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QUESTION 2187

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2187. Ms T Gqada (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:

- (1) (a) What are the relevant norms and standards pertaining to the safety and security of armouries of the SA Police Service and (b) what steps are taken to ensure that armouries comply with the prescribed norms and standards;
- (2) (a) how many cases of theft have been reported from police armouries (i) in the (aa) 2014-15, (bb) 2015-16 and (cc) 2016-17 financial years and (ii) since 1 April 2017 to the latest date for which information is available and (b) in each case, what are the particulars of the (i) type and (ii) quantity of weapons stolen?

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REPLY:

(1)(a) Norms and Standards applicable to the safety and security of Armourers in the South African Police Services are regulated in terms of SO(S) and more specific SO(S) 21, 48, 51 and 55.

(b) In order to ensure that armouries comply with prescribed norms and

STOLEN	70	28	96	147	30	30	78	34	6	28
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2(a)(ii) Since 1 April 2017

NATURE OF LOSSES	EASTERN CAPE	FREE STATE	GAUTENG	KWAZULU NATAL	LIMPOPO	MPUMALANGA	NATIONAL OFFICE	NORTH WEST	NORTHERN CAPE	WESTERN CAPE
STOLEN	34	5	45	65	14	12	36	14	5	18