

### THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

#### QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY

**QUESTION NO. 1587** 

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### Mr M Chetty (DA) to ask the Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition:

- (1) What are the aggregate amounts that are available in the (a) Special Economic Zones Fund, (b) Black Industrialist Scheme and (c) Critical Infrastructure Fund of his department;
- (2) whether he will furnish Mr M Chetty with the relevant details of allocations from each of the specified funds in the (a) 2018-19, (b) 2019-20 and (c) 2020-21 financial years, including the (i) recipients of the allocations, (ii) rand value of the allocations and (iii) geographical location in which the recipient operates; if not, why not; if so, on what date? NW1793E

#### **REPLY**

- 1) The 2021/2022 budget allocation for Special Economic Zones, Black Industrialist Scheme and Critical Infrastructure Programme is as follows:
  - a) Special Economic Zones: R1,504,670,000.00
  - b) Black Industrialists Scheme: R244,495,000.00
  - c) Critical Infrastructure Programme: R300,008,000.00
- Over the three-year period, the Department has supported projects with approximately R8.3 billion under Special Economic Zones, Black Industrialists Scheme and Critical Infrastructure. The Rand value breakdown and geographical spread is as follows:

## (a) Special Economic Zones

PROVINCE	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
EASTERN CAPE	R 1,517,163,284.00	R 329,958,894.80	R 203,219,385.00
GAUTENG		R 885,412,941.00	R 2,401,731,484.33
KWAZULU-NATAL	R 83,957,214.00	R 336,199,230.65	
WESTERN CAPE	R 185,883,218.00	R 17,684,827.00	

# (b) Black Industrialists Scheme

PROVINCE	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
EASTERN CAPE	R 88,583,250.00	R 31,703,971.50	
FREE STATE	R 26,022,910.00	R 19,220,837.32	
GAUTENG	R 479,515,831.00	R 241,962,290.32	R 150,393,876.83
KWAZULU-NATAL	R 360,229,729.00	R 149,535,490.61	R 98,137,187.00
LIMPOPO	R 92,125,047.00	R 31,519,689.00	
MPUMALANGA	R 81,000,000.00	R 19,941,575.00	
NORTH WEST	R 40,323,172.00	R 41,714,825.00	R 13,226,786.00
WESTERN CAPE	R 16,515,000.00	R 14,625,000.00	R 34,300,000.00

## (c) Critical Infrastructure Programme

PROVINCE	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21
GAUTENG	R 79,615,710.00	R 12,270,732.00	R 89,328,857.00
KWAZULU-NATAL	R 2,840,412.00		
LIMPOPO	R 14,932,114.00		R 14,789,273.00
MPUMALANGA	R 18,251,491.00	R 59,392,181.91	
WESTERN CAPE	R 1,841,412.00		R 17,202,134.00

3) A list of all recipients supported under these programmes is accessible in the Department's website under these links:

http://www.thedtic.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/DTIC-Incentives-Report-2020.pdf http://www.thedtic.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/Black-Industrialist-Report2021.pdf

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