**NationalAssembly**

**Question No: 1759**

**1759. Mr C H HHunsinger (DA) to ask the Minister of Transport:**

(1) What (a) are the names of the security companies that the Passenger Rail Agency of South Africa (Prasa) has contracted with in each of the Metrorail corridors per station in each province in the past three financial years and (b) is the (i) start date, (ii) duration and (iii) current status of each specified contract;

(2) (a) what number of security staff are employed by Prasa, (b) for what purpose and (c) where have the specified security staff been deployed? NW2149E

**Reply:**

1. (a) (i), (ii) and (iii): See table below.



1. (a) The total number of security staff employed by PRASA is 2 420.

(b) See table below.

(c) See table below.

**POSITION**

**HQ**

**KZN**

**GAUTENG**

**W CAPE**

**E CAPE**

**MLPS**

**TOTAL**

**Head of PRASA Rail PS (106)**

**0**

**Regional Security Managers ( 106)**

1

0

**1**

**PA ( HQ)**

0

**0**

**Managers (109)**

2

1

1

1

2

1

**8**

**Office Administrator**

1

0

**1**

**Secretary (Admin official)**

0

1

**1**

**Office Assistant Administrator**

3

**3**

**Senior Office Assistant Administrator**

1

2

**3**

**Assistant Managers (610)**

0

1

7

8

1

**17**

**Security Practitioner**

**1**

**1**

**Area Security Commander**

17

33

10

2

0

**62**

**Segment Security Commander**

7

49

72

12

6

3

**149**

**Section Security Commander**

4

153

57

26

7

2

**249**

**Protection Officials**

21

242

209

603

156

24

**1255**

**Total Own members**

**35**

**465**

**380**

**664**

**173**

**33**

**1750**

**Station Marshalls**

258

0

0

**258**

**Trainee PO's (FTCW)**

103

**103**

**Station Marshalls ( FTCW)**

71

**71**

**Access control converted to PO (KZN)**

238

**238**

**Total Security**

**35**

**703**

**709**

**767**

**173**

**33**

**2420**

**National PRASA Rail  National Security Personnel Strength : July 2020**