

**MINISTER OF DEFENCE AND MILITARY VETERANS**



**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR ORAL / WRITTEN REPLY**

**CLUSTER 1: PEACE AND SECURITY**

**QUESTION NO 304**

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**Inkosi R N Cebekhulu (IFP) to ask the Minister of Defence and Military Veterans:**

- (1) (a) What portion of the proposed budget of her department is used to service inoperative members and
- (b) Total number of members of the SA National Defence Force are on extended leave and/or suspension and considered as being inoperative?

**REPLY:**

- (1) (a) The members are paid from the HR budget of the Department of Defence (DoD) annual budget, there is no separate budget for inoperative
- (b) A total of **35** members of SANDF that are placed on Leave on Instruction and a total number of **55** members of SANDF are placed on Suspension.

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**MINISTER OF DEFENCE AND MILITARY VETERANS: MP**

**DATE:** *31/08/2022*