

**THE PRESIDENCY: REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

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**QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO : 3717**

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**The Leader of the Opposition (DA) to ask the President of the Republic:**

Whether, given (a) the reply of the Minister of International Relations and Cooperation to question 3509 on 22 September 2015 and (b) his statements on 15 September 2015 during his foreign policy briefing confirming the invitation of a Sudanese delegation to the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation (FOCAC), President Omar al-Bashir of Sudan has been (i) invited to and/or (ii) confirmed his attendance at the FOCC Summit to be held in Johannesburg in December 2015?

**DRAFT REPLY:**

The President of the Republic of Sudan did not attend the Forum of China-Africa Cooperation Summit, (FOCAC).