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

(a) How many nongovernmental organisations (NGOs) in each province have been subsidised by her department in 2014 and 2015, (b) what total amount did each specified NGO receive and (c) what amount of the total specified amount received did each specified NGO spend on (i) administration and (ii) core service delivery? NW976E

**Reply:**

1. The number of non-governmental organisations (NGOs) subsidised in the **2014/2015** financial year per province:

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| PROVINCE | NUMBER OF FUNDED ORGANISATIONS | | TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED TO NGOs |
| EASTERN CAPE | **2416** | | **496, 417 000.00** |
| FREE STATE | **1613** | **1680** | **347, 637 732.00** |
| GAUTENG | **2791** | | **1 530 972 449.00** |
| KWA-ZULU NATAL | **2945** | | **783, 218 348.00** |
| LIMPOPO | **2058** | | **442, 000 000. 00** |
| MPUMALANGA | **1263** | | **461 135 000.000** |
| NORTHERN CAPE | **1029** | | **204, 4338 38.00** |
| NORTH WEST | **812** | | **264, 701 727.97** |
| WESTERN CAPE | **2320** | **2151** | **964, 774 190.00** |

(b) The Provincial Departments of Social Development are currently at different phases of funding the NPOs. The provinces implement a combination of unit costs and programme funding in the financing of services rendered by non-profit organisations (NPOs). Some provinces have been providing a per capita rate for most of the subsidised programmes based on the number of beneficiaries serviced. The subsidy, which is based on the available resources, covers the overall costs of the service including administration, human resources and goods and services.

It is therefore difficult to provide a breakdown in respect of expenditure for (i) administartion and (ii) core service delivery.