

## NATIONAL COUNCIL OF PROVINCES

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# QUESTION PAPER

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### NOTE:

1. † Indicates translated version of the question.
2. ★ Indicates a question for oral reply.
3. **In terms of Rule 246(4), no more than six questions for oral reply may be put to a Minister in respect of any one Government department on any particular day. Questions in excess of this quota are summarised at the end of the Question Paper.**

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**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL REPLY****THURSDAY, 5 NOVEMBER 2020***Assistance of NHI***★77. Ms A D Maleka (Mpumalanga: ANC) to ask the Minister of Health:**

How will a functioning National Health Insurance assist in (a) our fight against a pandemic such as Covid-19 (details furnished) and (b) the general improvement of health services in the country? CO844E

*Medico-legal dilemma***★68. Ms D C Christians (Northern Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Health:**

Whether his department will adopt any measures to deal with medico-legal dilemma (details furnished); if not, why not; if so, what measures? CO835E

*Permanent employment of nurses***★58. Mr K Motsamai (Gauteng: EFF) to ask the Minister of Health:**

Whether his department intends to employ permanently the nurses who were employed temporarily for Covid-19 pandemic; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? CO825E

*Minimising effects of Covid-19***★53. Mr A B Cloete (Free State: FF Plus) to ask the Minister of Health:**

Whether the severely restrictive measures under the various lockdown stages contributed effectively towards minimising the effects of Covid-19 pandemic; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details? CO820E

*Community-based primary healthcare***★69. Ms D C Christians (Northern Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Health:**

Given that South Africa has been identified as one of the unhealthy countries on the planet as a result of the failure of the primary healthcare, with approximately 80% of the population depending on public health services, how is his department planning to renew focus on community-based primary healthcare which proactively deals with disease-prevention in communities? CO836E

*Procurement/awarding of tenders for PPEs*

**★79. Mr M E Nchabeleng (Limpopo: ANC) to ask the Minister of Health:**

- (1) What measures are in place to ensure that the alleged widespread corruption on the procurement and awarding of tenders for personal protective equipment (PPEs) in the fight against Covid-19 will not be repeated;
- (2) whether all those involved in such corruption have been charged; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether there are enough PPEs for frontline employees, especially health care workers; if not, why not; if so what are the relevant details? CO846E

*Audit of statues/symbols/monuments*

**★72. Ms D C Christians (Northern Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

- (1) Whether his department has undertaken a full audit of all statues, symbols and monuments as endorsed by the President and Cabinet recently (details furnished); if not, why not; if so, (a) when and (b) what are the further relevant details;
- (2) whether his department has established a consultative task team which will be leading the process in order to engage with parliamentary committees in this regard; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether any public consultative processes will be undertaken before the removal of any monuments or heritage sites; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? CO839E

*Sector relief programme*

**★80. Ms M N Gillion (Western Cape: ANC) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

- (a) What relief assistance his department has provided to entertainers as there have been complaints from them of not being assisted after his announcement of the sector relief programme in March 2020 and (b) how effective was the programme? CO847E

*Funding of KZN Entertainment Awards*

**★66. Mr S E Mfayela (KwaZulu-Natal: IFP) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

- (1) Whether his department has any plans to fund the KwaZulu-Natal Entertainment Awards ceremony that will take place on 15 December 2020 (details furnished); if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, (a) what plans and (b) what are the further relevant details;

- (2) whether funding such a ceremony would not be a waste of government funds; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) whether such funds could be used to improve the lives of citizens; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details? CO833E

*Lack of development of sporting codes*

**★56. Mr A Arnolds (Western Cape: EFF) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

Whether any intervention measures are in place to address (a) equitable participation in sports and (b) the lack of development of sporting codes, especially in the underprivileged and previously disadvantaged communities; if not, why not; if so, what measures? CO823E

*Assistance to arts/culture sector*

**★73. Ms D C Christians (Northern Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

- (1) What strategies are in place to assist the arts and culture sector to get more clientele as the lockdown has restricted such activity (details furnished);
- (2) whether such strategies will include public awareness; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) what financial assistance is being provided as the country is going through an economic recession and many people may no longer afford taking cultural visits? CO840E

*Agreement between department/UN Development Programme*

**★82. Ms N Ndongeni (Eastern Cape: ANC) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

How will the signed partnership agreement between his department and the United Nations Development Programme in South Africa which aimed to intensify efforts to strengthen national social cohesion assist in (a) minimising and/or (b) totally ending unpleasant incidents such as what recently happened in Senekal and other areas? CO849E

*Questions for oral reply transferred for written reply in terms of Rule 246(4):*

- ★54. Mr A Arnolds (Western Cape: EFF)—Sport, Arts and Culture.
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- ★57. Ms B T Mathevula (Limpopo: EFF)—Health.
- ★59. Mr K Motsamai (Gauteng: EFF)—Sport, Arts and Culture.
- ★60. Mr M S Moletsane (Free State: EFF)—Health.

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- ★61. Ms S B Lehihi (North West: EFF)—Health.
- ★62. Ms S A Luthuli (KwaZulu-Natal: EFF)—Health.
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- ★70. Mr M R Bara (Gauteng: DA)—Health.
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- ★83. Mr I Ntsube (Free State: ANC)—Sport, Arts and Culture.