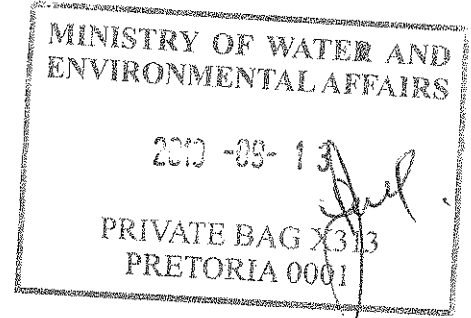




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MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

### NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 2457 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above-mentioned question asked by Mr G R Morgan (DA); is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL (Acting)

DATE:

13/8/10

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

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QUESTION NO 2457

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(INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO. 26)

2457. Mr G R Morgan (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs:

(a) What is (i) the nature of the planned rehabilitation and refurbishment projects that are being undertaken by her department at all dams in KwaZulu-Natal in the 2010-11 financial year, (ii) the allocated budget for each of these projects and (iii) the current status of each project and (b) when does she envisage the completion of incomplete projects?

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REPLY:

Name of the Dams	(a)(i) Nature of planned rehabilitation	(a)(ii) Budget	(a)(iii) The current status of each project	(b) Estimated Completion Date
WAGENDRIFT DAM	Corrosion Protection of 6 off Bell Mouth	R 225, 761.03	Left hand Lines have been corrosion protected and 2 of the 3 lines are in the process of being assembled. Due to a leak one of the bell mouths Rotek Eng have been requested to not assemble this line so that my Department can fix the leak. Once the leak has been attended to the line will be assembled and the Stop logs will be moved to the right hand side and corrosion protection will commence on these lines.	Completion date to be advised due to the work that needs be carried out on the leak.
SPIOENKOP DAM	Left hand line: corrosion and protection	R 835,665.53	The corrosion protection on the vertical section has been completed and a blank flange has been fitted. Due to the leaking butterfly valve on the horizontal section Rotek Eng can not access this section. Once the Vertical section has been backfilled the stop log can be moved to the horizontal section and work can start on the horizontal section. My Departments assistance is required in this as divers are required to move the stop log.	Completion date to be advised, work can only continue once the stop log has been moved

Name of the Dams	(a)(i) Nature of planned rehabilitation	(a)(ii) Budget	(a)(iii) The current status	(b) Estimated Completion Date
SPIOENKOP DAM	Right hand line: corrosion protection	R 658,411.38	The corrosion protection on the Horizontal section is completed, the line has been assembled except for the 700mm butterfly valve, the 400mm sleeve valve and a small drain valve that need to be fitted. The vertical section has not been touched due to the stop log being installed on the left hand line. Once the stop log is not in use it can be moved to the vertical section and this section can be completed.	Completion date to be advised, work can only continue once the stop log is available to seal the vertical section.
SPIOENKOP DAM	Refurbishment of 6 off actuators on the outlet system	R 97,556.79	Project is currently in progress	Nov-10
NTSHINGWAYO DAM	Supply of a portal crane structure over industrial outlet system	R 853,974.03	Project is currently in progress	Nov-10
NTSHINGWAYO DAM	Upgrade access around cross over valve	R 231,358.48	Project is currently in progress	Sep-10
MIDMAR DAM	Internal corrosion protection of the left hand industrial	R 849,916.53	Project is currently in progress	Oct-10
PONGOLA POORT DAM	Refurbishment of sleeve valve	R 241,528.08	Sleeve valve has been removed and the refurbishment of the valve is in progress.	Oct-10
PONGOLAPOORT DAM	Refurbish and reinstate 1 X 900mm Sleeve and 1 X 900mm spherical valve	R 401,985.82	Sleeve and Spherical valves are currently being refurbished.	Nov-10
INANDA DAM	Refurbishment of sleeve valve No 1	R 238,365.29	Sleeve valve has been removed and the refurbishment of the valve is in progress.	Nov-10

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