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141. Mr J J Londt (Western Cape: DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:

(a) What challenges are experienced by (i) the SA Airways, (ii) the SA Express, (iii) the SA Airlink and (iv) Mango when landing at South African airports without proper navigation aids (aa) installed or (bb) commissioned, (b) what are the safety risks, (c) what were the diversion costs to these airlines and entities for the past three financial years and (d) what measures have been implemented to address these challenges?

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REPLY:

I have not been informed by South African Airways (SAA) and the other Airlines whether they have experienced any challenges when landing at domestic airports. Based on the response in (a), all subsequent questions fall away.