

**PARLIAMENT OF THE  
PROVINCE OF THE  
WESTERN CAPE**

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**QUESTION PAPER  
ORAL REPLY**

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Note: \* Indicates translated version.

**THURSDAY, 10 AUGUST 2023**

**INTERPELLATIONS**

- 1. Mr G Bosman to ask Mr R I Allen, Minister of Police Oversight and Community Safety:**

How will devolution empower the Western Cape Government to address challenges surrounding community safety in the Western Cape?

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- 2. Mr D America to ask Mr R D Mackenzie, Minister of Mobility:**

Now that the county's only driving licence printing machine has been fixed after months of being broken:

What does the current licence backlog stand at in the province and (b) how long will it take to clear this backlog?

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**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY**

- 1. Mr C F Christians to ask Mr R I Allen, Minister of Police Oversight and Community Safety**

With regard to illegal firearms confiscated in the province:

- (1) (a) Where does the SAPS store these firearms before destruction and (b) how many times are firearms destroyed per year;
- (2) whether the SAPS has any plans to erect a facility in the province for the destruction of firearms?

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**2. Ms L M Maseko to ask Mr T A Simmers, Minister of Infrastructure:**

Whether his Department has approached the national government to ask them to assist with land for housing delivery in the province; if so, (a) which projects are being undertaken, (b) how much is being spent on these projects and (c) how many housing opportunities will be created?

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**3. Mr D America to ask Mr R D Mackenzie, Minister of Mobility:**

(a) How much will his Department be spending on various bicycle programmes across the province and (b) to date, (i) how many bicycles have been distributed and (ii) where have they been distributed?

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**4. Mr P Marran to ask Dr I H Meyer, Minister of Agriculture:**

What is his Department doing to (a) improve the poor living conditions of farm workers and (b) enhance the economic opportunities for these people?

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**5. Mr M K Sayed to ask Mr D J Maynier, Minister of Education:**

With regard to his Department's decision to close down Linda's Daycare Centre in Bonteheuwel following the death of a toddler over a month ago:

(a) What are the reasons for his Department's decision and (b) what measures are in place to ensure the safety of children at ECD centres in the province?

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