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MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 1177 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above-mentioned question asked by Mrs A T Lovemore (DA), is attached for your consideration, please.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL (Acting)

DATE:

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

∠MSBP SONJICA, MP

MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

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1177. Mrs A T Lovemore (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs:

- (1) Whether her Deputy Minister or her department purchased a new vehicle on the Deputy Minister's appointment to office; if so, (a) why, (b) what make and model is the vehicle, (c) what did the vehicle cost and (d)(i) what accessories were included in excess of the vehicle's purchase price and (ii) what was the cost of such accessories; if not,
- whether she inherited an existing vehicle; if so, (a) what was the make and model and (b) how old is the vehicle?

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REPLY:

(1)	Yes
(1)(a)	The Deputy Minister's vehicle (BMW X5, 4.8L) transferred from the previous Department reached 150 000 kilometer travelling distance in the 5 year distribution period leased from Kgwerano Financial Solutions.
(1)(b)	BMW X5, 4.8L.
(1)(c)	R 897,704.88.
(1)(d)(i)	Tow bar with removable head. Sports Leather Steering Wheel. Extended Light Package.
(1)(d)(ii)	R 12,699.99 included VAT.
(2)(a)	Yes, the vehicle for Cape Town was transferred from previous Department, Mercedes Benz E-Class 350.
(2)(b)	The vehicle is two (2) years and six (6) months old and was first registered on the 27 February 2007.