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

- (1) Whether any internal investigation was started involving a certain person (name and details furnished) on allegations of corruption, fraud and other irregularities; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (2) Whether the investigation has been completed; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what (a) are the outcomes of the investigation and (b) are the further relevant details;
- (3) What are the reason that the specified person was moved to Army Support Formation while the investigation was ongoing?

REPLY:

- (1) The SANDF is aware of the allegations as mentioned by the honourable member. To this effect, an internal investigation was conducted which confirmed the existence of the account.
- (2) The internal investigation has been completed, which recommended for a forensic audit of the account. Once the forensic audit has been concluded, the honourable member and Parliament will be notified accordingly.
- (3) The member's movement to the Army Support Formation was not related to the allegations but was at the Support Formation HQ as the Acting Chief of Staff, due to the fact that the Chief of Staff was given other responsibilities.



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