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## **QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

QUESTION NUMBER: 2969 [NW3283E]

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## 2969. Mr R A Lees (DA) to ask the Minister of Finance:

What are the details of the appointment of a certain person (name furnished) in terms of the (a) qualifications required for the position, (b) qualifications that the specified person possesses, (c) process that was followed to attract applicants for the position, (d) applicants who applied for the position and (e) reasons the specified person was appointed to the position?

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## REPLY:

- (a) An appropriate postgraduate qualification.
- (b) PhD: Management, Administration and Policy;
  Masters in Management, Administration and Policy; and Bachelor of Social Science.
- (c) The position for Chairperson of the Financial and Fiscal Commission was advertised in national newspapers during September 2016. The closing date for applications was 7 October 2016.

(d) Thirteen applications were received.

Name	Current Position	Highest Qualification		
1. Sindile Sid Faku	1. Board Member (various Boards) Risk and Audit committees	1. Master of Science Degree		
2. Gabriel Ramorwesi	2. Head: Bojanala Platinum District Municipality Internal Audit	2. Chartered Accountant		
3. Sithembiso Govuzela	3. Lecturer : Vaal university of Technology	3. Masters Degree: Business Administration		
4. Luthukuthula Dhlamini	4. Eskom: Management Accountant Manager	4. Master of Business Leadership		
5. Davidson Sibanda	5. Stock trader (part-time)	5. Master of Business Administration		
6. Jacobus Mostert	6. Chief Economist : Department of Economic Development	6. Bcom Honours: Economics		
7. Thapelo Mokwena	7. None	7. Bcom Honours: Business Management and administration		
8. Edward Sithole	8. Municipal Manager: Richmond local municipality	8. Post Graduate Diploma: Management		
9. Sifiso Masina	9. Management Accounting Manager: CEF	9. Master of Business Leardership		
10. David Mapikitla	10. Director: Engcor (PTY) Ltd	10. Master of Business Administration		
11. Zingile Dingani	11. None (Former Secretary Parliament)	11. Master of business Administration		
12. Tania Ajam	12. Senior Advisor: GTAC	12. PHD: Public Management		
13. Prof Daniel Plaatjies	13. Part-time Commissioner of the Financial and Fiscal Commission	13. PHD: Management, Administration and Policy		

- (e) The Chairperson of the Financial and Fiscal Commission is appointed by the President together with a member of Cabinet, i.e. in this instance, the Minister of Finance. Prof Plaatjies was recommended by the Minister of Finance prior to his appointment by the President. In addition to his qualifications, Prof Plaatjies has held the following positions:
  - (1) Part-time Commissioner of the Financial and Fiscal Commission;
  - (2) Executive Director: Democracy, Governance and Service at the Human Rights Research Council;
  - (3) Adviser to the Minister for Public Service and Administration;
  - (4) Head of Performance and Evaluation in the Office of the Premier for the Free State Provincial Government;
  - (5) Deputy Director-General at the South African Social Security Agency.