PARLIAMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WESTERN CAPE

QUESTION PAPER

WRITTEN REPLY

Note: * Indicates translated version.

FRIDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2014

1. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

- (1) What percentage of firearms handed in during the amnesty period have been destroyed;
- (2) whether any of the firearms handed in were South African Police Service (SAPS) firearms; if so, how many;
- (3) whether any firearms handed in during the amnesty were confiscated; if so, (a) how many and if any (b) how many were SAPS firearms?

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2. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr D Plato, Minister of Community Safety:

How many (a) South African Police Service Act, 1995 (Act No. 68 of 1995) and (b) Public Service Act, 1994 (Act no 103 of 1994) members have left the service in the (i) 2011/12, (ii) 2012/13 and (iii) 2013/14 financial years and (c) what was the reason for the departure of each member?

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3. Ms M M Wenger to ask Mr D A C Grant, Minister of Transport and Public Works:

(1) Whether provincial traffic has conducted any operations or integrated road blocks on the N2 between Crags, Bitou and the Bloukrans Bridge in (i) 2012/13, (ii) 2013/14 and (iii) to date for the current financial year; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2) whether provincial traffic confiscated any illegal substances from vehicles using the N2 between Plettenberg Bay and the Bloukrans Bridge in the (i) 2012/13 and (ii) 2013/14 financial years; if so, what are the relevant details?

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4. Mr F C Christians to ask Mr A W Bredell, Minister of Local Government, Environmental Affairs and Development Planning:

- (1) What measure are being put in place to ensure that the province's water and sanitation infrastructure will not break down in the short-term:
- (2) whether there are any long-term measures to maintain the infrastructure; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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5. Mr F C Christians to ask Mr A R Winde, Minister of Economic Opportunities:

- (1) Whether his department have any statistics indicating the negative effect of "red tape" on the economic growth of the province; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether his department has a strategy to address this; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

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PLEASE NOTE: Replies to the questions contained in this Question Paper are due on 29 October 2014. Should the replies not be submitted on or before the deadline, Members have the right to have the questions transferred in terms of Rule 206 to the Question Paper for oral reply.