### NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

### FOR WRITTEN REPLY

### **QUESTION 384**

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## 384. Mr M K Montwedi (EFF) to ask the Minister of Police:

In light of his commitment to construct a new police station in Taung in the North West and to also open two satellite police stations in Magogong and Molelema, how far is the construction process, what (a) specific time frames have been put in place for the projects and (b) is the projected total cost of (i) constructing a new police station in Taung and (ii) opening the two specified satellite police stations?

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#### REPLY:

- (a) The construction of a new police station in Taung, North West Province is priority number one in the 2024/25 to 2026/27 Medium Term Expenditure Framework (MTEF) cycle. The project has, however, not been activated for site clearance yet, due to cost containment measures that were introduced by the National Treasury. The Taung Police Station will be re-established on the existing site and will be executed by the National Department of Public Works and Infrastructure. The Mogogong and Molelema Satellite Police Stations have not been prioritized for construction and have not been budgeted for in the short- to medium-term.
- (b)(i) The projected cost for the construction of the Taung Police Station is approximately R 75 000 000, based on the needs assessment compiled in 2019.
- (ii) The conducting feasibility studies into the establishment of the Mogogong and Molelema Satellite Police Stations have not been initiated as of yet, and as a result, they are not prioritized for construction and no cost estimate is available, at this time.

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