**Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 2474**

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 **Mr D Bergman (DA) to ask the Minister of Higher Education and Training:**

1. Whether (a) the Chief Executive Officer, (b) each executive and (c) each board member of the Education Training and Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority (ETDPSETA) submitted reports for each international trip they undertook (i) in the 2015 calendar year and (ii) since 1 January 2016; if not, in each case, why not; if so, in each case, on what date;
2. whether he will make the specified reports available to Mr D Bergman; if not, why not; if so, by what date;
3. whether any staff members of the ETDPSETA were formally appointed to act in the positions of the persons who travelled internationally; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are (a) the names of each staff member who was appointed in an acting position in the specified period and (b) further relevant details in this regard?

**REPLY:**

1. (i) Trip undertaken in 2015:
2. Chief Executive Officer (CEO): Yes
3. Executive Members: Not Applicable
4. Board Members: Yes

A report was submitted and presented to the Education Training and Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority (ETDPSETA) Accounting Authority on 8 October 2015.

(ii) No trips were undertaken since 1 January 2016.

2. The report is available upon request.

3. Ms WP Kananda was appointed as acting CEO from 10 August 2015 to 24 August 2015.

COMPILER/CONTACT PERSONS:

EXT:

DIRECTOR – GENERAL

STATUS:

DATE:

Dr B NZIMANDE, MP

MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

STATUS:

DATE: