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**1029. Ms L L van der Merwe (IFP) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

Whether the directive explaining the 2018 *Naki v Director General Home Affairs* judgment and the 2021 Centre for Child Law v Director General: Department of Home Affairs and Others judgment has been finalised, as it was reported to the Portfolio Committee on Social Development on 2 March 2022 that finalisation was imminent; if not, by what date is it envisaged that the directive will be (a) finalised and (b) sent to local offices; if so, will she furnish Ms L L van der Merwe with a copy of the final directive? NW1276E

**REPLY:**

As the Honourable Member is aware, the matter in question relates to the Constitutional Court judgment against the Director-General of the Department of Home Affairs. I am therefore unable to respond to the question as it relates to the mandate of another Department.