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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

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**Mr T R Majola (DA) to ask the Minister of Communications:**

Will recipients of the free set-top boxes need valid SABC licences before digital switch on; if not, what regulatory amendments are anticipated to enable this? NW2318E

**REPLY: MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS**

Yes, recipients of free set-top-boxes will have to present valid SABC television licence.

**MR NDIVHUHO MUNZHELELE**

**[ACTING] DIRECTOR GENERAL**

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS**

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