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**Mr J Vos (DA) to ask the Minister of Tourism:**

(1) (a) What number of Social Responsibility Implementation (SRI) projects are still in their construction phase and (b) what is the (i) name and (ii) cost of each specified project;

(2) (a) what number of SRI projects have not been completed due to problems experienced and (b) what is the (i) name and (ii) cost of each specified project;

(3) whether any legal processes have been launched in terms of the projects which have not been completed; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details in each case;

(4) which SRI projects have been successfully completed in the (a) 2014-15 and (b) 2015-16 financial years? NW1149E

**Reply**

1(a) Twenty three **(**23) projects are still in their construction phase.

| **No.** | **(1b) (i) Project name**  | **1(b) (ii)****Project budget (cost)** | **Municipality** |
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| **EASTERN CAPE** |
|  | Mbashe, Coffee Bay, Mvezo N Mandela – Phase 3 | R33,610,054 | King Sabata Dalindyebo Local Municipality |
|  | Mthonsi Lodge | R28,215,000 | Nkonkobe Local Municipality |
|  | Steve Biko Heritage | R12,062,348 | Buffalo City Local Municipality |
|  | Aliwal Spa Project - Phase 3 | R 7,930,080 | Makana Local Municipality |
|  | Qatywa Eco-Tourism Development | R23,750,000 | Mbashe Local Municipality |
|  | Cradock Four Garden of Remembrance – Phase 2 | R13,056,403 | Inxuba Yethemba Local Municipality |
| **FREE STATE** |
| 7. | Accommodation Facilities at Metsi Matso Dam - Phase 3 | R28,851,326 | Thabo Mofutsanyane District Municipality |
| 8. | Sentinel Peak Car Park Access | R11,432,622 | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |
| 9 | Witsieshoek Mountain Hotel Project | R25,367,200 | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |
| 10. | Building a Guest House in Qwa Qwa | R16,906,319 | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |
| **GAUTENG** |
| 11. | Alexandra Mandela Yard Project | R24,631,000 | City of Johannesburg Metropolitan Municipality |
| 12 | Komjekejeke Heritage Site Project  | R21,185,000 | Metsweding District Municipality |
| **KWAZULU-NATAL** |
| 13. | Muzi Pan | R 9,405,000 | Jozini Local Municipality |
| 14. | Lilani Hot springs | R18,810,000 | Umvoti Local Municipality |
| **LIMPOPO** |
| 15. | Khalanga Guest Lodge - Phase 2 | R23,512,500 | Greater Tzaneen Local Municipality |
| 15. | Mahlathi Village Tourism | R17,575,181 | Greater Giyani Local Municipality |
| 16. | Mukumbani Waterfalls -Phase 3 | R18,810,000 | Thulamela Local Municipality |
| 17. | Muyexe Tourism Project | R14,107,500 | Greater Giyani Local Municipality |
| 18. | Ngove Cultural Village - Phase 2 | R20,133,951 | Greater Giyani Local Municipality |
| 19. | Tisane Cultural Village | R18,810,000 | Makhudutamaga Local Municipality |
| **MPUMALANGA** |
| 20. | Middelburg Information Centre - Phase 2 | R 905,158 | Steve Tshwete Local Municipality |
| 21 |  Barberton Tourism and Biodiversity Corridor |  R24,784,279 | Umjindi Local Municipality |
| **NORTHERN CAPE** |
| 22. | Caravan Park Kai Garib Project | R 6,474,163 | !Kai! Garib Local Municipality |
| **NORTH WEST** |
| 23. |  Manyane Lodge Project | R47,515,112 | Ngaka Modiri Molema District Municipality |

2 (a) Six (6) projects have not been completed due to problems experienced

2(b)(i) and (ii) Projects that experienced problems.

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| **No** | **2b(i) Name of project** | **2(b)(ii) Cost** | **Municipality** |
| **EASTERN CAPE** |
| 1. | Western Tembuland | R10,449,156 | Emalahleni Local Municipality |
| 2. | Upgrading of Kiwane Campsite - Phase 3 | R 9,500,000 | Buffalo City Local Municipality |
| 3.  | Upgrading of Kiwane Campsite - Phase 2 | R 9, 500,000 | Buffalo City Local Municipality |
| **FREE STATE** |
| 4. |  Barolong Ba Seleka | R 3,372,500 | Mangaung Local Municipality |
| **LIMPOPO** |
| 5. | Sekhukhune Cultural Village – Phase 2 | R 7,600,000 | Fetakgomo Local Municipality |
| 6. | Bohlabela Cultural Village - Phase 2 | R 9,500,000 | Bushbuckridge Municipality |

(3) Legal process and details per project:

| **No** |  **(3) Name of project** | **(3) Relevant Details** | **Municipality** |
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| **EASTERN CAPE** |
| 1. | Western Tembuland | * Yes, a notice of breach of contract has been issued to the implementer.
* Disciplinary action has been taken against the official for the dereliction of duty.
* The department is now pursuing the option of cancellation of the contract and appointing another service provider to complete the project.
 | Emalahleni Local Municipality |
| 2. | Upgrading of Kiwane Campsite - Phase 3 | Case opened with SAPS – being investigated for possible misuse of State funds | Buffalo City Local Municipality |
| 3. | Upgrading of Kiwane Campsite -Phase 2 | Case opened with SAPS – being investigated for possible misuse of State funds | Buffalo City Local Municipality |
| **FREE STATE** |
| 4. | Barolong Ba Seleka | * No, the project is one of those ceded from the then Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism to the Department of Tourism following the split of the two departments in 2010.
* The challenges were immediately identified, however the contract with the implementer had expired and the whereabouts of the implementer are unknown.
* The department is looking into various options whether to complete the project or not.
 | Mangaung Local Municipality |
| **LIMPOPO** |
| 5. | Sekhukhune Cultural Village - Phase 2 | Case opened with SAPS – being investigated for possible misuse of State funds | Fetakgomo Local Municipality |
| **MPUMALANGA** |
| 6. | Bohlabela Cultural Village -Phase 2 | Case opened with SAPS – being investigated for possible misuse of State funds | Bushbuckridge Municipality |

(4) (a) Projects that were successfully implemented in 2014/2015.

| **No.** | **4(a) 2014/15 Completed projects** | **Municipality** |
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| **EASTERN CAPE** |
| 1. | Manqondo Tourism | King Sabata Dalindyebo Local Municipality |
| 2. | Wonkumuntu Tourism | King Sabata Dalindyebo Local Municipality |
| 3. | IP OR Tambo Heritage | Mbizana Local Municipality |
| **KWAZULU-NATAL** |
| 4. | Muzi Pan | Jozini Local Municipality |
| 5. | Ntuzuma | eThekwini Metropolitan Municipality |
|  **LIMPOPO** |
| 6. | Mukumbani Waterfall | Thulamela Local Municipality |
| **FREE STATE** |
| 7. | Black Water Fly Fishing | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |
| 8. | Establishment of Central Communication Centre | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |

4 (b) Projects that were successfully completed in 2015/2016

| **No** | **(4) (b) 2015/16 Completed projects** | **Municipality** |
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| **EASTERN CAPE** |
|  1. | IP OR Tambo Heritage Route | Mbizana Local Municipality |
|  2. | Bongolo Dam | Lukanji Local Municipality |
|  3. | Ndlambe Tourism Infrastructure | Ndlambe Local Municipality |
|  4. | Grahamstown Caravan Park | Makana Local Municipality |
|  5. | Maluti Hiking and Horse Trail | Matatiele Municipality |
| **FREE STATE** |
|  6. | Establishment of Central Communication Centre | Maluti a Phofung Local Municipality |
| **KWAZULU-NATAL** |
|  7. | Mpumalanga Gateway | eThekwini Metropolitan Municipality |
| **NORTHERN CAPE** |
|  8. |  Frances Baard Park | Sol Plaatjie Local Municipality |
| **WESTERN CAPE** |
|  9. | False Bay Ecology Project | City of Cape Town Metro |
| 10. | Donkey Tracking Route - Phase 3 | Cederberg Local Municipality |
| 11. | Tourism Development for Atlantis - Phase 2 | City of Cape Town Metro |