

**MINISTRY FOR COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS**

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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NUMBER 2021/193**

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**Mr D J Stubbe (DA) to ask the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs:**

(1) Whether, with reference to her replies to questions, (a) 176, (b) 177, (c) 178 and (d) 179 on 19 March 2020, which pertain to Parliamentary questions from 2019, she has now received the requested information; if not, why not; if so,

(2) whether she will furnish Mr D J Stubbe with copies of all correspondence between her office and the (a) the Gauteng MEC for Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs and/or (b) City of Ekurhuleni requesting the information; if not, why not; if so, what are the further relevant details? NW196E

The information used to respond to this question was provided by the Gauteng Department of Cooperative Governance.

**Reply:**

Honourable Stubbe, the requested information was finally obtained. Find below the reply to question 193, which is constituted of responses to previous four questions (176, 177, 178 and 179) with outstanding replies. Some of these questions, especially the electricity related questions, were comprehensively responded to at a Portfolio Committee meeting held in December 2019, when Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality was summoned to respond orally. Previous responses are attached as annexures A, B, C and D.

**Background:**

As indicated above the reply to PQ 193 is constituted of annexures A, B, C and D. With regards to the reply to PQ 176, answers for the question are contained in annexure A. In annexure B, PQ 177 is addressed. For the reply to PQ 178, answers are contained in annexure C. Finally, annexure D provides the response to PQ 179.



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**QUESTION NUMBER 2020/176**

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**Mr M Waters (DA) to ask the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs:**

Whether, with reference to her replies to questions (a) 185 on 22 March 2019, (b) 186 on 22 March 2019, (c) 187 on 25 March 2019 and (d) 598 on 22 March 2019, she will furnish Mr M Waters with copies of all (i) correspondence in which her department requested the said information and (ii) the responses from the City of Ekurhuleni; if not, why not? NW197E

The information used to respond to this question was provided by the Gauteng Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

**Reply:**

(i) Correspondence concerning PQ 185, PQ 186, PQ 187 and PQ 598 is attached.

(ii) Please see responses to PQ 185, PQ 186, PQ 187, and PQ 598 below.

**The response to question PQ 185 is as follows:**

1. The City of Ekurhuleni’s Energy Department, implemented an approved Maintenance Plan guided by and aligned with the Department’s Maintenance Philosophy, Maintenance Strategy, NRS047, NRS048, NRS082, NRS089, Occupation Health and Safety Act and Regulations and NERSA license conditions.
2. In terms of the above-mentioned Maintenance Plan, the Electricity Distribution Assets are inspected and maintained on a weekly, monthly, six monthly, yearly and two yearly basis.
3. Please refer to (b) above.

(d) The Department utilizes a Computerized Maintenance Management System (CMMS) on which all maintenance activities are generated and maintained.

**The response to question PQ 186 is as follows:**

1. The approved repairs and maintenance budget for Energy Department is as follows

2018/2019

Estimated Budget: Estimated Expenditure:

R840 million 100%

2017/2018

Estimated Budget Estimated Expenditure

R979 million 84%

2016/2017

Estimated Budget Estimated Expenditure

R943 million 92%

It should be noted that the vote number structure was changed during above mentioned financial years in order to comply with mSCOA requirements and hence the variations in the amounts indicated.

1. The approved Operation Expenditure budget was not reduced but funding was transferred from one vote number to another in order to address specific requirements.

**The response to question PQ 187 is as follows:**

1. There were two contracts in total that were awarded during 2017/18; 2018/19 and 2019/20 with winning bidders and the estimate values are specified below:

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| **A-EE 11/2017** | Appointment of a service providers for supply, delivery and off-loading of metal clad switchgear on an as when required basis for period from date of award until REDUCED period until **30 June 2018** | 9-Oct-17 | Ampcor Khanyisa (Pty) Ltd | R 100,000,000.00 |
| Stateway Switchboards (Pty) Ltd | R 100,000,000.00 |
| Tgood Africa (Pty) Ltd | R 100,000,000.00 |
| Edison Power Ltd | R 100,000,000.00 |

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| **A-EE 07/2017** | Supply, delivery, off-loading, sampling, analyzing, purification, regeneration, management and  disposal of insulating oil (uninhibited) for transformers, control gear and switchgear - as and when - **until 30 June 2019** | 19-Feb-18 | Silver Solutions 435 CC | R 13,428,593.33 |
| Jas Engineering CC | R 6,007,666.67 |
| Only-J Electrical & Construction CC | R 4,195,666.67 |
| Accolade Engineers (Pty) Ltd | R 4,901,926.67 |
| Wegezi Power Holdings (Pty) Ltd | R 3,089,926.67 |

1. Yes, contract number A-EE 07/2017 was reduced until 30 June 2018. The attached minutes of the BAC do not specify reasons for reduction of the period.

The names of the companies that benefited from these reductions are:

* Ampcor Khanyisa (Pty) Ltd
* Stateway Switchboards (Pty) Ltd
* Tgood Africa (Pty) Ltd
* Edison Power Ltd

**The response to question PQ 598 is as follows:**

1. 49 cases

(b) See table below

(c) See table below

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| **Alleged Offence** | **SAPS Station** | **SAPS CAS number** | **Outcome** |
| Assault | Edenvale | 120/08/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Thokoza | 42/09/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Assault | Primrose | 76/09/2017 and 56/09/2017 | Both criminal matters withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| House breaking | Bedfordview | 100/09/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Culpable Homicide | Springs | 105/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 253/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Drunk and Driving  Loss of firearm | Springs  Springs | 303/09/2017 and 304/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Armed robbery, corruption and Defeating the ends of justice | Benoni | 33/10/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Corruption | Duduza | 112/11/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Unlicensed firearm | Emondle KZN | 115/11/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Unlicensed firearm | Norkem Park | 05/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Alberton | 280/12/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Drink and driving | Germiston | 356/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Discharge of firearm | Tsakane | 406/12/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Kempton Park | 697/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Reckless driving | Thokoza | 19/01/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Trespassing | Actonville | 47/01/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Crimen Injuria | Katlehong | 48/01/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Assault | Nigel | 07/02/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Mondeor | 455/02/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Discharge of firearm | Benoni | 04/03/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Murder | Daveyton | 18/03/2018 | Matter finalised guilty – sentence imprisonment |
| Pointing of Firearm | Katlehong | 238/03/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Murder | Tsakane | 415/03/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Trading in precious metals (Gold) | Springs | 370/04/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Welbekend | 42/05/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Katlehong North | 62/05/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Corruption | Vosloorus | 420/05/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Fraud and corruption | Mtubatuba KZN | 26/07/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Brakpan | 11/08/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Pointing of firearm | Springs | 99/08/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption (Selling of Jobs) | Brakpan | 156/08/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Assault | Vosloorus | 06/10/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Use vehicle without permission | Primrose | 142/10/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Assault | Etwatwa | 183/10/2018 | Still under investigation by IPID |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 473/10/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Assault | Alberton | 201/11/2018 | Still under investigation |
| Domestic Violence | Crystal Park | 275/11/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Attempted murder | Tembisa | 300/01/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Possession of stolen vehicle | Springs | 453/02/2019 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Discharge firearm in residential area | Boksburg | 43/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Attempted Murder | Springs | 531/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Armed robbery | Kempton Park | 685/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Pointing of firearm | Kempton Park | 291/04/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Domestic violence | Springs | 264/05/2019 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Loss of firearm | Vosloorus | 30/07/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 238/07/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |

**Summary**

**Period 01 August 2017 to 31 August 2019 (2 years)**

**Type of criminal case Total number**

Corruption 14

Assault 07

Discharge of firearm 03

Crimen injuria 01

Possession of unlicensed firearm 02

Pointing of firearm 03

Murder 02

Drunk driving 02

Attempted murder 02

Armed robbery 02

Domestic violence 02

Reckless and Negligence driving 01

Trading in precious metal (Gold) 01

Possession of stolen vehicle 01

Culpable homicide 01

House breaking 01

Loss of firearm 02

Trespassing 01

Use vehicle without owner permission 01

**TOTAL 49**



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Whether, with reference to her replies to questions (a) 604 on 22 March 2019, (b) 605 on 22 March 2019, (c) 607 on 22 March 2019, (d) 32 on 5 July 2019 and (e) 129 on 5 July 2019, she will furnish Mr M Waters with copies of all (i) correspondence in which her department requested the said information and (ii) the responses from the City of Ekurhuleni; if not, why not? NW198E

The information used to respond to this question was provided by the Gauteng Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

**Reply:**

(i) Correspondence concerning PQ 129, PQ 604, PQ 605 and PQ 607 is attached.

(ii) Please see responses to PQ 129, PQ 503, PQ 504 and PQ 505 below.

**The response to question PQ 129 is as follows:**

(1) (a) There is no legal prescript to conduct an audit on the armoury.  In terms of the Firearms Control Act 60 of 2000 an annual stock register must be provided to the Central Firearm Registrar at the end of each year.

The South African Police Service (SAPS), Division FLASH (Firearms, Liquor & 2nd Goods) & CFR (Central Firearm Registry) conduct annual random inspections to confirm full compliance to the Firearms Control Act 60 of 2000.

(b) Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Police Department conducted the current audit. However, the SAPS also conduct formal random inspections every year. The last SAPS Inspection took place during September 2019.

(2) (a) The audit was conducted over a lengthy period to cater for officers on shifts, leave, study- & sick leave. After the audit was completed there were no officers that did not report for the audit.

(b) No action was needed.

(3) (a) The National Police Commissioner has been informed and a national subcommittee to resolve Official Institution Firearm related issues has been established and is meeting on a regular basis. The meeting is chaired by Brig Bopape, SAPS CFR and co-chaired by Brig Spies (EMPD) on behalf of all Metro Police Depts.

(b) No action was needed against individuals as it is a National SAPS CFR Official Institution Firearm register that needs to be updated and corrected by SAPS.

(4) The EMPD is currently updating and modernising its firearm policy in order to align with various legislative prescripts.

**The response to question PQ 503 is as follows:**

1. What are the reasons that residents in the (a) Kempton Park and (b) Germiston areas within the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality are experiencing constant sporadic and unreliable refuse collection services;

* Waste management services are transport reliant and dependent largely on mechanical workshop for repairs and maintenance to ensure availability of vehicles when breakdowns are experienced. It is thus imperative to have maximum vehicle availability at all times in order to effect seamless service to the community, which unfortunately due to turnaround times to repairs, sometimes it becomes a challenge to be on schedule owing to shortage of trucks.

1. (a) in what number of instances has the municipality transgressed the National Environmental Management Act, Act 107 of 1998, by failing to collect refuse once a week within seven days this calendar year,

* Twice

(b) which areas were affected,

* Kempton Park

(c) what are the reasons for each transgression

* Shortage of vehicles due to breakdowns

(d) what steps is the municipality taking to ensure that it provides basic services to residents according to applicable legislation?

* That it be mentioned that it is the endeavor of the department to ensure that residents receive at least one service per week in accordance with the National Domestic Waste Collection Standards. Whenever backlogs are created the City re-allocate resources within the next day or same week to deal with the existing backlogs. In such instances, residents are informed about the challenges experienced and when to take out their bins for collection.

**The response to question PQ 504 is as follows:**

(1) Please see the attached document for more information on the vehicles that were budgeted for and purchased. The number of refuse collection trucks that were budgeted for corresponds to the number of trucks that were actually purchased.

(2)  There were no variances between what was budgeted for and what was actually purchased.

**The response to question PQ 505 is as follows:**

1. (a) Ten

(b) Where is each depot situated?

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| **DEPOT** | **ADDRESS** | **CONTACT DETAILS** |
| Alberton | Swartkoppies Complex, Swartkoppies Road, Randhart, Alberton | 011 999 2598 |
| Bedfordview | Cnr Van Vuuren and Skeen Boulevard, Bedfordview | 011 999 0915 |
| Benoni | 4 Golden Drive, Morehill, Benoni | 011 999 6827 |
| Brakpan | C/o Lemmer and Denner Roads, Vulcania, Brakpan | 011 999 7731 |
| Boksburg | 19 Reservoir Street, Boksburg South, Boksburg | 011 999 5070 |
| Edenvale | Cnr Lahla & Bahla rd, Sebenza, Edenvale | 011 999 40/50 |
| Germiston | Ostend Road (south of Jack Pienaar), Lower Germiston | 011 999 5432 |
| Kempton Park | Cnr H Lewis & Kelvin rd, Spartan , Kempton Park | 011 999 4075 |
| Nigel | Fred Wagener Street, Prosperitas, Nigel | 011 999 9251 |
| Springs | Stadium Road, Geduld Extention 4 Springs | 011 999 8509 |

(c) Which geographical areas does each depot cover in relation to waste collection?

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **DEPOT** | **ADDRESS** | **CONTACT DETAILS** |
| Alberton | Swartkoppies Complex, Swartkoppies Road, Randhart, Alberton | 011 999 2598 |
| Bedfordview | Cnr Van Vuuren and Skeen Boulevard, Bedfordview | 011 999 0915 |
| Benoni | 4 Golden Drive, Morehill, Benoni | 011 999 6827 |
| Brakpan | C/o Lemmer and Denner Roads, Vulcania, Brakpan | 011 999 7731 |
| Boksburg | 19 Reservoir Street, Boksburg South, Boksburg | 011 999 5070 |
| Edenvale | Cnr Lahla & Bahla rd, Sebenza, Edenvale | 011 999 40/50 |
| Germiston | Ostend Road (south of Jack Pienaar), Lower Germiston | 011 999 5432 |
| Kempton Park | Cnr H Lewis & Kelvin rd, Spartan , Kempton Park | 011 999 4075 |
| Nigel/ Duduza | Fred Wagener Street, Prosperitas, Nigel | 011 999 9251 |
| Springs/ Kwa-Thema | Stadium Road, Geduld Extention 4 Springs | 011 999 8509 |

(d) What number of households and businesses are within the collection area of each depot?

The following areas are serviced by the City of Ekurhuleni internal staff:

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **DEPOT** | **SERVICE POINTS** |
| Alberton | 32307 |
| Bedfordview | 10659 |
| Benoni | 56561 |
| Brakpan | 23496 |
| Boksburg | 38823 |
| Edenvale | 18838 |
| Germiston | 50368 |
| Kempton Park | 59061 |
| Nigel/ Duduza | 30282 |
| Springs/ Kwa-Thema | 48177 |

 The following areas are serviced by the Service Providers:

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| --- | --- |
| **AREA** | **SERVICE POINTS** |
| Katlehong | 54043 |
| Thokoza | 42759 |
| Vosloorus/Boksburg South N17 | 57154 |
| Tsakane/Langaville | 46164 |
| Daveyton/Etwatwa | 56319 |
| Tembisa 1 and Tembisa 2 | 74252 |

(2) 1:1000

(3)

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Vehicle Type** | **Depot** | **Mech. W/shop Responsible** | **Defect** | **Date of Breakdown** | **Days Out-standing** | **Workshop Remarks/Progress/ Comments** |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Gears | 2018/08/20 | **70** | Department signed,DH signed documents were dropped off at CPO today 25.10.2018 for order number |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Control lever | 2018/09/04 | **55** | The report we received from the foreman was not correct, unfortunately he is on leave but we managed to get hold of the documents, compiled,signed and was sent to CPO for order number. 17.10.2018. Order outstanding |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Tail gate, lifter | 2018/10/25 | **4** | Qoutation outstanding |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Tailgate cover | 2018/10/26 | **3** | Booked in on 26 October 2018 |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Service | 2018/10/29 | **0** | Booked in on 29 October 2018 |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Gearbox | 2018/08/31 | **59** | Department signed,DH signed documents were dropped off at CPO today 25.10.2018 for order number |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| FEL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Overheating | 2018/09/19 | **40** | Strip & quote |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Packer blade cracked | 2018/10/23 | **6** | Awaiting official order |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Service & COF | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Awaiting official order |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Hydraulic Service | 2018/08/15 | **75** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet(At Keptonpark for signature) |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | PTO Pump burned | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Strip & quote |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Hydraulic Service | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Awaiting official order |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | COF & Service | 2018/09/28 | **31** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Oil & Service | 2018/07/23 | **98** | Strip & quote |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Mian cylinder damaged | 2018/06/14 | **137** | Awaiting official order |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Damaged sweeper cylinder | 2018/09/28 | **31** | 14-4 Initialed, must be signed by acting DH: Waste |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | COF & Service | 2018/10/15 | **14** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet(At Keptonpark for signature) |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Check Hydraulics | 2018/10/19 | **10** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to (At signature for signature) |
| Roll On | Boksburg | Boksburg | Clutch | 2018/10/22 | **7** | Awaiting official order |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | TRANSMISSION | 2018/09/19 | **40** | GERMISTON DEPOT |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | BIN LIFTERS | 2018/10/25 | **4** | GERMISTON DEPOT |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | SWITCH LINK BROKEN | 2018/10/25 | **4** | **SWITCH LINK BROKEN** |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | BIN LIFTERS | 2018/02/05 | **266** | BIN LIFTERS/AWAITING TENDER |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | CYLINDER MOUNTINGS | 2018/06/14 | **137** | CYLINDER MOUNTING |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | COMPACT SPEED SLOW | 2018/10/12 | **17** | COMPACT SPEED SLOW |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | OVERHEAT | 2018/09/12 | **47** | OVERHEAT/TRANSMISSION |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | SERVICE | 2018/10/01 | **28** | SERVICE |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | HYDRAULIC OIL LEAKS | 2018/07/24 | **97** | HYDRAULIC OIL LEAKS |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Hydrolic Pipe Leak | 2018/07/13 | **108** | papers for last signature/at DH Fleet |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Service & C.O.F | 2018/10/01 | **28** | order received/awaiting for spares |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Sweeper Blade Broken | 2018/07/30 | **91** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | No Power | 2018/04/23 | **189** |  |
| D/Diff Lift On | Benoni | Benoni | Leaking from Gear Box | 2018/08/06 | **84** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | P.T.O Pump Problem | 2018/08/21 | **69** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Bin Lifters Broken | 2018/10/02 | **27** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Hydrolic Oil Leak | 2018/04/05 | **207** |  |
| Lift-On | Benoni | Benoni | Overheating | 2018/10/05 | **24** |  |
| Compactor | Brakpan | Brakpan | COF | 2018/09/19 | **40** | VEHICLE CAME BACK FROM COF. WAS THEN REPORTED FOR GEARS. GEO ATTENDING TO PROBLEM AT PRESENT. |
| Load Lugger | Brakpan | Brakpan | Hydraulic pipe leaks on both Jack | 2018/10/02 | **27** |  |
| Compactor | Brakpan | Brakpan | Tail gate open half,head light and dash board,rear lights not working. | 2018/10/10 | **19** |  |
| Load Lugger | Brakpan | Brakpan | COF | 2018/09/17 | **42** |  |
| Skip | Springs | Springs | brake lights | 2018/10/04 | **25** |  |
| Compactor | Springs | Springs | Hydraulic leak | 2018/10/26 | **3** | Awaiting order |
| Compactor | Springs | Springs | Work in Kemptonpark | 2018/10/08 | **21** |  |
| Skip | Springs | Springs | Repair rediator | 2018/10/22 | **7** | Awaiting order |
| Lugger | Nigel | Nigel | Gearbox ,COF | 2018/04/11 | **201** |  |
| REL | Nigel | Nigel | Vehicle damaged by protesters | 2018/07/09 | **112** | Vehicle damaged during civil unrest |
| LDV | Nigel | Nigel | Oil seals | 2018/08/20 | **70** | Order submitted |
| REL | NIGEL | Nigel | Head gasket, radiator, turbo | 2018/08/28 | **62** | Awaitng order |
| Roro | Nigel | Nigel | Transmission problems | 2018/10/23 | **6** |  |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Hydraulics | 2018/10/16 | **13** | Busy with repairs |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Bin lifter arm broken | 2018/10/03 | **26** | Awaiting a quotation, Hydrapump sent vehicle back to Depo while waiting for quotation |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | COF | 2018/10/03 | **26** | Busy with repairs |
| SKIP | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Gearbox | 2018/07/16 | **105** | Busy with repairs |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Service | 2018/07/16 | **105** | Busy with service |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Hydraulic Pipe Burst | 2018/10/18 | **11** | Busy with repairs |
| ROLL ON | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Boom Arm Sensors | 2018/10/16 | **13** | Awaiting order |
| Mec-Benz | Edenvale | Kempton park | C.O.F and Service | 2018/09/19 | **40** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Kempton park | Engine oil leak | 2018/08/20 | **70** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Kempton park | Lifting boom cracked | 2018/07/30 | **91** |  |
| Isuzu | Edenvale | Kempton park | Clutch blade to be replaced | 2018/10/05 | **24** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Mopedi | Air Leak and hydro oil pump | 2018/10/24 | **5** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Panel Beater | Front Panel Gril | 2018/10/29 | **0** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | W/SHOP | C.O.F and Service | 2018/10/29 | **15** |  |
| Compactor | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX | 2018/07/19 | **102** | We received the quotation on the 16.08.2018 |
| Skiploader | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX | 2018/08/31 | **59** | GEO ENGINEERING TO RE-INSPECT THE TRUCK |
| Compactor | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX OIL LEAK | 2018/10/18 | **11** |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | **43402** |  |



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**Reply:**

The response to question 178 consists of replies to the following questions, PQ 130, 131 and 187, which are attached for ease of reference.



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**Dr A Lotriet (DA) to ask the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs:**

Whether, with reference to her replies to questions (a) 240 on 1 August 2019, (b) 503 on 16 September 2019, (c) 504 on 16 September 2019, (d) 505 on 16 September 2019 and (e) 506 on 16 September 2019, she will furnish Dr A Lotriet with copies of all (i) correspondence in which her department requested the said information and (ii) the responses from the City of Ekurhuleni; if not, why not? NW200E

The information used to respond to this question was provided by the Gauteng Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

**Reply:**

1. Correspondence concerning PQ 240 is attached.
2. Please see responses to PQ 240, PQ 503, PQ 504, PQ 505 and PQ 506 below.

**The response to question PQ 240 is as follows:**

(1) (a) Yes, the City has this facility, and (b) Yes, the mobile unit is fully functional.

(2) It was in use in another area.

(3) (a) N/A, (b) Our procurement process requires that we utilise the cheapest of a minimum of three quotations, and (C) The turn-around time.

(4) N/A

**The response to question PQ 503 is as follows:**

1. Waste management services are transport reliant and dependent largely on mechanical workshop for repairs and maintenance to ensure availability of vehicles when breakdowns are experienced. It is thus imperative to have maximum vehicle availability at all times in order to effect seamless service to the community, which unfortunately due to turnaround times to repairs, sometimes it becomes a challenge to be on schedule owing to shortage of trucks.

(2) (a) Twice

(b) Kempton Park

(c) Shortage of vehicles due to breakdowns

(d) That it be mentioned that it is the endeavour of the department to ensure that residents receive at least one service per week in accordance with the National Domestic Waste Collection Standards. Whenever backlogs are created the City re-allocate resources within the next day or same week to deal with the existing backlogs. In such instances, residents are informed about the challenges experienced and when to take out their bins for collection.

**The response to question PQ 504 is as follows:**

1. Please see the attached document for more information on the vehicles that were budgeted for and purchased. The number of refuse collection trucks that were budgeted for corresponds to the number of trucks that were actually purchased.
2. There were no variances between what was budgeted for and what was actually purchased.

**The response to question PQ 505 is as follows:**

1. (a) Ten

(b) Where is each depot situated?

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| **DEPOT** | **ADDRESS** | **CONTACT DETAILS** |
| Alberton | Swartkoppies Complex, Swartkoppies Road, Randhart, Alberton | 011 999 2598 |
| Bedfordview | Cnr Van Vuuren and Skeen Boulevard, Bedfordview | 011 999 0915 |
| Benoni | 4 Golden Drive, Morehill, Benoni | 011 999 6827 |
| Brakpan | C/o Lemmer and Denner Roads, Vulcania, Brakpan | 011 999 7731 |
| Boksburg | 19 Reservoir Street, Boksburg South, Boksburg | 011 999 5070 |
| Edenvale | Cnr Lahla & Bahla rd, Sebenza, Edenvale | 011 999 40/50 |
| Germiston | Ostend Road (south of Jack Pienaar), Lower Germiston | 011 999 5432 |
| Kempton Park | Cnr H Lewis & Kelvin rd, Spartan , Kempton Park | 011 999 4075 |
| Nigel | Fred Wagener Street, Prosperitas, Nigel | 011 999 9251 |
| Springs | Stadium Road, Geduld Extention 4 Springs | 011 999 8509 |

(c) Which geographical areas does each depot cover in relation to waste collection?

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| Brakpan | C/o Lemmer and Denner Roads, Vulcania, Brakpan | 011 999 7731 |
| Boksburg | 19 Reservoir Street, Boksburg South, Boksburg | 011 999 5070 |
| Edenvale | Cnr Lahla & Bahla rd, Sebenza, Edenvale | 011 999 40/50 |
| Germiston | Ostend Road (south of Jack Pienaar), Lower Germiston | 011 999 5432 |
| Kempton Park | Cnr H Lewis & Kelvin rd, Spartan , Kempton Park | 011 999 4075 |
| Nigel/ Duduza | Fred Wagener Street, Prosperitas, Nigel | 011 999 9251 |
| Springs/ Kwa-Thema | Stadium Road, Geduld Extention 4 Springs | 011 999 8509 |

(d) What number of households and businesses are within the collection area of each depot?

The following areas are serviced by the City of Ekurhuleni internal staff:

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| **DEPOT** | **SERVICE POINTS** |
| Alberton | 32307 |
| Bedfordview | 10659 |
| Benoni | 56561 |
| Brakpan | 23496 |
| Boksburg | 38823 |
| Edenvale | 18838 |
| Germiston | 50368 |
| Kempton Park | 59061 |
| Nigel/ Duduza | 30282 |
| Springs/ Kwa-Thema | 48177 |

 The following areas are serviced by the Service Providers:

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| **AREA** | **SERVICE POINTS** |
| Katlehong | 54043 |
| Thokoza | 42759 |
| Vosloorus/Boksburg South N17 | 57154 |
| Tsakane/Langaville | 46164 |
| Daveyton/Etwatwa | 56319 |
| Tembisa 1 and Tembisa 2 | 74252 |

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| **Vehicle Type** | **Depot** | **Mech. W/shop Responsible** | **Defect** | **Date of Breakdown** | **Days Out-standing** | **Workshop Remarks/Progress/ Comments** |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Gears | 2018/08/20 | **70** | Department signed,DH signed documents were dropped off at CPO today 25.10.2018 for order number |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Control lever | 2018/09/04 | **55** | The report we received from the foreman was not correct, unfortunately he is on leave but we managed to get hold of the documents, compiled,signed and was sent to CPO for order number. 17.10.2018. Order outstanding |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Tail gate, lifter | 2018/10/25 | **4** | Qoutation outstanding |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Tailgate cover | 2018/10/26 | **3** | Booked in on 26 October 2018 |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Service | 2018/10/29 | **0** | Booked in on 29 October 2018 |
| Compactor | Alberton | Alberton | Gearbox | 2018/08/31 | **59** | Department signed,DH signed documents were dropped off at CPO today 25.10.2018 for order number |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| FEL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Overheating | 2018/09/19 | **40** | Strip & quote |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Packer blade cracked | 2018/10/23 | **6** | Awaiting official order |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Service & COF | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Awaiting official order |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Hydraulic Service | 2018/08/15 | **75** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet(At Keptonpark for signature) |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | PTO Pump burned | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Strip & quote |
| Lugger | Boksburg | Boksburg | Hydraulic Service | 2018/08/10 | **80** | Awaiting official order |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | COF & Service | 2018/09/28 | **31** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Oil & Service | 2018/07/23 | **98** | Strip & quote |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Mian cylinder damaged | 2018/06/14 | **137** | Awaiting official order |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Damaged sweeper cylinder | 2018/09/28 | **31** | 14-4 Initialed, must be signed by acting DH: Waste |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | COF & Service | 2018/10/15 | **14** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to Fleet(At Keptonpark for signature) |
| REL | Boksburg | Boksburg | Check Hydraulics | 2018/10/19 | **10** | 14-4 signed by Manager to go to (At signature for signature) |
| Roll On | Boksburg | Boksburg | Clutch | 2018/10/22 | **7** | Awaiting official order |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | TRANSMISSION | 2018/09/19 | **40** | GERMISTON DEPOT |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | BIN LIFTERS | 2018/10/25 | **4** | GERMISTON DEPOT |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | SWITCH LINK BROKEN | 2018/10/25 | **4** | **SWITCH LINK BROKEN** |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | BIN LIFTERS | 2018/02/05 | **266** | BIN LIFTERS/AWAITING TENDER |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | CYLINDER MOUNTINGS | 2018/06/14 | **137** | CYLINDER MOUNTING |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | COMPACT SPEED SLOW | 2018/10/12 | **17** | COMPACT SPEED SLOW |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | OVERHEAT | 2018/09/12 | **47** | OVERHEAT/TRANSMISSION |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | SERVICE | 2018/10/01 | **28** | SERVICE |
| Compactor | Germiston | Germiston | HYDRAULIC OIL LEAKS | 2018/07/24 | **97** | HYDRAULIC OIL LEAKS |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Hydrolic Pipe Leak | 2018/07/13 | **108** | papers for last signature/at DH Fleet |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Service & C.O.F | 2018/10/01 | **28** | order received/awaiting for spares |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Sweeper Blade Broken | 2018/07/30 | **91** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | No Power | 2018/04/23 | **189** |  |
| D/Diff Lift On | Benoni | Benoni | Leaking from Gear Box | 2018/08/06 | **84** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | P.T.O Pump Problem | 2018/08/21 | **69** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Bin Lifters Broken | 2018/10/02 | **27** |  |
| Compactor | Benoni | Benoni | Hydrolic Oil Leak | 2018/04/05 | **207** |  |
| Lift-On | Benoni | Benoni | Overheating | 2018/10/05 | **24** |  |
| Compactor | Brakpan | Brakpan | COF | 2018/09/19 | **40** | VEHICLE CAME BACK FROM COF. WAS THEN REPORTED FOR GEARS. GEO ATTENDING TO PROBLEM AT PRESENT. |
| Load Lugger | Brakpan | Brakpan | Hydraulic pipe leaks on both Jack | 2018/10/02 | **27** |  |
| Compactor | Brakpan | Brakpan | Tail gate open half,head light and dash board,rear lights not working. | 2018/10/10 | **19** |  |
| Load Lugger | Brakpan | Brakpan | COF | 2018/09/17 | **42** |  |
| Skip | Springs | Springs | brake lights | 2018/10/04 | **25** |  |
| Compactor | Springs | Springs | Hydraulic leak | 2018/10/26 | **3** | Awaiting order |
| Compactor | Springs | Springs | Work in Kemptonpark | 2018/10/08 | **21** |  |
| Skip | Springs | Springs | Repair radiator | 2018/10/22 | **7** | Awaiting order |
| Lugger | Nigel | Nigel | Gearbox ,COF | 2018/04/11 | **201** |  |
| REL | Nigel | Nigel | Vehicle damaged by protesters | 2018/07/09 | **112** | Vehicle damaged during civil unrest |
| LDV | Nigel | Nigel | Oil seals | 2018/08/20 | **70** | Order submitted |
| REL | NIGEL | Nigel | Head gasket, radiator, turbo | 2018/08/28 | **62** | Awaitng order |
| Roro | Nigel | Nigel | Transmission problems | 2018/10/23 | **6** |  |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Hydraulics | 2018/10/16 | **13** | Busy with repairs |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Bin lifter arm broken | 2018/10/03 | **26** | Awaiting a quotation, Hydrapump sent vehicle back to Depo while waiting for quotation |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | COF | 2018/10/03 | **26** | Busy with repairs |
| SKIP | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Gearbox | 2018/07/16 | **105** | Busy with repairs |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Service | 2018/07/16 | **105** | Busy with service |
| REL | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Hydraulic Pipe Burst | 2018/10/18 | **11** | Busy with repairs |
| ROLL ON | Kempton Park | Kempton Park | Boom Arm Sensors | 2018/10/16 | **13** | Awaiting order |
| Mec-Benz | Edenvale | Kempton park | C.O.F and Service | 2018/09/19 | **40** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Kempton park | Engine oil leak | 2018/08/20 | **70** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Kempton park | Lifting boom cracked | 2018/07/30 | **91** |  |
| Isuzu | Edenvale | Kempton park | Clutch blade to be replaced | 2018/10/05 | **24** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Mopedi | Air Leak and hydro oil pump | 2018/10/24 | **5** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | Panel Beater | Front Panel Gril | 2018/10/29 | **0** |  |
| Nissan | Edenvale | W/SHOP | C.O.F and Service | 2018/10/29 | **15** |  |
| Compactor | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX | 2018/07/19 | **102** | We received the quotation on the 16.08.2018 |
| Skiploader | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX | 2018/08/31 | **59** | GEO ENGINEERING TO RE-INSPECT THE TRUCK |
| Compactor | BEDFORD | KEMPTON | GEARBOX OIL LEAK | 2018/10/18 | **11** |  |
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**The response to question PQ 506 is as follows:**

1. 49 cases
2. See the table below
3. See the table below

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| **Alleged Offence** | **SAPS Station** | **SAPS CAS number** | **Outcome** |
| Assault | Edenvale | 120/08/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Thokoza | 42/09/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Assault | Primrose | 76/09/2017 and 56/09/2017 | Both criminal matters withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| House breaking | Bedfordview | 100/09/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Culpable Homicide | Springs | 105/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 253/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Drunk and Driving  Loss of firearm | Springs  Springs | 303/09/2017 and 304/09/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Armed robbery, corruption and Defeating the ends of justice | Benoni | 33/10/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Corruption | Duduza | 112/11/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Unlicensed firearm | Emondle KZN | 115/11/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Unlicensed firearm | Norkem Park | 05/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Alberton | 280/12/2017 | Criminal matter in court |
| Drink and driving | Germiston | 356/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Discharge of firearm | Tsakane | 406/12/2017 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Kempton Park | 697/12/2017 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Reckless driving | Thokoza | 19/01/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Trespassing | Actonville | 47/01/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Crimen Injuria | Katlehong | 48/01/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Assault | Nigel | 07/02/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Corruption | Mondeor | 455/02/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Discharge of firearm | Benoni | 04/03/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Murder | Daveyton | 18/03/2018 | Matter finalised guilty – sentence imprisonment |
| Pointing of Firearm | Katlehong | 238/03/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Murder | Tsakane | 415/03/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Trading in precious metals (Gold) | Springs | 370/04/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Welbekend | 42/05/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Katlehong North | 62/05/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Corruption | Vosloorus | 420/05/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Fraud and corruption | Mtubatuba KZN | 26/07/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Brakpan | 11/08/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Pointing of firearm | Springs | 99/08/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption (Selling of Jobs) | Brakpan | 156/08/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Assault | Vosloorus | 06/10/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Use vehicle without permission | Primrose | 142/10/2018 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Assault | Etwatwa | 183/10/2018 | Still under investigation by IPID |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 473/10/2018 | Criminal matter in court |
| Assault | Alberton | 201/11/2018 | Still under investigation |
| Domestic Violence | Crystal Park | 275/11/2018 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Attempted murder | Tembisa | 300/01/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Possession of stolen vehicle | Springs | 453/02/2019 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Discharge firearm in residential area | Boksburg | 43/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Attempted Murder | Springs | 531/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Armed robbery | Kempton Park | 685/03/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Pointing of firearm | Kempton Park | 291/04/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Domestic violence | Springs | 264/05/2019 | Criminal matter withdrawn – no prima facie evidence |
| Loss of firearm | Vosloorus | 30/07/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |
| Corruption | Tembisa | 238/07/2019 | Still under investigation by SAPS |

**SUMMARY**

**Period from 1 August 2017 to 31 August 2019 (2 years)**

**Type of criminal case Total number**

Corruption 14

Assault 07

Discharge of firearm 03

Crimen injuria 01

Possession of unlicensed firearm 02

Pointing of firearm 03

Murder 02

Drunk driving 02

Attempted murder 02

Armed robbery 02

Domestic violence 02

Reckless and Negligence driving 01

Trading in precious metal (Gold) 01

Possession of stolen vehicle 01

Culpable homicide 01

House breaking 01

Loss of firearm 02

Trespassing 01

Use vehicle without owner permission 01

**TOTAL 49**