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Ê116..Ms N Ndongeni (Eastern Cape: ANC) to ask the Minister of Basic Education: to ask the Minister of Basic Education:

Adult basic education

- (1) Whether, with reference to survey reports by Statistics South Africa and other non-governmental (NGOs) (details furnished), there are any programmes with community-based organisations (CBOs) and/or NGOs that are in partnership with her department in the roll-out for adult basic education; if not, why not; if so, (a) what programmes and (b) what are the further relevant details;
- (2) what is the funding policy of her department for the CBOs and NGOs that are involved in projects of adult (a) basic education and (b) literacy?

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Response

Since the separation of the erstwhile Department of Education into two Departments, Adult Basic Education became the function of the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET). The DHET develops policies and implement programmes on adult basic education and literacy. This question will comprehensively be answered by the DHET and they may also provide sufficient information about partnerships with NGOs or Community Based Organisations (CBOs) that implement adult basic education.