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 **Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

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Please find attached a response to Parliamentary Questionfor **written reply** asked by **Ms H Ismail (DA) to the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

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**Deputy Director General: Mineral and Petroleum Regulation**

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**Mr. Jacob Mbele**

**Director General: Department of Mineral Resources and Energy**

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**Mr. S.G Mantashe**

**Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy**

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1. **Ms H Ismail (DA) to ask the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

(a) What is the total number of all mines operating in each province, (b) who are the owners of the specified mines and (c) what has been their social responsibility contribution in the past five years? NW1358E

**Reply**

1. The number of operating mines in all provinces is 573
2. and (c) Please see **“Annexure A”**