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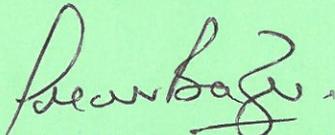
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MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 3409 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above-mentioned question asked by Mrs S V Kalyan (DA); is attached for your consideration.


ACTING DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 2/12/2010

The response has been checked with the WRC.

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED


MRS B E E MOLEWA, MP
MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

DATE: 2010/12/14

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

FOR WRITTEN REPLY

QUESTION NO 3409

DATE OF PUBLICATION IN INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER: 19 NOVEMBER 2010
(INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO. 38)

3409. Mrs S V Kalyan (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs:

- (1) (a) What were the reasons for dismissing Annatjie Moolman from the Water Research Commission (WRC), (b) on what date was she dismissed, (c) what were her responsibilities at the WRC and (d) what are the details of all (i) projects that she oversaw and (ii) research that she directly contributed to while she was employed at the WRC;
- (2) whether the position left vacant by her has been advertised; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether the researchers who were contracted to work on projects that she had commissioned have been informed of her dismissal; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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REPLY:

- (1)(a) Ms A. Moolman was dismissed for misconduct. However, due to the fact that the matter has been submitted to the CCMA, no further information can be provided.
- (1)(b) 7 September 2010.
- (1)(c) She was employed as a Research Manager.
- (1)(d)(i) Refer to **Annexure A**.
- (1)(c)(ii) Her direct research contribution cannot be established.
- (2) Yes, it was advertised on 26 September 2010 in the Sunday Times.
- (3) Yes, they have been informed that she is no longer employed by the WRC, but since the matter has been referred to the CCMA, no further information was provided to them.

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In respect to your instruction to have a discussion with a WRC representative on the response, an email was sent to Ms Reshmili Lutchman Director: HR. Ms Lutchman provided us with the responses and the email is attached for reference.

B Manyakanyaka

DIRECTOR: PC&SM

DATE: 02 DEC 2010

Moloto Reshoketswe

From: Reshmili Lutchman [reshmili@wrc.org.za]
Sent: 30 November 2010 11:30 AM
To: Moloto Reshoketswe
Cc: Rivka Kfir; Herbst Linda
Subject: RE: NA Q 3409
Attachments: NA Q 3409 written reply_dismissal from WRC - 29 Nov 10.doc

Hi

The dates are in red in the attachment.

Please see below for the rest.

Kind regards
Reshmili

From: Moloto Reshoketswe [mailto:MolotoR@dwa.gov.za]
Sent: 30 November 2010 10:24 AM
To: Reshmili Lutchman
Subject: NA Q 3409
Importance: High

Morning

As discussed please assist to filling the gabs to the following:

- (1)(a) what was she dismissed for -misconduct
- (1)(d)(ii) dates of the projects she oversaw
- (2) when was it advertised in Sunday times -26th September 2010

Your urgent response will be appreciated.

Regards,

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