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 **Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**National Assembly: 883**

Please find attached a response to Parliamentary Questionfor ***written reply*** asked **by Mr G R Krumbock (DA) to ask the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

**Ms H Mhlongo**

**Acting DDG: Corporate Services**

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Recommended/ Not Recommended

**Ms P Gamede**

**Acting Director General**

**………………/………………/2022**

Approved / Not Approved

**Mr. S.G Mantashe**

**Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy**

**………………/………………/2022**

**883. Mr G R Krumbock (DA) to ask the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

What (a) is the total number of incidents of (i) sexual harassment and (ii) sexual assault that were reported in his department (aa) in each of the past three financial years and (bb) since 1 April 2021, (b) number of cases (i) were opened and concluded, (ii) were withdrawn and (iii) remain open or pending based on the incidents and (c) sanctions were meted out against each person who was found guilty? NW1064E

**Reply**

1. No incidents of (i) sexual harassment and (ii) sexual assault were reported in the department (aa) in each of the past three financial years and (bb) since April 2021, (b) number of cases opened (i) were five (5), (ii) no case was withdrawn and (iii) three (3) cases remain open/pending (c) sanctions meted out against persons found guilty were dismissal (3 cases) and one month suspension without pay (2 cases).