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**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

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**Ms N K F Hlonyana (EFF) to ask the Minister of Health:**

What is the total number of (a) premature babies who died at Dr Mukhari Academic Hospital in Pretoria, Gauteng, in each year since 1 January 2015 and (b) nurses in each shift who take care of premature babies at the hospital?

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**REPLY:**

(a) The rate of premature babies who died at Dr Mukhari Academic Hospital in Pretoria, Gauteng in each year Since 01 January 2015 to 2018.

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| **Year** | **Rate** |
| 2015 | 6.5% |
| 2016 | 7.0% |
| 2017 | 5.9% |
| 2018 | 6.8% |

(b) Nurses in each shift who take care of premature babies at the hospital

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|  | **Professional Nurses**  | **Enrolled Nurses** | **Enrolled Nursing Assistants**  |
| Day Shift  | 12 | 8 | 4 |
| Night Shift  | 11 | 5 | 2 |

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