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**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 175**

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**175. Ms D van der Walt (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:**

Whether CAS 61/12/2015 lodged at the Richards Bay Police Station on or around the first week of December 2015 has been forwarded to the National Prosecuting Authority for prosecution; if not, (a) why not and (b) by what date will the specified case be forwarded for prosecution; if so, what are the relevant details of all charges laid in the case?

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**REPLY:**

Richards Bay CAS 61/12/2015 was sent to court on 2 November 2016 for decision.

The docket was returned to the investigating officer on 14 December 2016 with follow-up directives and a submission date of on or before 24 February 2017. The charge sheet will only be drafted by the Prosecutor once a decision on the charges to be laid is finalised.