

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

# QUESTION NO. 2368

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**2368. Adv A de W Alberts (FF Plus) to ask the Minister of Home Affairs::**

(a) On which date permanent residence in the Republic was awarded to a certain person (name and details furnished), (b)(i) where and (ii) how the specified person would be able to obtain a permit and/or a copy of the permanent residence and (c)(i) on what date it will be available and (ii) which person needs to be contacted in order to collect the specified permit and/or copy from such person? NW2613E

**REPLY:**

1. As the concerned person was born in Namibia before independence, he was a South African citizen and therefore has the rights to Permanent Residence from date of birth. In terms of SA law he can never lose his right to permanent residence.

(b)(i-ii) Should he wish to obtain a letter confirming the above, he is advised to apply for it at the local Home Affairs’ office.

(c)(i) Not applicable

(c)(ii) Not applicable

**Remarks: Reply:** Approved / Not Approved

**Mkuseli Apleni Prof. Hlengiwe Mkhize, MP**

**Director-General Minister of Home Affairs**

**Date: Date:**