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**1500.  Mr S L Ngcobo (IFP) to ask the Minister of Basic Education: to ask the Minister of Basic Education:**

Whether, in light of the upcoming Jobs Reset Summit of the World Economic Forum (WEF) from 1 to 2 June 2021, which will focus on mobilising a global jobs recovery plan in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, and in view of the assertion by the WEF that global pandemic, the choices made by policy-makers, business leaders, workers and learners today will shape societies for years to come, his department, on its own and/or in collaboration with non-profit organisations, has put any plans and initiatives to provide cybersecurity learning to address the global deficit in the cybersecurity workforce from a lower level of education; if not, why not; if so, what are the full, relevant details?

**Response**

The outcome of the summit will be assessed and a determination will be made on how it provides lessons to the basic education sector.