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**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

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**204. Mr G R Krumbock (DA) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

(1) What are the details of the (a) destination and (b) total costs for (i) accommodation, (ii) travel and (iii) any other costs incurred for international travel of each (aa) Minister and (bb) Deputy Minister of her department since 1 June 2019;

(2) what is the total cost incurred for domestic air travel for each (a) Minister and (b) Deputy Minister of her department since 1 June 2019? NW204E

**REPLY:**

1. **(aa) Minister**

| (a)Destination | (b)(i)  Accommodation  cost | (ii)  Travel cost (Flights) | (iii)  Other costs (S & T, Incidental, DIRCO Expenditure: Road Transport,) |
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| 16th international inter-ministerial conference on South Africa cooperation in Pop Dev  30 August – 05 September 2019  Tunis, Tunisia | R 14 594.63 | R 31 300.00 | R 13 353.15 |
| The Nairobi Summit on the International Conference on Development (ICPD25)  10 -14 November 2019  Nairobi, Kenya | R 43 995.94 | R 27 268.97 | R 154 424.72 |
| Global Entrepreneurship Congress  27 – 30 March 2022  Riyadh, Saudi Arabia | R 39 475.14 | R 137 885.00 | R 52 186.29 |
| SheDecides+5 Event and Nexus High-level Roundtable.  19 – 20 May 2022  Brussels, Belgium | R 56 400.00 | R 82 543.00 | R 59 727.84 |
| 3rd session of the specialized technical committee (STC) on health population and drug control.  12 – 13 September 2022  Geneva, Switzerland | R 29 226.89 | R 150 862.00 | R 86 250.35 |
| Meeting with Maryland sister state committee members and Co-Host Side event on driving entrepreneurship agenda for Africa on the margins of the 77th United Nations General Assembly  18 – 23 September 2022  New York, USA | R 42 519.88 (this is for the Washington trip that happened at the same time as New York)  R 133 751.04 (this amount is for the New York leg of the USA trip) | R 9 827.00 |
| High-level commission on the Nairobi summit  7 – 12 November 2022  Zanzibar, Tanzania | The Minister’s Travel arrangements were sponsored and paid for by UNFPA. | | |

1. **(bb) Deputy Minister**

| **(a)Destination** | **(b)(i)**  **Accommodation**  **cost** | **(ii)**  **Travel cost** | **(iii)**  Other costs (S & T, Incidental, DIRCO Expenditure: Road Transport,) |
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| The 3rd Session of the Specialized Technical Committee (STC) on Health, Population, and Drug Control,  26 July - 04 August 2019  Cairo, Egypt | R 7330.69 | R 95 990.00 | R 30 063.12 |
| 24th International AIDS Conference from  26 July- 04 August 2022  Montreal, Canada | R 496 600.00 | R 98 841.00 | - |
| 15th Conference of State to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, 14-22 June 2022.  New York | R 1 193 149.00 | R 111 700.00 | R 561 094.56 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |

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|  | Domestic Travel |
| 1. Minister | R 910 240. |
| 1. Deputy Minister | R 270 428.00 |