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| MEMORANDUM FROM THE PARLIAMENTARY OFFICE |

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION 591**

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**Mr P P Keetse (EFF) to ask the Minister of Higher Education, Science and Technology:**

What number of (a) engineers and (b) architects graduated in each of the past five years?

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**REPLY:**

The table below provides the number of students who graduated with an undergraduate degree in Engineering and Architecture at public higher education institutions from 2013 to 2017.

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| **Undergraduate Degree** | **2013** | **2014** | **2015** | **2016** | **2017** |
| Engineering | 11 441 | 12 058 | 12 470 | 12 386 | 12 956 |
| Architects | 798 | 846 | 792 | 820 | 862 |