NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
FOR WRITTEN REPLY
QUESTION 2329

Mr S J F Marais (DA) to ask the Minister of Defence and Military Veterans

(1) With reference to the continuous reliance on Reserve Force members for every authorized operation of the SA National Defence Force, (a) on what date will the new Chief of the SA Reserve Force be appointed after the termination of the term of the previous Chief on 31 May 2021 and (b) what are the reasons that the Chief of the SA Reserve Force has not been appointed for a full year;

(2) (2) whether, with the term of the Reserve Force Council (RFC) members that ended towards the end of 2021, she has met with the previous RFC members; if not, why not; if so, on what date will the new members of the RFC appointed;

(3) (3) What are the (a) reasons that the new members of the RFC have not been appointed and (b) consequences of not appointing the members ?

Attached find here: [Reply](https://pmg.org.za/files/RNW2329-2022-08-15.pdf)