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- 10. Ms A M Siwisa (Northern Cape: EFF) to ask the Minister of Basic Education to ask the Minister of Basic Education:**

Whether she has been informed of the staff and learners of Petrusville Primary School that were forced to occupy a school that is still under construction after the old school building was demolished with many of the (a) school tools of trade and/or (b) furniture being damaged; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?

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Response

The Minister of Basic Education has not been informed of the situation at Petrusville Primary School regarding staff and learners being forced to occupy an incomplete school building after the demolition of the old structure.

The provisioning of public school infrastructure, tools of trade and school furniture at Petrusville Primary School falls under the executive authority of the Member of the Executive Council (MEC) for Education in the Northern Cape.

The Honourable Member is therefore kindly requested to refer the question to the MEC for Education in the Northern Cape for a response, in accordance with Section 92(3)(b) of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, and Rule 134(5)(b) of the National Assembly Rules.