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 **Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**Minister**

**National Assembly question for written Reply: 3280**

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**Ms Val Mathobela**

**CD: SM**

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**Ms. Jennifer Schreiner**

**Director General: Department of Women**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NUMBER: 3280**

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**3280 Ms T Stander (DA) to ask the Minister of Women in the Presidency:**

(1) Whether her department took any steps to address the alleged consistent failure to meet its performance targets by (a) developing specific measurable, achievable and realistic time-bound key indicators for its 2017-18 annual performance plan and (b) prioritising fewer strategic targets to ensure budget and human resources efficacy to achieve the specified plan and/or prevent any future change to the specified plan during the specified financial year; if not, in each case, why not; if so, what are the relevant details in each case;

(2) what is the total amount spent on the strategic planning session of her department held in or around August 2017? NW3612E

**Reply:**

1. (a) The Department developed specific measurable, achievable and realistic time-bound key indicators for its 2017-18 Annual Performance Plan, in line with the Framework for Strategic Plans and Annual Performance Plans.

(b) The Department is currently implementing the 2017/18 Annual Performance Plan in its entirety as tabled.

1. The Department has not held a strategic planning session in or around August 2017.

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**Approved by the Minister on**

**Date……………………….**