

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

FOR WRITTEN REPLYQUESTION 1317

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1317. Mr A G Whitfield (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:

- (1) Since the 2012-2013 financial year, (a) what number of members of the SA Police Service (SAPS) in each province who were accused of violent misconduct did the SAPS management place on provisional suspension and/or desk duty, pending the completion of the Independent Police Investigative Directorate's investigation (b) on what date was each member charged and (c) what was the charge against each specified member,
- (2) whether there are instances or occasions where one member of the SAPS has been accused and suspended more than once; if so, what are (a) their names and (b) the details of the charges?

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REPLY:

(1)(a)

PROV - DIV	2012/ 2013	2013/ 2014	2014/ 2015	2015/ 2016	2016/ 2017	2017/ 2018	2018/ 2019	2019/ 2020	2020/ 2021	TOTAL SUSPENSIONS	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	108	190	266	507	214	134	226	264	266		2175
FREE STATE	66	46	191	295	185	125	122	114	143		1287
GAUTENG	18	17	179	136	112	53	69	275	118	5	977
KWAZULU-NATAL	21	40	61	81	49	21	83	34	67	23	457
LIMPOPO	43	17	46	123	45	36	28	30	20	1	388
MPUMALANGA	49	39	91	135	148	52	72	65	57	2	708
NORTH WEST	55	61	108	278	196	115	156	105	68		1142
NORTHERN CAPE	53	41	65	105	88	130	73	35	29	11	619
WESTERN CAPE	129	147	355	316	304	180	258	193	175		2057
CRIME INTELLIGENCE	4	1	1	14	4	5	8	7	9	2	53
DPCI		2		11	5	2	3	6	1	1	30
FORENSIC SERVICES			2		2	3		2	1		10
HRD							1	1			2
ORS	1	5	20	1	7	6	25	27	4		96
PPS							1	2			3
PSS	2		7	1	5		4	5	1	5	25
SCM						1	2	2			5
VISPOL				7	11	1	15	15	3		52
Grand Total	549	606	1392	2010	1375	864	1146	1182	962	50	10086

(1)(b)(c) The name list with dates are attached as annexure A.

PROV - DIV	2012-2013			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	16	7	85	108
FREE STATE	4	2	60	66
GAUTENG	7	1	10	18
KZN	7	5	9	21
LIMPOPO	9		34	43
MPUMALANGA	14		35	49
NORTH WEST	5		50	55
NORTHERN CAPE	5	4	44	53
WESTERN CAPE	19	13	97	129
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			4	4
ORS			1	1
PSS	1	1		2
Grand Total	87	33	429	549

PROV - DIV	2013-2014			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	23	4	163	190
FREE STATE	1	1	44	46
GAUTENG	4		13	17
KZN	9	7	24	40
LIMPOPO	3	1	13	17
MPUMALANGA	1	2	36	39
NORTH WEST	1	1	59	61
NORTHERN CAPE			41	41
WESTERN CAPE	3	12	132	147
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			1	1
DPCI			2	2
ORS	1	1	3	5
Grand Total	46	29	531	606

PROV - DIV	2014-2015			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	14	4	248	266
FREE STATE	6	4	181	191
GAUTENG	20	6	153	179
KZN	1	2	58	61
LIMPOPO			46	46
MPUMALANGA		3	88	91
NORTH WEST	5	8	95	108
NORTHERN CAPE		3	62	65
WESTERN CAPE	7	5	343	355
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			1	1
FORENSIC SERVICES		1	1	2
ORS	1		19	20
PSS	3	1	3	7
Grand Total	57	37	1298	1392

PROV - DIV	2015-2016			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	57	10	440	507
FREE STATE	3	4	288	295
GAUTENG	42	4	90	136
KZN		2	79	81
LIMPOPO	4	3	116	123
MPUMALANGA	1		134	135
NORTH WEST	87	1	190	278
NORTHERN CAPE		4	101	105
WESTERN CAPE	18	10	288	316
CRIME INTELLIGENCE	2	1	11	14
DPCI			11	11
ORS			1	1
PSS			1	1
VISPOL		1	6	7
Grand Total	214	40	1756	2010

PROV - DIV	2016-2017			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	20	2	192	214
FREE STATE	2	3	180	185
GAUTENG	14	8	90	112
KZN	1		48	49
LIMPOPO	5	2	38	45
MPUMALANGA	10		138	148
NORTH WEST	4	2	190	196
NORTHERN CAPE		2	86	88
WESTERN CAPE	17	8	279	304
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			4	4
DPCI	1		4	5
FORENSIC SERVICES		2		2
ORS	1		6	7
PSS	1	1	3	5
VISPOL			11	11
Grand Total	76	30	1289	1375

PROV - DIV	2017-2018			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	23	12	99	134
FREE STATE	2	4	119	125
GAUTENG	16	1	36	53
KZN			21	21
LIMPOPO	3	1	32	36
MPUMALANGA		1	51	52
NORTH WEST	12	5	98	115
NORTHERN CAPE	3	3	124	130
WESTERN CAPE	10	6	164	180
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			5	5
DPCI			2	2
FORENSIC SERVICES	1	1	1	3
ORS		3	3	6
SCM			1	1
VISPOL			1	1
Grand Total	70	37	757	864

PROV - DIV	2018-2019			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	17	7	202	226
FREE STATE	1	3	118	122
GAUTENG	12	3	54	69
KZN	13	3	67	83
LIMPOPO	3		25	28
MPUMALANGA	5		67	72
NORTH WEST	10	3	143	156
NORTHERN CAPE	1	3	69	73
WESTERN CAPE	14		244	258
CRIME INTELLIGENCE	2	1	5	8
DPCI			3	3
HRD	1			1
ORS	8	1	16	25
PPS	1			1
PSS	2	2		4
SCM			2	2
VISPOL	2		13	15
Grand Total	92	26	1028	1146

PROV - DIV	2019-2020			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	20	3	241	264
FREE STATE	3	3	108	114
GAUTENG	36	2	237	275
KZN	13	1	20	34
LIMPOPO			30	30
MPUMALANGA	14		51	65
NORTH WEST	15	1	89	105
NORTHERN CAPE		5	30	35
WESTERN CAPE	12		181	193
CRIME INTELLIGENCE			7	7
DPCI			6	6
FORENSIC SERVICES		2		2
HRD	1			1
ORS	10		17	27
PPS	2			2
PSS	1	3	1	5
SCM			2	2
VISPOL			15	15
Grand Total	127	20	1035	1182

PROV - DIV	2020-2021			
	DEATH AS A RESULT OF POLICE ACTION	RAPE BY A POLICE OFFICER	TORTURE OR ASSAULT	TOTAL CHARGES
EASTERN CAPE	27	8	233	268
FREE STATE	7	2	134	143
GAUTENG	23	11	84	118
KZN	39	2	26	67
LIMPOPO	1		19	20
MPUMALANGA	6		51	57
NORTH WEST	7		61	68
NORTHERN CAPE	5	1	23	29
WESTERN CAPE	16	5	154	175
CRIME INTELLIGENCE	4		5	9
DPCI			1	1
FORENSIC SERVICES		1		1
ORS	4			4
PSS		1		1
VISPOL	2	1		3
Grand Total	141	30	791	962

The manual system that the South African Police Service has been using to update disciplinary related matters has been compromised by the evolving of the system and a new spreadsheet, which has been found to be reliable, was developed. In light of this, information has to be obtained from the archived files.

2(a)(b)

NO	RANK	INITIALS & SURNAME	TYPE OF CHARGE
1	CONSTABLE	BD VISAGIE	TORTURE OR ASSAULT
2	CONSTABLE	PA FAKU	TORTURE OR ASSAULT

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**MINISTER OF POLICE
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