**

**THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO. 595**

**Mrs Y N Yako (EFF) to ask the Minister of Trade and Industry:**

(a) What percentage of black women-owned businesses does the Industrial Development Corporation fund, (b) in what sectors are the women-owned businesses and (c) how does the specified percentage compare with the other demographics? NW786E

**RESPLY**

**I have been provided with the following reply by the IDC:**

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**(b)**

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| **Black women**  |  |  |
|  **Sector**  | **Value of approvals (R'm)**  | **Number of approvals**  |
|  | **>25%**  | **>50%**  | **>25%**  | **>50%**  |
| Agro Processing & Agriculture  | 324  | 66  | 14  | 6  |
| Basic Metals and Mining  | 5,643  | 1,847  | 15  | 6  |
| Clothing & Textiles  | 121  | 4  | 18  | 5  |
| Basic & Speciality Chemicals  | 725  | 508  | 13  | 8  |
| Chemical Products & Pharmaceuticals  | 204  | 66  | 17  | 10  |
| Machinery & Equipment  | 948  | 635  | 20  | 12  |
| Automotive & Transport Equipment  | 684  | 356  | 14  | 8  |
| Heavy Manufacturing  | 459  | 202  | 21  | 9  |
| Light Manufacturing & Tourism  | 1,030  | 699  | 19  | 13  |
| Industrial Infrastructure  | 808  | 127  | 11  | 5  |
| Media and Audio Visual  | 585  | 89  | 12  | 6  |
| Other  | 110  | 110  | 3  | 3  |
|  **Total**  | **11,642**  | **4,708**  | **177**  | **91**  |

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Refer to above.

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**Mr L October**

**Director-General: Department of Trade, Industry and Competition (the dtic)**

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**Mr E Patel**

**Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition**

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