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**QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY:**

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**“847 Mr J Vos (DA) to ask the Minister of Tourism:**

- (1) With reference to the memoranda of agreements (MOAs) that the Government has signed with other countries, specifically relating to tourism, (a) how many of these MOAs are in place, (b) with which countries were the MOAs signed and (c) in each case, what are the costs associated with each of these MOAs;
- (2) whether progress reports have been submitted to the Portfolio Committee on Tourism for oversight and monitoring purposes; if not, what are the reasons for not submitting the specified reports?

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**REPLY:**

- (1) (a) 24 Tourism Memorandum of Agreements are in place of which 5 are dormant, 1 has lapsed; therefore 18 are active.  
  
(b) Angola, Algeria (dormant), Bulgaria (lapsed), China, Egypt (dormant), France, Gabon, Ghana, Greece (dormant), India, Iran (dormant), Israel

(dormant), Kenya, Lesotho, Mexico, Mozambique, Nigeria, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Seychelles, Tunisia, Turkey, Vietnam, Zimbabwe.

- (c) No expenditure has been incurred at this stage in relation to the implementation of these agreements.
- (2) Progress report on signed Agreements was submitted to the previous Portfolio Committee, no request has been received from the current Committee as yet.