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**113. Ms B S Masango (DA) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

What are the relevant details of the Ministerial Programmes that were allocated an additional R5 million under her department’s adjusted budget? NW113E

**Reply:**

The Minister of Social Development was involved in various Departmental and outreach programmes during the 2015/16 financial year. The additional funding allocated as part of the 2015 Adjusted Estimates process, was mainly for the following activities:

**May 2015**

* Post National Council of Provinces (NCOP) budget vote event, in Parliament, CPT
* Opening of an ECD, KwaLanga CPT
* DSD NCOP Budget vote
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* MINMEC meeting
* Child Protection Week Activities

**June 2015**

* Opening address on the Day of the Africa Child
* International Day on Families
* DSD youth day celebration

**July 2015**

* International Day Against Substance Abuse, Eersterust ,PTA
* World Population Day

**August 2015**

* Launch of Cooperatives, Popo Molefe Informal Settlement, Rustenburg
* Launch of Food Security programme, Free State

**September 2015**

* National Summit on Social Development White paper, Boksburg
* 70th session of the UN general debate, at General assembly, NY (New York)

**October 2015**

* Active Ageing Programme
  + International day to Old Persons
  + Grandparents day
  + Ministerial Luncheon with Gauteng struggle veterans
  + 3rd National Parliament for Older Persons
  + 1st National Choir Festival
  + AGM of South African Older Persons Forum/ Conference of Older Persons

**November 2015**

* HIV/Aids Awareness Campaign
* Disability Month activities
* Launch of Community Nutrition and Development Centers (CNDC’s)
* Meetings of Minster and MEC (MINMEC)
* Various provincial Mikondzo Imbizos (DSD Services)
* 7th African Population Conference

**December 2015**

* Anti – Substance Abuse Festival Campaign, Durban