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THURSDAY, 16 MARCH 2017

PRESIDENT

★1. Ms P T Mantashe (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

With reference to his speech to the leaders of business and leaders of labour on the eve of the State of the Nation Address, in which he highlighted the challenges of inequality and economic exclusion in our country, what (a) does the Government envisage the roles of industry and organised labour to be in tackling the specified challenges and (b) is the role of the Government in fostering unity of purpose given the historical antagonism between the two groups? NO387E

★2. The Leader of the Opposition (DA) to ask the President of the Republic:

What steps has he, as the head of the national executive, taken to ensure that all members of the Executive and any other person who takes an oath of public office and whose assumption of such office is dependent on his prerogative as the President evinces accountability, integrity and respect for the public and rule of law?NO394E

★3. Mr M S A Masango (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

In light of the fact that 2017 marks the 50th anniversary of the occupation of Palestinian and other Arab lands by the state of Israel, and that there is talk in certain quarters of a one-state solution to this long drawn-out conflict, what diplomatic measures is the Government pursuing within world bodies in order to find a lasting solution to this conflict? NO388E

★4. Ms L L van der Merwe (IFP) to ask the President of the Republic:

(a) What steps does he intend to take against the Minister of Social Development who has allegedly led her department into a national grant pay-out crisis which puts the lives of the most vulnerable citizens at risk and allegedly shown a complete disregard for the rule of law and the Constitutional Court ruling of 2014 which declared the CPS/NET1 contract invalid and (b) what lessons has the Government learnt from the looming grant crisis? NO395E

★5. Mr M S Mabika (NFP) to ask the President of the Republic:

Whether, in light of the *State of Capture* report of the Public Protector that resulted in the resignation of Mr Brian Molefe as Chief Executive Officer of Eskom, he intends to appoint Mr Molefe to an executive position in the Government? NO386E

★6. Mr A J Williams (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

(a) Whether, in light of the slow rate of global and domestic economic growth, the national infrastructure programme is making a positive contribution to the economy, job sustainability and transformation and (b) what role has the Presidential Infrastructure Coordinating Commission played in helping to improve the delivery of infrastructure? NO492E