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**MINISTER**

**QUESTION NO. 279 FOR WRITTEN REPLY: NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

A draft reply to **Ms Y N Yako (EFF)** to the above-mentioned question is enclosed for your consideration.

**MS NOSIPHO NGCABA**

**DIRECTOR-GENERAL**

**DATE:**

**DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED**

**MS N P MOKONYANE, MP**

**MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

**DATE:**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**(For written reply)**

**QUESTION NO. 279 {NW292E}**

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**Ms Y N Yako (EFF) to ask the Minister of Environmental Affairs:**

What number of (a) tender briefings were held in 2018 by (i) her Department and (ii) each of the entities reporting to her; and (b) specified briefings were compulsory?

**279. THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS REPLIES:**

**Department of Environmental Affairs**

(a) (i) Number of tender briefings in:

**2017/18** = Eighteen(18); and

**2018/19** = Sixteen(16)

**Total** = Thirty-four (34)

(b) **2017/18** = Seveteen (17); and

**2018/19** = Seven (7)

**Total = 24**

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1. (ii) Number of tender briefings in:

**2017/18** = None (0); and

**2018/19** = One (1)

**Total** = One (1)

1. One (1)

**South African National Biodiversity Institute**

1. (ii) Number of tender briefings in:

**2017/18** = Twenty-seven (27); and

**2018/19** = Thirty-four (34)

**Total** = Sixty-one (61)

1. Sixty (60)

**South African National Parks**

1. (ii) Number of tender briefings in:

**2017/18** = Thirty-five (35); and

**2018/19** = Nineteen (19)

**Total** = Fifty-four (54)

1. Fifty-two (52)

**South African Weather Service**

1. (ii) Number of tender briefings in:

**2017/18** = Nine (9); and

**2018/19** = Nine (9)

**Total** = 18

1. Seventeen (17)

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