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**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO.: 1475**

**Mr T W Mhlongo (DA) to ask the Minister of Communications:**

Whether the SA Broadcasting Corporation has granted any licences to boxing promoters (a) in the 2016-17 financial year and (b) since 1 April 2017; if so, (i) how many licences were granted, (ii) what are the names of the boxing promoters/companies and (iii) what are the relevant costs involved in each case? NW1617E

**REPLY**

Acoording to the SABC:

(a) and (b), Yes, (i) 7 Licenses were granted during the period 2016/17, (ii) Names of the Consortium of African Promoters are as follows;

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| * Sibongile Matiti |  |  |
| * Maxhoba Mabuti |  |  |
| * Mxolisi Jamani |  |  |
| * Lukhanyo Ndubane |  |  |
| * Phathutshedzo Dongola |  |  |
| * Ayanda Lennox Matiti |  |  |
| * Alban-Cedric Wilson |  |  |
| * Vuyani Bungu |  |  |
| * Samuel Tshele Kometsi of TK Promotions – May 2016 * Victory Sport Promotions - June 2016   + Victor Roger Roberts   + Shanell Winlock Pailman * Ayanda Lennox Matiti of Xaba Promotions – July 2016 * Lebo Mohoko of Roomus Trading – October 2016 * Dean Lonergan of Duco Promotions – December 2016 * Samuel Tshele Kometsi of TK Promotions – April 2017 |  |  |

(iii) Auditing process on the cost has not not been concluded