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Dr P J Groenwald (FF Plus) to ask the Minister of Police**

(1) what process must be followed to verify fingerprints during the application for firearm licences and/or competency certificates;

(2) (a) what total number of applications that needed to be verified have been submitted to the Criminal Record Centre in each province (i) in the (aa) 2017-18, (bb) 2018-19, (cc) 2019-20 and (dd0 2020-21 financial year and (ii) since 1 January 2022 and (b) of what total number of such applications thst have been submitted in the specified financial years and period, has the Criminal Record Centre provided feedback on:  
  
(3) what is the reason that the profiling system is not used?   
  
**Attached find here:** [**Reply**](https://pmg.org.za/files/RNW728-2022-04-12.pdf)