



## **environmental affairs**

Department:  
Environmental Affairs  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

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**Ref: 02/1/5/2**

**MINISTER**

### **QUESTION NO. 3202 FOR WRITTEN REPLY: NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

A draft reply to **Mr N Paulsen (EFF)** to the above-mentioned question is enclosed for your consideration.

**MS NOSIPHO NGCABA  
DIRECTOR-GENERAL**

**DATE:**

**DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED**

**DR B E E MOLEWA, MP  
MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

**DATE:**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**(For written reply)**

**QUESTION NO. 3202 {NW3527E}**

**INTERNAL QUESTION PAPER NO. 37 of 2017**

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**Mr N Paulsen (EFF) to ask the Minister of Environmental Affairs:**

(a) Who owns the building that currently houses the Eastern Cape Parks and Tourism Agency in East London in the Eastern Cape, (b) what is the amount of the lease contract, (c) why was the specified company chosen, (d)(i) which other companies were involved in the bid to lease offices to the specified agency and (ii) what amount were they going to bill the agency for the use of their offices and (e) what is the relationship between the owner of the specified building and a certain person (name and details furnished)?

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**3202. THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS REPLIES:**

This is a provincial competency that would require the question to be referred, for response, to the Eastern Cape Department of Economic Development, Environmental Affairs and Tourism as the Management Authority in charge of the Eastern Cape Parks and Tourism Agency.

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