NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY

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Dr D T George (DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:

- (1) Whether (a) the National Treasury and (b) any of its entities provided any financial support to the National Youth Development Agency (NYDA) for the World Festival of Youth and Students to be held in Pretoria in December 2010; if not, why not; if so, (i) what amount was provided to the NYDA, (ii) from which budget were these funds drawn, (iii) who made the decision to provide these funds to the NYDA and (iv) how is this (aa) decision and (bb) amount justified;
- (2) whether the NYDA made any other request to (a) the National Treasury and (b) any of its entities to provide support to the festival; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?

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REPLY:

Department	(1)	(2)	(i)(ii)(iii)(iv)(aa)(bb)
National Treasury	No	No	Falls away

Entities	(1)	(2)	(i)(ii)(iii)(iv)(aa)(bb)
Accounting Standards Board	No	No	Falls away
Cooperative Banks Development Agency	No	No	Falls away

Entities	(1)	(2)	(i)(ii)(iii)(iv)(aa)(bb)
Development Bank of Southern Africa	No	Yes	See attached Annexure A
Financial Intelligence Centre	No	No	Falls away
Financial Services Board	No	No	Falls away
Government Employees Pension Fund	No	No	Falls away
Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors	No	No	Falls away
Land and Agricultural Bank of South Africa	No	No	Falls away
Pension Fund Adjudicator	No	No	Falls away
Ombud for Financial Service Providers	No	No	Falls away
Public Investment Corporation	No	No	Falls away
South African Revenue Service	No	No	Falls away
South African Special Risk Insurance Association	No	No	Falls away

ANNEXURE A

Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA)

- (1) The DBSA and its entities have not provided any financial support to the NYDA for the said festival. The reason being that as an infrastructure development bank, our support for job creation focused on youth would be aligned to our mandate of supporting infrastructure projects and not festivals.
 - (i) N/A
 - (ii) N/A
 - (iii) N/A
 - (iv) N/A
 - (aa) N/A
 - (bb) N/A
- (2) The Bank received an invitation to the fundraising Gala Dinner event on the 19th November 2010 for the Festival. The dinner was subsequently cancelled prior to any payment being made towards a table for the event. No moneys were therefore paid by the DBSA towards this event.
 - (a) N/A
 - (b) N/A