# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO. 978**

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**Mr P A van Staden (FF Plus) to ask the Minister of Health:**

(1) What (a) is the total number of Clinic Health Committees that are active in each province, (b) is the total budget for Clinic Health Committees in each province for the 2019-20 financial year, (c) total number of members served on the Clinic Health Committees in each province for the 2019-20 financial year, (d) is the remuneration package of each committee member that served on the Clinic Health Committees in each province for the 2019-20 financial year and (e) is the purpose of the Clinic Health Committees;

(2) whether he will make a statement on the matter?

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###### REPLY:

(a, b, c, d & e) The following table reflects the details in this regard

| **Q (1)** | **(a) Total # of Clinic Health Committees 2019/20** | **(b) Total Budget for Clinic Health Committees 2019/20** | **(c)Total No of members served on Clinic Health Committees 2019/20** | **(d) Remuneration package of each Committee member 2019/20** |
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| **PPROVINCES** |   |
| **EC** | 696 | R16 240.00 | 10 440 | R 500.00 p/p p/q |
| **GP** | 1488 | No budget allocated  | 11 904 | No remuneration  |
| **FS**  | 139 | No budget allocated  | 973 | No remuneration  |
| **KZN**  | 592  | R7 104 000 | 8880  | R200.00 p/p p/q  |
| **LP** | 492 | No budget allocated  | 4428 | No remuneration  |
| **MP** | 263 | No budget allocated  | 3156 | No remuneration  |
| **NC** | 169 | No budget allocated  | 845 | No remuneration  |
| **NW** | 301 | R4 214 000 | 2107 | R500.00 p/p p/q |
| **WC**  | 200 | 1 958 400 | 2400 | S&T only p/p p/q |
| **(e) Purpose of the clinic Committee** | **Clinic Committees facilitate the following:**1. Serve as a link between Primary Health Care, community based services and  households;2. Participate in the achievement of improved health outcomes;3. Promote community participation, local accountability and intersectoral  collaboration; 4. Engage with the management of PHC facilities with regards to planning,  monitoring and oversight of Health Services; and 5. Engages with other governance structures e.g. Ward committees to ensure  streamlining of initiatives which provide a broader platform in engaging with stakeholders.  |

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