

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY  
QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY  
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**340. Mr S C Motau (DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:**

How will the 9 600MW proposed nuclear build programme, to which the President referred in his state of the nation address on 12 February 2015, be financed?

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**REPLY:**

The 9 600 MW proposed nuclear build programme would be a substantial financial commitment. Government is undertaking a careful and thorough analysis of financing options to ensure the affordability and long term sustainability of the fiscus and financial soundness of a state owned entity like Eskom