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MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 1267 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Mr A M Mpontshane (IFP) is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 29/4/15

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

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

DATE: 05.05.15

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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1267. Mr A M Mpontshane (IFP) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

- (1) How many complaints have been received through (a) her department's hotline for reporting crimes related to water resources in terms of the National Water Act, Act 36 of 1998 and (b) email in the 2014-15 financial year;
- (2) how many (a) inspections to assess compliance with the National Water Act, Act 36 of 1998 and (b) authorizations under the Act were conducted (i) in 2014 and (ii) from 1 April 2015 up to the latest specified date for which information is available;
- (3) Can she provide a breakdown of these figures for each (a) region and (b) sector?
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REPLY:

- (1)(a) Twenty-nine (29) complaints were received through the Department's hotline.
- (1)(b) One hundred and eighteen (118) complaints were received via email in the 2014/2015 financial year.
- (2) Two hundred and one (201) inspections were scheduled and conducted during the 2014/2015 financial year to assess compliance with the National Water Act, Act 36 of 1998 through monitoring of authorisations.
- (3) Refer to the table below for the figures for each region and sector.

	Limpopo	Gauteng	Northern Cape	Eastern Cape	Western Cape	Free State	KZN	North West	Mpu
Mine	20	12	13	1	0	7	7	0	59
Industry	3	10	1	2	2	0	2	0	2
Agriculture	1	11	0	2	25	0	4	0	1
SFRA	0	1	0	0	9	0	4	0	11
Total	24	25	14	5	36	7	17	0	73
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