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MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES: QUESTION 243 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Ms T G Mpambo-Sibhukwana (Western Cape: DA) is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE:

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

MRS NP MOKONYANE
MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

DATE: 09.07.15

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES

FOR WRITTEN REPLY

QUESTION NO 243

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243. Ms T G Mpambo-Sibhukwana (Western Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

- (1) What progress has been made to date with the eradication of the bucket system in each province which was supposed to be completed in 2014;
- (2) (a) how many are still outstanding in each province, (b) how much will it cost, (c) how much has been budgeted for in the (i) 2015-16, (ii) 2016-17, (iii) 2017-18 and (iv) 2018-19 financial years and (d) when will the process be completed?

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REPLY:

(1) The progress made to date with the eradication of bucket system in each province is as follows:

Eastern Cape:

2672

Northern Cape:

2363

Free State:

4056

North West:

402

Limpopo:

11 088 (VIP toilets in rural villages)

Total:

20581

(2)(a) The number of buckets in formal areas still outstanding per province is as follows:

Eastern Cape:

5073

Free State:

15673

Northern Cape:

8337

North West:

198

Total:

29 281

- (2)(b) A budget of R 975 million is available for the 2015-16 financial year.
- (2)(c) Refer to the table below for the budget allocated for each financial year:

Financial Year	Amount	
2015-16	R 975 million	
2016-17	Nil	
2017-18	Nil	
2018-19	Nil	

(2)(d) The buckets in formal areas will be completed by 31 December 2015.

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