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**3496. Ms A T Lovemore (DA) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

(1) With reference to the reply of the Minister of Basic Education to question 2973 on 1 September 2015, (a) how many unemployed matriculants have been employed in the Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) in respect of (i) each province and (ii) education district and (b) in what positions were the specified unemployed matriculants employed in (i) each province and (ii) education district since the inception of the programme;

(2) (a) how many opportunities exist in the EPWP for unemployed matriculants to assist at schools as (i) administrative staff and (ii) teacher aides, (b) what is the contract period for each specified work opportunity, (c) what is the stipend provided to each matriculant for each specified work opportunity, (d) are any formal developmental opportunities provided to the matriculants in order to enhance their skills and (e) how are the schools to which the matriculants are allocated selected in respect of (i) each province and (ii) education district? NW4158E

**Reply:**

This question is too broad and it is about the work of other departments. The member must ask the question to the departments concerned as well as provinces concerned.