

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**PARLIAMENTARY QUESTION NO.: 3627**

**DATE OF QUESTION: 18 SEPTEMBER 2015**

**DATE OF REPLY: 5 OCTOBER 2015**

**Mr S C Motau (DA) to ask the Minister of Justice and Correctional Services:**

(a) What cases are currently being investigated by the Asset Forfeiture Unit and (b) which of these cases are currently before the courts?

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**REPLY:**

1. In the current financial year (1 April 2015 up to 15 September 2015), the Assets Forfeiture Unit has obtained 128 preservation/restraint orders and 173 forfeiture/confiscation orders.
2. As on 15 September 2015, 89 applications (preservation/restraint or forfeiture/confiscation) were filed but must still be heard in court.

In addition, as on 15 September 2015, 1 698 cases are being investigated and documents drafted but have not been filed in court.