and comments made for consideration by National Treasury. Which has since been approved.

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	Dr Beyers Naude has initiated the process of application and applications for Enoch Mgijima, Inxuba Yethemba, Amahlathi & Raymond Mhlaba were considered by the province before proceeding to National Treasury.

Annexure A

Name of Municipality	Current	16 - 30 days	31 - 60 days	61 - 90 days	90 days+	Total
EASTERN CAPE	1 746 310 733	8 325 505	131 804 382	99 888 041	2 743 898 820	4 730 227 481
ALFRED NZO DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY	46 927	220 364	15 552	4 475	0	287 318
AM AHLATHI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	16 779 306	15 145	4 593 756	30 478	88 507 803	109 926 489
AMATHOLE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY	1 613 122	372 380	721 415	810 186	4 830	3 521 935
BLUE CRANE ROUTE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	28 616 667	0	0	0	0	28 616 667
BUFFALO CITY METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY	318 953 229	0	0	0	0	318 953 229
CHRIS HANI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY	376 177	146 774	53 581	177	0	576 709
DR BEYERS NAUDE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	20 558 794	26 169	14 113 749	11 261 077	407 439 055	453 398 844
ELUNDINI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	4 619 480	0	0	0	0	4 619 480
EMALAHLENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY (EC)	2 505 211	0	138 176	0	0	2 643 386
ENGCOBO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	226 435	0	0	0	0	226 435
ENOCH MGIJIMA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	56 970 344	27 161	51 233 398	31 397 654	1 015 111 641	1 154 740 198
GREAT KEI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	1 611 686	0	43 169	0	2 456 696	4 111 551
INGQUZA HILL LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	347 555	7	0	0	0	347 562
INTSIKA YETHU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	417 464	0	420 166	0	0	837 630
INXUBA YETHEMBA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	21 150 699	0	16 428 413	10 954 081	452 571 101	501 104 294
JOE GQABI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY	367 141	0	0	0	0	367 141
KING SABATA DALINDYEBO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	142 025 866	0	0	3 407	62 888 830	204 918 103
KOUGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	45 730 235	0	0	0	0	45 730 235
KOU-KAMMA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	1 332 105	50 541	9 824	9 559	0	1 402 028
MAKANA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	44 986 946	0	0	22 501 289	58 379 176	125 867 411
MATATELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	10 780 649	0	208 273	0	0	10 988 922
MBASHE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	26 848	0	28 186	29 399	32 344	116 777
MBIZANA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	339 968	0	353 780	0	1	693 749
MHLONTLO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	344 753	0	346 916	0	0	691 669
MNQUMA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	503 088	0	0	0	0	503 088
NDLAMBE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	10 340 926	0	422 153	0	0	10 763 080
NELSON MANDELA BAY METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY	817 843 899	6 421 050	0	0	26	824 264 976
NGQUSHWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	0	0	0	0	0	0
NTHABANKULU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	163 662	0	165 468	0	0	329 130
NYANDENI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	140 998	0	0	0	0	140 998
O R TAMBO DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY	971 690	785 803	246 515	26 423	0	2 030 431
PORT ST JOHNS LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	309 711	0	0	0	0	309 711
RAYMOND MHLABA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	152 943 309	0	19 721 173	9 866 999	130 179 899	312 711 380
SAKHISIZWE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	2 507 295	71 495	0	0	0	2 578 789
SENQU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	5 869 039	0	0	0	0	5 869 039
SUNDAYS RIVER VALLEY LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	6 067 781	188 616	1 247 927	0	0	7 504 324
UMZIMVUBU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	503 516	0	0	0	0	503 516
WALTER SISULU LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	27 418 211	0	21 292 789	12 992 838	526 327 419	588 031 258