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**Mr. Toni**

**Acting Director-General: Department of Social Development**

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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

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**637. Ms N P Sonti (EFF) to ask the Minister of Social Development:**

(a) What number of social grant recipients were added as grant recipients in (i) 2016, (ii) 2017 and (iii) 2018 and (b) to what type of grant was each recipient added? NW762E

**REPLY:**

(a) (i) (ii) ( iii) and (b)The number of new grants added, per grant type, per financial year is indicated in the following table:



*N.B: The above table is based on the number of newly approved social grant applications per financial year. The 2018/19 figures are for the months of April 2018 to February 2019, as the March 2019 figures are not yet available.*

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**Approved by the Minister on**

**Date……………………….**