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### FOR WRITTEN REPLY

### **QUESTION 2900**

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## 2900. Mrs M O Clarke (DA) to ask the Minister of Police:

- (1) What total number of (a) sectors are within the area of the Germiston Police Station and (b) vehicles are in each sector;
- (2) whether all the SA Police Service officers at the Germiston Police Station have completed their firearms competency tests in terms of shooting; if not, why not; if so, what are the relevant details;
- (3) what total number of officers were found not competent at the station?

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  REPLY:
- (1)(a) There are five sectors in the Germiston Police Station policing precinct.
- (1)(b) There is one vehicle, per sector.
- (2) No, not all the South African Police Service (SAPS) members, at the Germiston Police Station, have completed their firearm competency training. A total of 237 SAPS members, have completed the prescribed training, in terms of the legal principles and the use of firearms (handgun, shotgun and rifle). A total of nine members have not yet completed the prescribed training, due to the following:
  - Medical conditions five members.
  - Lateral appointment and medical condition (not yet attended the SAPS basic training) – one member.
  - o Disability (wheelchair bound) one member.
  - Newly appointed, after an arbitration award and not yet attended the SAPS basic training – one member.
  - Declared unfit, in terms of Section 13 of the Firearms Control Act one member.

None of the SAPS members, who attended the prescribed training, were found (3) to be not competent.

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