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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NUMBER: 575**

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**Ms V van Dyk (DA) to ask the Minister of Communications:**

 (1) With reference to her reply to question 143 on 28 February 2017, (a) over how many days was each specified training session offered, (b) on which dates did the training sessions take place and (c) what is the curriculum breakdown of the content of each training session;

(2) (a) what were the (i) rental costs for each venue hired for each training session and (ii) final costs of each training session and (c) for how many days was each venue hired in each case;

(3) (a) what is the total number of persons who attended each training session offered from each of the three radio stations and (b) where did each training session take place? NW633E

**REPLY: MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS:**

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| **Training conducted** | **Training provider** | **1(a) No of days** | **1(b) Dates of training** | **1(c) Breakdown of schedule** | **2(a)(i) rental costs** | **2(a)(ii) total costs** | **2(c) training duration**  | **3(a) people trained** | **3(b) venue training** |
| **Content Development**  | SASJA/SAASTA | 2 days | 19 - 20 February 2016 | Science journalism training / reporting | Held as SAASTA training venue. No cost incurred | R184 000 | 2 days | N/A | N/A |
| **Governance** | WITS University | 2015 academic year  | 2015 academic year – phased sessions | Advanced radio certificate and station advisory mentoring service | Held at the WITS University. No cost incurred | R674 300 | 2015 academic year | 5 persons per station for the 3 stations | WITS Radio Academy and on site |
| **Grantee Orientation** | MDDA | 3 days | 30, 31 March and 1 April 2016 | 1. MDDA Programs
2. Accountability and reporting
3. Stakeholder and support programs
4. Capacity building and skills development
5. Marketing and advertising
 | R471 345 | R707 000 | 3 days | N/A | N/A |

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**MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS**

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