**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 2687**

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**2687. Mr M Tshwaku (EFF) to ask the Minister of Basic Education:**

What number of (a) teachers and (b) principals in each province are (i) male and (ii) female? NW2979E

**REPLY**

1. Number of (i) male and (ii) female teachers in each province.

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| **PROVINCE** | **(b)(i)MALE TEACHERS** | **(b)(ii)FEMALE TEACHERS** | **TOTAL** |
| EASTERN CAPE | 11 450 | 35 007 | 46 457 |
| FREE STATE | 6 195 | 15 626 | 21 821 |
| GAUTENG | 15 959 | 49 405 | 65 364 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | 21 560 | 65 813 | 87 373 |
| LIMPOPO PROVINCE | 17 020 | 29 419 | 46 439 |
| MPUMALANGA | 9 828 | 21 674 | 31 502 |
| NORTH WEST | 6 672 | 17 974 | 24 646 |
| NORTHERN CAPE | 2 650 | 6 900 | 9 550 |
| WESTERN CAPE | 7 675 | 19 549 | 27 224 |
| **Grand Total** | **99 009** | **261 367** | **360 376** |

**Source:** PERSAL, July 2018

**Note:** The figures reflect the number of teachers (Post Level 1-3) including Grade R teachers/Practitioners. They are not a reflection of the number of posts.

1. Number of (i) male and (ii) female principals in each province.

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| **PROVINCE** | **(b)(i)MALE PRINCIPALS** | **(b)(ii)FEMALE PRINCIPALS** | **TOTAL** |
| EASTERN CAPE | 2 991 | 1 924 | 4 915 |
| FREE STATE | 619 | 299 | 918 |
| GAUTENG | 1 298 | 757 | 2 055 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | 3 239 | 2 184 | 5 423 |
| LIMPOPO PROVINCE | 2 278 | 1 286 | 3 564 |
| MPUMALANGA | 1 031 | 565 | 1 596 |
| NORTH WEST | 823 | 527 | 1 350 |
| NORTHERN CAPE | 334 | 175 | 509 |
| WESTERN CAPE | 949 | 380 | 1 329 |
| **Grand Total** | **13 562** | **8 097** | **21 659** |

**Source:** PERSAL, July 2018

**Note:** The figure reflects Principals. They are not a reflection of the number of posts.