**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**36/1/4/1(202100305)**

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 2204**

**DATE OF UBLICATION IN INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER: 1 SEPTEMBER 2021 (INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO 22-2021)

2204. Ms H Ismail (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:**

(1).Whether any progress has been made on CAS 08 92/03/2021 (details furnished); if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(2). whether any statements were taken from witnesses and recorded; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;

(3). When last was the affected family given a progress report on the specified case?

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**REPLY:**

(1) Yes, upon receipt of the missing parson’s report, a file was opened and registered, as per Dawn Park Missing Person’s Inquiry, Reference number 01/03/2021. The complainant was Interviewed and her statement was obtained. In her statement she mentioned a black BMW motor vehicle, with registration number WR647GP. The BMW was traced and found. it belongs to Mr. Olu Okpaisa. Further enquiries were conducted, which failed to link the BMW to this Incident. Enquiries were also conducted with family members and friends, with negative results.

2Yes, statements were taken from the following persons:

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| Name  | Relationship to the missing person |
| Dorothy Neels  | Mother |
| Denieva Louw | Cousin |
| Ganlyu Tejumola Latleef | BMW owner’s son |
| Olu Okpasie | BMW owner |
| Henry Jacks | Friend |

(3) The affected family was last given a progress report, on 18 March 2021 and since then there has been no new information available. The matter is still under investigation

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**GENERAL NATIONAL COMMISSIONER: SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE
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Reply to question 2204 approved

**MINISTER OF POLICE
GENERA BH CELE, MP
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