**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION: 3670**

**PUBLISHED IN INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO 44-2018 OF 30 NOVEMBER 2018**

**DR PJ GROENEWALD (FF PLUS) TO ASK THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM:**

1. What is the extent of land that the Government obtained in each province since 1 January 1994, for the purpose of (a) land restitution and (b) land redistribution;
2. what is the extent of pre-existing state-owned agricultural land in hectares that was disposed of to beneficiaries in each province during the period 1 January 1994 up to 31 December 2004, excluding the land acquired and transferred for the purpose of land restitution and land redistribution since 1 January 1994;
3. since 1 January 1994, what is the total number of hectares of land in each province in respect of which beneficiaries chose to receive financial compensation rather than land restitution;

(4) what is the extent of hectares of land in each province that was transferred to beneficiaries as part of land tenure reform since 1 January 1994, excluding land transferred through land restitution and land redistribution? **NW4242E**

**REPLY:**

(1)(a)(b) Please refer to the table below.

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Province** | * + 1. **Restitution** | * + 1. **Redistribution** | **(4) part of land tenure reform** |
| **Eastern Cape** | **127 699** | **552 661** | **45 200** |
| **Free State** | **58 104** | **426 092** | **44 544** |
| **Gauteng** | **17 443** | **61 151** | **4 879** |
| **KwaZulu Natal** | **847 912** | **590 272** | **206 289** |
| **Limpopo** | **706 423** | **181 209** | **33 797** |
| **Mpumalanga** | **523 735** | **479 961** | **113 984** |
| **Northern Cape** | **701 014** | **1 544 127** | **57 203** |
| **North West** | **501 783** | **510 920** | **25 277** |
| **Western Cape** | **11 042** | **554 722** | **251 314** |

(2) Please refer to the table below.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Province** | **Number of hectares** |
| EASTERN CAPE | 9 172.06 |
| FREE STATE | 4 122.49 |
| GAUTENG | 513.30 |
| KWAZULU-NATAL | 5 382.25 |
| LIMPOPO | 6 730.43 |
| MPUMALANGA | 42.85 |
| NORTH WEST | 13 937.75 |
| **Grand Total** | 1. **01.13** |

(3)(4) Please refer to the table below.

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **Province** | **Number of hectares** |
| **Eastern Cape** | **402 532** |
| **Free State** | **147 754** |
| **Gauteng** | **23 371** |
| **KwaZulu Natal** | **172 259** |
| **Limpopo** | **827 955** |
| **Mpumalanga** | **678 624** |
| **Northern Cape** | **503 943** |
| **North West** | **68 554** |
| **Western Cape** | **95 394** |

1. Please refer to part (1)(a),(b) above.