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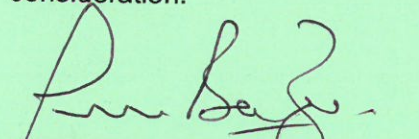
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### MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

#### NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 785 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

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

  
**DIRECTOR-GENERAL (Acting)**

DATE: 5/08/2014

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED 

  
**MRS NP MOKONYANE**  
**MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION**

DATE: 09.10.14

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO 785**

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**(INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO. 6)**

**785. Mrs J V Basson (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:**

- (1) (a) What are the different types of toilets provided for informal settlements in each of the eight metropolitan municipalities, (b) how many of these different types of toilets are provided, (c) how many of those provided are serviced and (d) for each type, how many of these are provided and serviced by the (i) municipality or (ii) a contractor of the municipality;
- (2) what is the number of informal settlement dwellings in each of the eight metros;
- (3) for those who share a service, what is the average ratio of a shared toilet to households in each of the eight metro municipalities' informal settlements?

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**REPLY:**

- (1) Refer to table attached as **Annexure A** for different types of toilets provided for informal settlement for the eight metropolitan municipalities. The information for the City of Tshwane could not be accessed.
- (2) The table below indicates the estimated number of informal settlements in each of the eight metro municipalities.

<b>Name of Metro Municipality</b>	<b>Number of informal settlements dwellings</b>
Buffalo City	154
City of Cape Town	204
City of Johannesburg	180
City of Tshwane	158
Ekurhuleni	114
EtheKwini	600
Nelson Mandela Bay	79
Mangaung	28

- (3) The table below indicates the average ratio of shared toilets per households as provided by the metro municipalities.

<b>Name of Metro Municipality</b>	<b>Ratio of shared toilet</b>
Buffalo City	One toilet per ten households (1:10)
City of Cape Town	One toilet per five households (1:5)
City of Johannesburg	One toilet per six households (1:6).
City of Tshwane	No information
Ekurhuleni	One toilet per 10 households (1:10)
eThekwini	One toilet per 10 households (1:10)
Nelson Mandela Bay	One bucket toilet per household (1:1)
Mangaung	No shared toilets

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# ANNEXURE A

No.	(1) Metro Municipality	(1)(a) Different types toilet	(1)(b) How many are provided	(1)(c) How many are serviced	(1)(d)(i) How many are serviced by municipality	(1)(d)(ii) How many are serviced by contractor
1	Buffalo City	Waterborne	1371	1371	1371	
2	City of Cape Town	Conservancy tank systems	20	20		20
		Portable flush	19 828	19 828		19 828
		Full flush	12 139	12 139	12 139	
		Chemical toilets	5 816	5 816		5 816
		Container toilets	5 678	5 678		5 678
		Modified Afrisan toilets	450	450	450	
		Buckets	377	377		377
		Pour flush	370	370	370	
		Un-ventilated pit toilets	312	312	312	
		Urine diversion (mobisan)	187	187	187	
3	City of Johannesburg	Dehydration (Enviroloo)	165	165	165	
		Anaerobic toilets	48	48	48	
		Chemical toilets	23 714	23 714	23 714	
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		Ventilated Improved Pit toilet	8 749	8 749		8 749
		Urine Diversion	30 000	30 000		30 000
		Community Ablution Blocks	90 000	90 000		90 000
		Bucket toilets	900	900	900	
		Ventilated Improved Pit toilets	20 900	20 900	20 900	
7	Nelson Mandela Bay	Bucket toilets	3147	3147		3147
8	Mangaung	Bucket toilets	1000	1000	1000	
		Self dug un-ventilated pit toilets	24715			