**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION NO. 1709-2022**

**WRITTEN REPLY**

**INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO.16–2023, DATE OF PUBLICATION 12 MAY 2023**

**“Mr. S Ngcobo (DA) to ask the Minister of Sport, Arts and Culture:**

Whether he will furnish Mr. S Ngcobo with a comprehensive breakdown of the procurement allocation of (a) his department and (b) every entity reporting to him in terms of the percentages allocated to (i) small-, medium- and micro-enterprises, (ii) cooperatives, (iii) township enterprises and (iv) rural enterprises with a view to evaluating the effectiveness of the set-aside policy of the Government in fostering an inclusive and diverse economic landscape (details furnished) in the (aa) 2021-22 financial year and (bb) since 1 April 2023? **NW1950E**

**Reply**

Breakdown of procurement allocation of the National Department of Sport, Arts and Culture**.**

(aa). 2021-2022 financial year: -

**2021/22 financial year (1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022)**

1. EME (Exempt micro enterprise) – 72.73%

GEN (Generic) – 7.85%

QSE (Qualified small enterprise) – 19.42%

1. Cooperatives – 0%
2. Township enterprises – 7.02%
3. Rural enterprises – 4.55%

(bb). 2022/23 financial year (1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023)

(i). EME (Exempt micro enterprise) – 74.85%

GEN (Generic) – 8.28%

QSE (Qualified small enterprise) – 16.86%

(ii). Cooperatives – 0%

(iii). Township enterprises – 6.2%

(iv). Rural enterprises – 4.14%

2023/24 financial year (1 April 2023 to 12 May 2023)

1. EME (Exempt micro enterprise) – 76.79%

GEN (Generic) – 3.57%

QSE (Qualified small enterprise) – 19.64%

1. Cooperatives – 0%
2. Township enterprises – 3.57%
3. Rural enterprises – 1.79%

(b). Information from Entities reporting to my department is as per attached spreadsheet below.

