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MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION ★346 FOR ORAL REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Mr D Mnguni (ANC) is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 25 MILL

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

MRS NP MOKONYANE
MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

DATE: 27.11.14

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★346. Mr D Mnguni (ANC) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

In view of the water licences of most of the dams in the country which limit or seclude nearby communities from the benefit and usage of these dams, (a) what measures will her department implement to enable communities to benefit from nearby dams or water pipes and (b) what time frame is envisaged to eradicate the limitations?

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REPLY:

- (a) In order to enable communities to benefit from nearby dams or water pipes, the Department is reviewing the actual licenses or conditions of these licenses with the intention to improving access to water for the benefit of nearby communities.
- (b) It is anticipated that all the 11 projects will be completed within the Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF).

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