MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY: QUESTION 647 FOR WRITTEN REPLY

A draft reply to the above mentioned question asked by Mr L J Basson (DA) is attached for your consideration.

DIRECTOR-GENERAL

DATE: 27/03/2017

DRAFT REPLY APPROVED/AMENDED

MRS NP MOKONYANE
MINISTER OF WATER AND SANITATION

DATE: 03.04.17
FOR WRITTEN REPLY

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647. Mr L J Basson (DA) to ask the Minister of Water and Sanitation:

With reference to her reply to question 475 on 31 March 2016, (a) what progress has been made to date on the upgrading of the Brits Water Treatment Works in the Madibeng Local Municipality in North West, (b) what has been the cost of the upgrade to date and (c) by what date will the current phase of the specified project be completed? NW705E

REPLY:

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(a) To date my Department’s Construction Unit has appointed a Sub-contractor. The Sub-contractor has also appointed five local SMMEs for different earth works and for the construction of Pre Ozone. The scope of work for the first module includes the Ozone tank, Dissolve air flocculation and clear water tank. The physical progress is currently at 43 % completion.

(b) The total expenditure to date for all work done including the bulk electricity supply, designs on distributions, designs on raw water abstraction and designs on command reservoirs is R167, 000, 000.

(c) The first module is anticipated to be completed by end of July 2018.

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