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**QUESTION 1537**

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**1537. Ms J Edwards (DA) to ask the Minister of Basic Education:**

(a) What amount did (i) her department and (ii) each entity reporting to her spend on advertising in the 2015-16 financial year and (b) how much has (i) her department and (ii) each entity reporting to her budgeted for advertising in the 2016-17 financial year? NW1708E

**RESPONSE**

1. (i) The **Department of Basic Education** has spent R774, 951.84 for recruitment advertising during the 2015-16 financial year.

(ii) **South African Council for Educators (SACE)** did not spend on advertising during the 2015-16 financial years.

 **Umalusi** spent R 259 000 during the 2015-2016 financial year.

1. (i) The **Department of Basic Education** has set aside a budget of R832 000 for recruitment advertising during the 2016-17 financial periods.

(ii) **SACE** has not made budget allocations for expenditure across the identified fiscal period.

 **Umalusi** have budgeted R 350 000 for the upcoming fiscal period.