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### NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 1735 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

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

Attached is a letter to the member for your signature.

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**MINISTER OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES: QUESTION 365 FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

A draft reply to the above question by Mr D A Worth (DA-FS) is attached for your consideration.

**ACTING DIRECTOR GENERAL**

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QUESTION NO 1735

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**1735. Mrs S V Kalyan (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Environmental Affairs:**

- (1) Whether any forensic investigations have been conducted at Sedibeng Water since 1 April 2008; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details:
- (2) whether, since 1 April 2008, any members of the board of Sedibeng Water received certain vouchers (name furnished) that were paid for by Sedibeng Water; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what (a) are the names of the board members who received these vouchers, (b) are the reasons for giving these vouchers to the specified members and (c) was the monetary value of the vouchers received by each specified member;
- (3) whether any taxes have been paid in respect of these vouchers by the recipients; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? NW1960E

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**REPLY:**

- (1) No forensic investigation has been conducted at Sedibeng Water since 1 April 2008, as there have not been any reasons or basis to do so.
- (2) (a) The Board members listed below were given gift vouchers at their last Board meeting of the year:

**2009-2010 Previous Board Members who received gift vouchers**

Mr M Furumela	Adv M Ralefatane
Ms M Tlaletsi	Mr L Sekhukhune
Ms T Mogapi	Mr K Kgaoraelwe
Ms R Motaung	Mr J Mokodutlo
Ms T Diale	Mr G Lobelo
Ms T Mogapi	

**2010-2011 Current Interim Board members**

Mr T B Phitsane	Ms MSS Maboe
Dr L Moorosi	Dr B Malakoane
Dr J van der Merwe	Mr L Bomela
Mr N Mokhesi	

(b) This has been a standard practice since 2004 and there has been no board resolutions approving the practice of awarding board members gift vouchers.

(c) The monetary value of the vouchers is R5 000 per board member.

(3) The board members have to declare the vouchers received in their income tax return.

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