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QUESTION 2162

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2162. M. Gen O S Terblanche (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:

Given that the Central Firearms Control Register component of the SA Police Service in Tshwane is seriously hampered to perform their functions, due to the non-availability of suitable accommodation to accommodate the important unit, (a) by what date will the move from the Veritas building to Telkom Towers building be completed, (b) what is the estimated cost implication and (c) which units are affected?

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REPLY:

- (a) The Central Firearms Register (CFR) was scheduled to relocate from the Veritas Building to the Telkom Towers, Annexe Building, on 30 October 2021. However, due to identified challenges in terms of the condition of the storage facilities and additional repairs and renovations, the migration process was put on hold. Only one Section of the CFR has relocated to Telkom Towers, Northern Tower Building. The migration process will commence once the National Department of Public Works and Infrastructure (NDPWI) has addressed the identified challenges. Shortcomings identified in the Annexe Building were submitted to NDPWI and to date no progress has been made.
- (b) The overall expenditure will be confirmed when the migration from the Veritas Building to Telkom Towers, has been finalised. The removal of furniture is expedited under the auspices of the existing transversal contract for furniture removal.
- (c) The Component: Firearms, Liquor and Second-Hand Goods (FLASH) is affected.

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MINISTER OF POLICE GENERAL BH CELÉ, MP

Date: