



**MINISTRY: PUBLIC SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**QUESTION FOR ORAL REPLY**

**QUESTION NO.: 13.**

**Mr A P van der Westhuizen (DA) to ask the Minister of Public Service and Administration: [Written Question No 322]**

For each (a) national and (b) provincial government department, (i) how many employees are currently on suspension, (ii) what amount has been paid to each of these suspended employees for the period of their suspension, and (iii) how long has each of the specified employees been on suspension?

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**REPLY**

Based on the reports received from provinces and national departments, there are (a) 396 employees who are on suspension in national departments and (b) 291 employees who are on suspension in the provinces. (i) A total of R16 620 710.51 was paid to suspended employees in national departments and (ii) R307 008 439.65 was paid by provincial departments, (iii) prescribed suspension period ranges from 30 days to 9 months. A breakdown with regard to national and provincial government departments is attached herewith for ease of reference.