

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**  
**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**  
**QUESTION NUMBER: 707 [NW855E]**  
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**707. Mr D W MacPherson (DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:**

- (1) What discussions have taken place between the (a) National Treasury, (b) KwaZulu-Natal local government and (c) eThekweni Municipality about funding the 2022 Commonwealth Games, in view of the specified municipality's announcement that it will be bidding for the event;
- (2) what, if any, commitments have been made by the National Treasury to fund the event;
- (3) what, if any, amount will the National Treasury make available to fund the event;
- (4) whether funds will be diverted from the budget of any (a) government department or (b) entity to fund the event?

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**REPLY:**

- (1) No discussions have taken place between the National Treasury, the KwaZulu-Natal local government and eThekweni Municipality about funding the 2022 Commonwealth Games
- (2) No commitments have been made by the National Treasury to fund the event
- (3) No funding has been made available for the event in 2015 Medium Term Expenditure Framework
- (4) No funding has been diverted from any budget of any government department or entity in the 2015 Medium Term Expenditure Framework to fund the event