

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY
QUESTION 2738**

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Mr DC Smiles (DA) to ask the Minister of Basic Education:

Whether she or her department intends reducing the number of directors at national level; if not, why not; if so, (a) what is the anticipated number of directors, (b) what model was used to project this number and (c) when will this plan be implemented? NW3410E

REPLY:

Yes

- a) 48
- b) Functions are realigned in order to streamline the functionality of the Department and bring it in line with the priorities as set out in the strategic plan.
- c) I am currently considering the proposals. Implementation will take place once all the consultation processes have been finalised.