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# **QUESTION PAPER**

Note:

1. ★ Indicates a question for oral reply.

2. ★★ Indicates an urgent question approved in accordance with Rule 141(1)(b).

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## QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY

#### **TUESDAY, 6 NOVEMBER 2018**

#### **PRESIDENT**

Questions standing over from Thursday, 18 October 2018, in accordance with Rule 144(1)(a):

#### **★±**19. The Leader of the Opposition (DA) to ask the President of the Republic:

With reference to the statement of The Presidency on 15 October 2018 (details furnished), on what date (a) did he first become aware of the alleged involvement of executives in corruption and looting at the VBS Mutual Bank and (b) did he subsequently take any action in this regard?

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### **★20.** Mr B A Radebe (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

What will the Government do differently, in light of the stimulus and recovery plan unveiled on Friday, 21 September 2018, that highlights the setting up of the SA Infrastructure Fund which will fundamentally transform the Government's approach to the rollout, building and implementation of infrastructure projects that rely on the need to ensure policy certainty and consistency, in order to attract investors in minerals and petroleum exploration, tourism and agriculture, (a) that will create new jobs on a substantive scale, attract investment and lay a foundation for sustainable economic expansion and (b) in undertaking measures to improve policy certainty across the minerals and petroleum, tourism and agricultural sectors of our economy? NO3112E

## **★21.** Mr X Ngwezi (IFP) to ask the President of the Republic:

With reference to the Minister of Police and the National Commissioner of the SA Police Service announcing a new strategy called the High Density Stabilisation Intervention (HDSI) aimed at crimes such as cash-in-transit heists, car hijackings, murder, house robbery, and gang and taxi-related violence, what intervention strategies are in place or does his Government intend to put in place to eradicate more than 90% of violent crimes and criminal activity which fall outside the Minister's HDSI and is taking place in the schooling system that is fast becoming a breeding ground for gang-related crime and violence among learners against other learners and by learners against teachers?

### **★22.** Mr B H Holomisa (UDM) to ask the President of the Republic:

Whether, with reference to the recurrence of violent community protests where anger is directed to the local sphere of government, whilst the issues at hand are actually within the competency of both the national and provincial governments, he has any plans and programmes to coordinate his Government, either in a form of clustered Ministers or any other form, to visit the affected communities collectively and/or individually for the purpose of accounting to the people of such affected communities and present them with detailed responses; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?

#### **★23.** Mr F Beukman (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

In view of his commitment to use the country's tenure as a non-permanent member of the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) to help resolve regional and global conflicts and promote inclusive growth as part of the effort to ensure a better Africa and a better world, how will the Government (a) help to resolve the most pressing global conflicts and (b) promote a more equitable and inclusive economic growth globally in a climate of growing unilateralism and militarism by the very members of the UNSC?

### **★24.** Rev K R J Meshoe (ACDP) to ask the President of the Republic:

Whether, with reference to his reply to supplementary questions on oral question 5 in the National Council of Provinces on 11 September 2018 and with particular reference to the R33 billion in loans from the Government of the People's Republic of China, any amendments or conditions were written into the Government's Guarantee Framework Agreement upon which loans are accepted from any foreign government; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?

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#### **★25.** Ms L S Makhubela-Mashele (ANC) to ask the President of the Republic:

In view of the last few months in which the centenary celebration of the birth of President N R Mandela is celebrated, there is also an increasing opportunistic and open display of ethnic chauvinism and narrow nationalism which present a threat to the Republic's national social cohesion, what (a) are the measures that the Government is taking to advance the values enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic, 1996, that South Africa belongs to all who live in it, united in our diversity and (b) are the sustainable solutions the Government intends implementing going forward?

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