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QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY

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2477. Mr M Swart (DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:

- (1) How many permanent jobs (a) have been created through the Jobs Fund administered by the Development Bank of Southern Africa on behalf of the Government since the inception of the fund and (b) are envisaged to be created in this way during the remainder of the 2012-13 financial year;
- (2) what are the names of (a)(i) organisations or (ii) companies and (b)(i) directors and/or (ii) owners benefitting from contributions by the Jobs Fund?

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REPLY:

1)

a) Since the 1st year of the fund has been used for set up purposes, herewith the projected number of permanent jobs and placements over the life of the fund, only emanating from the First Call for Proposals:

Window		Projected No. of Temporary jobs	of Trained	Projected No. of Internships	Projected No. of Beneficiaries placed
Enterprise Development	84,193	1,320	18,976	0	216
Infrastructure Investment	1,544	0	0	0	0
Support for Work Seekers	5,521	284	42,098	37,622	51,622
Institutional Capacity Building	16,625		75	800	800
Total (Projected)	107,883 ¹	1,604	61,149	38,422	52,638

b) Any other future projections will be dependent on the approved projects; thus it would be difficult to estimate future approvals.

¹ This number is based on the revised job numbers as agreed with clients during contracting, as well as the original data supplied during application stage for the clients not yet fully contracted.

(a) From the first call for proposal applications, the following organizations have been approved to upscale their jobs fund projects.

NIr	OU /
Nr	Client
1	Anglo Zimele
2	LIMA
3	Harambee NPC
4	MBSA
5	Fetola
6	Drake & Scull
7	SANParks
8	Enablis South Africa
9	Teba
10	Child Welfare South Africa
11	SANBI
12	WDB Trust
13	DTI
14	Awethu Entrepreneurship Foundation
15	Cape Craft and Design Institute
16	Department of Environmental Affairs
17	Small Enterprise Foundation
18	AsgiSA-EC
19	Use-It
20	Akwandze Agricultural Finance
21	RedCap Foundation
22	Eddels Shoes (Pty) Ltd
23	Ubuntu Institute for Young Social Entrepreneurs
24	HH Durrheim (Pty) Ltd
25	South African Wildlife College
26	Guarantee Trust Corporate Support Services
27	Zimele Entrepreneurship Foundation
28	Ethics and Learning
29	KwaZulu Natal Progressive Primary Health Care
30	Technoserve South Africa
31	AsgiSA-EC
32	Shanduka Black Umbrellas
33	Technoserve South Africa
34	Economic Development in a Learning Province
35	Heifer International South Africa
36	Salesian Institute Youth Projects
37	Buhle Farmers' Academy (BFA)
38	National Council for People with Physical Disabilities in South Africa (NCPPDSA)
39	Project Preparation Trust KZN
40	Le Quartier Francais (Franschhoek Hospitality Academy)
41	Swiss-South African Cooperation Initiative

(b) All Jobs Fund grants are deposited into a ring-fenced project bank account for the sole utilization of creating jobs. This therefore means that the only benefiting beneficiaries will be the people who will be placed into new jobs and not any director or shareholder of a company.