

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES

QUESTION PAPER

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THURSDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2017

PRESIDENT

Implementation of Declaration of 9th BRICS Summit

★1. Mr S J Mohai (Free State: ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

- (1) Whether, as part of the implementation of the Declaration of the 9th BRICS Summit (details furnished), the Government will expand support for the manufacturing sector in order to ensure that it also benefits from the strong manufacturing sector of other BRICS countries; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether this will include collaboration to enhance South Africa's Industrialisation Programme in order to create jobs for our people and grow the economy; if not, why not; if so, (a) what plans are in place to implement the Declaration and (b) what are the further relevant details? CO556E

Cabinet reshuffle

★2. Mr J J Londt (Western Cape: DA) to ask the President of the Republic:

What were the reasons for his decision to effect the 11th Cabinet reshuffle on 17 October 2017? CO548E

Performance of Cabinet

★3 Mr M Khawula (KwaZulu-Natal: IFP) to ask the President of the Republic:

- (1) Whether the (a) monitoring and (b) evaluation of the performance of Ministers and Deputy Ministers has any impact in any way in the consideration of Cabinet reshuffling; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) whether such considerations have any bearing on the ousting of the former (a) Minister Pravin Gordhan, (b) Minister Blade Nzimande, (c) Minister Derek Hanekom and (d) Deputy Minister Mcebisi Jonas; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? CO555E

Development of programmes

★4. Mr E R Makue (Gauteng: ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

Whether South Africa has developed any programmes that give expression to the Southern African Development Community Regional Infrastructure Development Master Plan that was adopted in Maputo in August 2012 (details furnished) in order to address the shortage of water in the region; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

CO557E

Representations to NPA

★5. Mr G Michalakis (Free State: DA) to ask the President of the Republic:

Whether he intends to make fresh representations to the National Prosecuting Authority on the alleged 783 charges of corruption, fraud and racketeering before the deadline of 30 November 2017; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?

CO552E

Progress in unlocking economic potential

★6. Mr L P M Nzimande (KwaZulu-Natal: ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

(1) Whether, in line with Operation Phakisa Oceans Economy, the Government is making any progress in unlocking the economic potential of South Africa's oceans, especially in affording the previously marginalised such as blacks, women, youth and rural communities greater access to the oceans economy; if not, why not; if so, (a) what progress and (b) what are the further relevant details;

(2) whether any plans are in place for greater investment in order to ensure that rural communities which are located along the coastal line areas have more economic initiatives that will create jobs; if not, why not; if so, (a) what plans and (b) what are the further relevant details?

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