

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**DUE TO PARLIAMENT: FRIDAY, 24 JULY 2020**

**1485. Ms A L A Abrahams (DA) to ask the Minister of Small Business Development:**

**(1) With reference to the total number of small, medium and micro enterprises (SMME) relief funding applications that her department has received to date, what total number of the specified applications (a) were received from (i) early childhood development centres and (ii) partial care facilities, (b) in each case qualified for SMME relief funding and (c) were rejected in each case;**

**(2) what were the reasons for each rejected application in each case;**

**(3) what total (a) number of the qualifying applicants in each case have been paid out, (b) amount in Rand has been paid out to qualifying applicants in each case and (c) amount in Rand still needs to be paid out to qualifying applicants in each case?****NW1856E**

**REPLY:**

(1)(a)(i) The total number of applications received from early childhood development centres is 11 (eleven)

(1)(a)(Ii) The total number of applications received from partial care facilities is 0 (zero).

(1)(b)&(c) and (3)(a)-(c):

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|  | No | Name of Centres /  Facility | (1)(b) Qualified for SMME relief funding  (Yes/No) | 1(c) Rejected for SMME relief funding | (2) Reason for rejection. | (3)(a) total amount paid to qualifying applicants | 3(b) Amount still to be processed |
| Early Childhood Development Centre | 1. | Pretoria West Early Childhood Development Centre | Yes | No | n/a | - | R228,000 |
| 2. | Ambulante (Pty) Ltd | Yes | No | n/a | R228,360 | - |
| 3. | JHJ Training CC | Yes | No | n/a | - | R156,694 |
| 4. | Canaan Consultants CC | Yes | No | n/a | R324,361 | R170,768 |
| 5. | Truand Trading CC | Yes | No | n/a | - | R292,404 |
| 6. | Richys Training Centre & Technology (Pty) Ltd | Yes | No | n/a | R13,959 | R13,959 |
| 7. | Pita Pan Events Cc T/A EarthkidzCreche | Yes | No | n/a | R63,997 | R299,330 |
| 8. | Little Splash (Pty) LtdLtd | Yes | No | n/a | R18,500 | R37,000 |
| 9. | Learn Play And Grow Kuruman Montessori Tree | Yes | No | n/a | R385,382 | - |
| 10. | Lauem Investments (Pty) Ltd | Yes | No | n/a | 114,444 | R329,200 |
| 11. | JSLH School (Pty) Ltd | Yes |  |  | R481,474 | - |
| Partial Care Centre | 1. | None |  |  |  |  |  |

2. There were 0 (zero) rejections in this category.

3.In order to ensure that funds are utilised for their intended purposes, disbursements are based on the clients’ monthly expenses and are paid out monthly. All remaining amounts will be disbursed by the end of July 2020 as the relief scheme comes to an end.

The table below provides the provincial spread of approvals and disbursed amounts to date in this category:

