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**617. Dr P J Groenewald (FF Plus) to ask the Minister of Rural Development and Land Reform: †**

1. Whether the second phase of his department’s land audit has been completed; if not, why not; if so, (a) when it was complete and (b) when it will be publicised;

(2) whether the report contains the (a) race, (b) nationality and (c) gender of the land owners in South Africa; if not, why not; if so, which sources were used to establish the criteria? **NW730E**

**THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM:**

1. No. The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform is currently in the process of finalising the land audit report.
   1. Falls away.
   2. Once it is tabled or presented to Cabinet.

(2) (a) Yes.

1. No. The report will contain the country of origin of land owners.
2. Yes. Country of origin and gender were sourced from the population register and the race from Statistics South Africa.