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MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES: QUESTION ★112 FOR ORAL REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Ms L L Zwane (KwaZulu-Natal: ANC) is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 05 7 057 2017

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

MRS NP MOKONYANE
MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

DATE: 07.05.17

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES

FOR ORAL REPLY

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★112. Ms L L Zwane (KwaZulu-Natal: ANC) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

Whether any (a) achievements have been reached and (b) progress was made in eradicating the bucket toilet system in formal and informal areas; if not, (a) why not and (b) when will it be eradicated; if so, what are the relevant details?

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REPLY:

- (a) My Department is eradicating Bucket toilets only in the FORMAL AREAS in the following four provinces namely; North West, Eastern Cape, Free State and Northern Cape provinces. Out of 52 249 buckets identified in four provinces, my Department has eradicated a total of 26 514 buckets with an appropriate sanitation technology. The remaining buckets are currently being eradicated and are anticipated for completion by March 2018.
- (b) My Department is eradicating buckets only in FORMAL AREAS; the buckets in the Informal Areas are addressed by the Department of Human Settlements as part of Urban Settlement Development Grant (USDG).

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