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**QUESTION 2507**

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**(INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO 29-2017)**

**2507. Mr Z N Mbhele (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:**

(1) Whether, a certain person (name and details furnished) was afforded protection services by (a) the Presidential Protection Services (PPS) unit of the SA Police Services (SAPS) or (b) the Protection and Security Services (PSS) unit of the SAPS during the person’s visit to South Africa in the period 10 August 2017 to 20 August 2017; if not, in each case, what is the position in this regard; if so,

(2) was the assigned security detail present at the hotel where the specified person allegedly assaulted a certain person (name furnished) on or about 13 August 2017; if not, why not; if so, (a) did he receive a report from the security detail on their conduct during the incident and (b) what are the relevant details;

(3) did the assigned security detail accompany the specified person to the airport from which the person left South Africa for Zimbabwe on or about 20 August 2017; if not, why not; if so;

(4) (a) why did they not arrest the specified person, (b) what are the relevant details and did he receive a report from the security detail on their conduct during the trip to the airport?

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**REPLY:**

(1)(a) No,

(1)(b) No

(2)(a) Not applicable.

(2)(b) Not applicable.

(3) Not applicable.

(4)(a) Not applicable.

(4)(b) Not applicable.