



**forestry, fisheries
& the environment**

Department:
Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Ref: O2/1/5/2

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

(For written reply)

QUESTION NO. 1704 {NW1927E}

INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO. 13 OF 2025

DATE OF PUBLICATION: 28 MARCH 2025

Mr S P Mkhize (MK) to ask the Minister of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment:

What are the reasons that the City of Ekurhuleni has failed to replace outdated waste collection vehicles, despite clear evidence that 50% of the specialised fleet is non-operational?

1704. THE MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT REPLIES:

Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality is a distinct sphere of government, and the day-to-day operations of their fleet is under the executive authority of the Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Council. Therefore, this question should be directed to the Executive Mayor of Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality.

Regards

DR D T GEORGE, MP

MINISTER OF FORESTRY, FISHERIES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

DATE: 4/4/2025