# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO. 1564**

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**Ms N V Mente (EFF) to ask the Minister of Health:**

What is the total shortage of (a) nurses, (b) doctors and (c) dentists in the country?

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**REPLY:**

1. 18 053;
2. 2 253;
3. 154.

END.