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**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO 2297**

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**2297. Ms T E Baker (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:**

(1) With regard to the amount of R352,4 million which was set aside to assist the nine municipalities affected by drought in KwaZulu-Natal, (a) which municipalities have received payments and (b) what amount has each municipality received to date;

(2) have funding agreements been signed with all affected municipalities; if not, (a) which municipalities have outstanding agreements and (b) what action has been taken to remedy this? NW2658E

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**REPLY:**

 (1)(a) Refer to table below regarding the nine municipalities affected by drought in KZN:

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| **No.** | **Name of Municipality** | **Business Plan** | **Funding agreement** | **Amount received to date** |
| 1 | Umzinyathi District Municipality | Approved | Approved | R1 782 836.47 |
| 2 | Umkhanyakude District Municipality | Approved | Approved | R6 321 734.42 |
| 3 | Uthukela District Municipality | Received and pending approval | Received and pending approval | None |
| 4 | Ugu District Municipality | Approved | Approved | None  |
| 6 | Zululand District Municipality | Approved | Approved | None |
| 7 | UguDistrict Municipality | Approved | Approved | None |
| 8 | IlembeDistrict Municipality | Approved | Approved | None |
| 9 | Harry Gwala | Approved | Approved | None |

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