**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION NO. 1483-2022**

**WRITTEN REPLY**

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**“Inkosi B N Luthuli (IFP) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

What (a) are the largest cultural festivals that were supported by his department in the past two years and (b) total amount of financial support was provided in each case? **NW1803E**

**REPLY**

1. The list of largest cultural festivals that were supported in the past two financial years are listed below:

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| **Name of Local Music/ Arts Festival** | **Beneficiary / Company** | **2020/21** | **2021/22** |
| Moretele Tribute Concert | Drakensburg Promotions | R 2 500 000 | R2 500 000 |
| Ebubeleni Music Festival | Mahambehlala Communications | R2 500 000 | R2 500 000 |
| We Can Arts Festival | Outrage Concepts CC | R 2 500 000 | R 2 500 000 |
| Johannesburg International Comedy Festival | Johannesburg International Comedy Festival | R1 500 000 | R1 500 000 |
| Buyel 'Khaya Pan African Festival | Mbuyambo Cultural Organization NPC | R 2 500 000 | R 2 500 000 |
| National Arts Festival | National Arts Festival NPC | R 3 000 000 | R 2 500 000 |
| Marula Festival | Limpopo Department of Sport, Arts and Culture | 0 | R4 000 000 |
| Mpumalanga Cultural Experience | Mpumalanga Department of Culture, Sport and Recreation | 0 | R2 000 000 |
| The Cape Town Carnival | The Cape Town Carnival Trust | R2 500 000.00 | R2 250 000.00 |
| The Suidooster Fees | The Suidooster Fees | R1 500 000 | R1 250 000 |