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**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 1447**

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**1447. Ms M W A Mazzone (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:**

(1) Whether, with reference to the reply of the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs to question 2945 on 8 September 2015, the investigation being conducted by the Hawks into allegations at the Kannaland Local Municipality in the Western Cape has been completed yet; if not, (a) why not and (b) when is the investigation likely to be concluded; if so, when will the outcome of the specified investigation be announced;

(2) whether any criminal charges have been laid against any subject of the specified investigation; if not, why not; if so, (a) against whom and (b) what are the further relevant details in this regard?

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**REPLY:**

1. The investigation is concluded and the case dockets were referred to the Director of Public Prosecutions for decision.
2. No individuals or entity has been charged. A decision from the Director of Public Prosecutions is awaited on whether to prosecute or not.