**MINISTRY FOR HUMAN SETTLEMENTS**

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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO.: 3233**

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**Ms V van Dyk (DA) to ask the Minister of Human Settlements:**

(1) Whether any Reconstruction and Development Programme (RDP) houses have been built in the (a) Nama Khoi Local Municipality, (b) Kamiesberg Local Municipality, (c) Richtersveld Local Municipality and (d) Khai-Ma Municipality since 2009; if so, (i) how many houses have been built, (ii) what is the location of the specified houses, (iii) who were the contractors of the specified houses and (iv) were all the houses completed and signed off;

(2) whether any of the specified houses in the specified municipalities have been repaired or rebuilt since 2009; if so, (a) how many houses have been repaired or rebuilt, (b) at what cost was each specified house repaired or rebuilt, (c) what is the location of each specified house, (d) who were the contractors of each specified house and (e) were the repairs to all the specified houses completed and signed off? **NW3834E**

**REPLY:**

Honourable member, government is no longer building Reconstruction and Development Programme (RDP) houses. RDP houses were discontinued as soon as Cabinet adopted the *Comprehensive Plan for the Development of Sustainable Human Settlements* in 2004 setting new standards for housing typologies for government houses referred to as BNG houses.

(1) The information requested by the Honourable member on **Breaking New Ground (BNG)** houses built in the (a) Nama Khoi Local Municipality, (b) Kamiesberg Local Municipality, (c) Richtersveld Local Municipality and (d) Khai-Ma Municipality since 2009 is provided in the table below:

| **Local Municipality** |  **2009/10** |  **2010/11** |  **2011/12** |  **2012/13** |  **2013/14** |  **2014/15** | **TOTAL** | **(ii) location** | **(iv) all houses completed and signed off** |
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| **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** | **Sites** | **Units** |
|  | **(i) Number of houses built** |
| **(a) Nama Khoi** |  |
| Buffelsrivier | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 9 | **0** | **9** | Buffelsrivier | All houses completed and signed off |
| Bulletrap | 0 |   |   |   |   | 5 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **5** | Bulletrap |
| Carolusberg | 0 |   |   | 10 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **10** | Carolus-berg |
| Concordia | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 15 | **0** | **15** | Concordia |
| Fonteintjie | 0 |   |   |   |   | 15 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **15** | Springbok |
| Goodhouse | 0 |   |   |   |   | 15 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **15** | Goodhouse |
| Komaggas | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 26 | **0** | **26** | Kommagas |
| Kouroep | 0 |   |   |   |   | 5 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **5** | Kouroep |
| Matjieskloof | 0 |   |   | 100 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **100** | Springbok |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 50 |   |   | **0** | **50** |
| 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 50 | **0** | **50** |
| 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 1 | **0** | **1** |
| Nababeep | 0 |   |   |   |   | 20 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **20** | Nababeep |
| 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 4 | **0** | **4** |  |
| O'kiep |   |   |   | 110 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **110** | O'Kiep |
|   |   |   |   |   | 50 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **50** |
| O'kiep | 0 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 190 | **0** | **190** | O'kiep | All houses completed and signed off |
| Rooiwal |   |   |   |   |   | 20 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **20** | Vioolsdrift |
| Rooiwinkel |   |   |   |   |   | 5 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **5** | Rooiwinkel |
| Vioolsdrift |   |   |   |   |   | 11 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **11** | Vioolsdrift |
| ***Sub-total*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***220*** | ***0*** | ***146*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***50*** | ***0*** | ***295*** | ***0*** | ***711*** |  |  |
| **(b) Kamiesberg** |  |
| Garies | 0 | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **1** | Garies | All houses completed and signed off |
| Kharkams |   | 2 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **2** | Kharkams |
| Klipfontein |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 120 | **0** | **120** | Klipfontein |
| Lepelsfontein |   |   |   | 60 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **60** | Lepels-fontein |
| Kamassies |   | 3 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **3** | Kamassies |
| Kheis |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 1 |   |   | **0** | **1** | Kheis |
| ***Sub-total*** | ***0*** | ***6*** | ***0*** | ***60*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***1*** | ***0*** | ***120*** | ***0*** | ***187*** |  |
| **(c) Richtersveld** |   |
| Kuboes | 0 | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **1** | Kuboes | All houses completed and signed off |
| Port Nolloth |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 100 | **0** | **100** | Port Nolloth |
| Sanddrift |   |   |   |   |   | 10 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **10** | Sanddrift |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 50 | **0** | **50** |
| Eksteenfontein |   |   |   |   |   | 1 |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **1** | Eksteen-fontein |
| ***Sub-total*** | ***0*** | ***1*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***11*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***150*** | ***0*** | ***162*** |  |
| **(d) Khai-Ma** |   |
| Pella | 0 | 2 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **2** | Pella | All houses completed and signed off |
|   |   |   | 8 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **8** |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 38 | **0** | **38** |
| Pofadder |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 101 | **0** | **101** | Pof-adder |
| Onseepkans |   |   |   | 4 |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | **0** | **4** | Onseep-kans |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 5 | **0** | **5** |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 2 | **0** | **2** |
| ***Sub-total*** | ***0*** | ***2*** | ***0*** | ***12*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***0*** | ***146*** | ***0*** | ***160*** |  |
| **TOTAL** | **0** | **9** | **0** | **292** | **0** | **157** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **51** | **0** | **711** | **0** | **1,220** |  |

(2) We have been informed that the houses were not enrolled with the NHBRC and as such we do not have any information on the rectification of the houses.

 (a) Falls away.

 (b) Falls away.

1. Falls away.

(d) Falls away.