**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NUMBER: PQ 1793 (NW1950E)**

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**Mr M S Malatsi (DA) to ask the Minister of Human Settlements:**(1) (a) What was the total number of hostels in (i) the country and (ii} each province in each year since 1 January 1994;

(2) Whether she will provide a list to Mr M Malatsi of all the hostels in each province owned or managed by the (a)(i} provincial government and (ii) municipality and (b) any other entity;

(3} (a} which hostels have had ownership and management changed between the provincial government, municipalities and other entities after the 1994 elections, (b) on what date(s} did the change of ownership/management of the specified hostels take place and (d} what number of the specified hostels were demolished/converted?
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**REPLY**(1) (a} (i) The total number of hostels in the country is 166 excluding hostels in Limpopo.

(Information from Limpopo is outstanding and will be submitted at a later stage)

(ii) The total number of hostels in each province since 1 January 1994 is as follows:

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| **PROVINCE** | **NUMBER OF HOSTELS** |
| Northern Cape | 1 |
| Eastern Cape | 0 |
| Mpumalanga | 20 |
| Gauteng | 68 |
| Kwa Zulu Natal | 23 |
| Free State | 5 |
| Western Cape | 42 |
| North West | 7 |
| Limpopo | (Information not available) |
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**Find here:** [**2(a)(i)(ii) & (b) A list of all the hostels in each province owned or managed by the (a)(i) provincial government and (ii) municipality and (b) any other entity**](http://pmg-assets.s3-website-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/RNW1793reply.pdf)