**Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 3534**

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**Prof B Bozzoli (DA) to ask the Minister of Higher Education and Training:**

1. Is a certain person (name and details furnished) still receiving a salary from the EastCape Midlands Technical and Vocational Education and Training College; if so, (a) why and (b) what amount is the specified person receiving;
2. does the specified college own a farm outside Uitenhage; if so, (a) how was it purchased, (b) is any money owed on the specified property and (c) what is the farm intended for;
3. is the specified farm being used for the purpose for which it was intended; if not, why not;
4. are cattle belonging to the specified person kept at the specified farm; if so, (a) why and (b) when will they be removed?

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**REPLY:**

1. Mr Mbana was transferred as the Principal of Eastcape Midlands Technical and Vocational Education and Training College (EMC) to the Department of Higher Education and Training on 1 April 2013. All Principals are appointed as Directors at salary level 13.

(2), (3) and (4) The Department will bring this matter to the attention of the College Council requesting that it forms part of the forensic investigation in terms of Section 46 of the Continuing Education and Training Act of 2006, as amended. The Terms of Reference for the forensic investigation will be addressed in consultation with the College Council.

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REPLY TO QUESTION 3534 APPROVED/NOT APPROVED/AMENDED

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MINISTER OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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