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MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 1177 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Mrs Z B N Balindlela is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL (Acting)

DATE:

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

MRS NP MOKONYANE

MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

DATE: 09.09.14



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Mrs Z B N Balindlela (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

- (1) Whether (a) she and (b) the Deputy Minister has each employed a ministerial special advisor; if so,
- (2) (a) what is the name of the special advisor, (b) when was the advisor appointed, (c) what are the duties of the advisor, (d) at what post level was the appointment made,
 (e) what is the salary level of the advisor, (f) what is the duration of the employment contract entered into with the advisor and (g) why was it necessary to appoint this advisor?

Response

- The Minister has employed two ministerial Special Advisors as per the provisions of the section 12A of the Public Service Act, 1994.
 - b) The Deputy Minister has not appointed a special advisor.
- 2) a) Please refer to 1(a)
 - b) Refer to the response for 1 (a)
 - c) The duties of the Special Advisors are in line with the Public Service Act (section 12A (1)) which provides that: Special Advisers maybe appointed to advise the Executing Authority on the exercise or performance of the Executing Authority's powers and duties.
 - d) Refer to the response for 1 (a)

- e) Refer to the response for 1 (a)
- f) Refer to the response for 1 (a)
- g) Refer to the response for 1 (a).

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