**Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**Minister**

**NA question for Written Reply: 1591**

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**Mr Mzolisi Toni**

**Acting Director-General: Department of Social Development**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NUMBER: 1591**

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**1591. Mrs K Jooste (DA) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

(a) What are the relevant details regarding shortages of vehicles for conducting home visits by social workers in each province and (b) in each case, (i) at which offices are the shortages experienced and (ii) what are the details of the backlog in home visits at each specified office? NW1741E

**Reply:**

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| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Eastern Cape**  | 16 | Alfred Nzo | 8909 |
| 21 | BCM | 616 |
| 35 | Chris Hani | 570 |
| 30 | O R Tambo | 1500 |
| 23 | Sarah Baartman | 971 |
| 6 | Joe Gqabi | 3827 |
| 20 | Amathole | 150 |
| 24 | NMM | 490 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Free State** | 25 | Thabo Mofutsanyane | 1980 |
|  | 13 | Xhariep | 1358 |
|  | 14 | Fezile Dabi | 1313 |
|  | 10 | Mangaung Metro | 8909  |
|  | 15 | Lejweleputswa | 1568 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Gauteng**  | 492 | Ekurhuleni | N/A |
| 603 | JHB Metro | N/A |
| 234 | Sedibeng | N/A |
| 190 | West Rand | N/A |
| 413 | Tshwane | N/A |
| 1932 |  |  |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **KZN** |  | King Cetywayo  | 2525 |
|  | Zululand | 1075 |
|  | Umkhanyakude | 651 |
|  | uThukela | 0 |
|  | uMzinyathi | 2397 |
|  | Amajuba | 900 |
|  | Ilembe  | 1366 |
|  | eThekwini South | 2434 |
|  | eThekwini North | 570 |
|  | uMgungundlovu | 619 |
|  | Harry Gwala | 209 |
|  | uGu | 4358 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Limpopo** | 302 | Capricorn  | 7300 |
| 116 | Vhembe  | 1384 |
| 47 | Waterberg  | 3771 |
| 90 | Mompani  | 4906 |
| 107 | Sekhukhune  | 2058 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Mpumalanga** | 122 | Ehlanzeni | 1114 |
| 91 | Gert Sibande  | 437 |
| 89 | Nkangala | 848 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **North West** | 82 | Bojanala District | 284 |
| 92 | Dr Kenneth Kaunda District | 118 |
| 139 | Dr Ruth Mompati | 14 |
| 89 | Ngaka Modiri Molema | 574 |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Northern Cape** | 0 | ZF Mgcawu | 96 |
| 0 | JT Galeshewe | 10 |
| 0 | Pixley ka Seme | 67 |
| 0 | Namakwa | 56 |
| 0 | Frances Baard | 114 |
| The backlog in the Province is not due to a shortage of vehicles but related to supervision and management issues |
| **Province**  | **(a) Vehicle Shortages**  | **(b)(i) Offices with Shortages** | **(b)(ii) Backlog to visits** |
| **Western Cape** | 1 | George | NA |
| 1 | Knysna | NA |
| 1 | Mosselbay | NA |
| 2 | Drakenstein | 47 |
| 1 | Stellenbosch | 98 |
| 3 | Breede Valley | 562 |
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**Approved by the Minister on**

**Date……………………….**