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QUESTION 1340

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1340 Mr M G E Hendricks (Al Jamah-Ah) asked the Minister of Police:
[Interdepartmental transfer from Public Works and Infrastructure with effect Tuesday, 3 May 2022]

- (1) Whether, given that the Sanddrift Stadium sports ground in Northern Paarl has become a white elephant and is now on its way to dilapidation, he will give an indication of the date by which repairs will be done to the specified stadium; if not, why not; if so, by what date;**
- (2) whether, noting that the specified stadium was the property of the SA Police Service Academy that has not been used for many years and that poor sports clubs and schools are denied permission to use the facility, he will consider handing over the stadium and sports ground to the Noorder-Paarl High School that is situated next to the stadium and does not have proper sports facilities in comparison to former Model C-schools; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details?**

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REPLY:

- (1)(2) The Sanddrift sport stadium is not the property nor under the control or the responsibility of the South African Police Service (SAPS) Paarl Academy. The stadium is not utilised for the activities of SAPS. Therefore, there is no intention by the SAPS to repair the stadium.**

Local sports teams and private driver training, which is leased out through the Drakenstein municipality or the National Department of Public Works and Infrastructure (NDPWI), make use of the stadium.


The upkeep and maintenance of the Sanddrift stadium is the responsibility of Drakenstein municipality and the NDPWI. Therefore, the handing over of the stadium, should be considered by the relevant authorities.

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MINISTER OF POLICE
GENERAL BH CELE, MP

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