How many employees on post level of Deputy Director to Director-General who have been appointed on a permanent and contract basis have been suspended

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Mrs J D Kilian (Cope) to ask the Minister of Tourism:

- (1) How many employees in his department in the post level of deputy director to director-general who have been appointed on a (a) permanent and (b) contract basis (i) have been suspended on full salary pending investigations or disciplinary action for periods exceeding three months, (ii) have resigned before the relevant investigations or disciplinary actions were concluded and (iii)(aa) have been found guilty of gross financial misconduct or negligence and dismissed and (bb) were dismissed following due process and disciplinary hearings in the (aaa) 2009-10 and (bbb) 2010-11 financial years;
- (2) what total amount was paid in salaries and benefits to the employees while they were suspended;
- (3) whether his department has laid criminal charges against any persons following investigations or disciplinary hearings where fraud or corruption was found to have taken place; if not, why not; if so,
- (4) whether, subsequent to the specified findings of fraud and corruption, any amounts have been recovered in terms of the relevant provisions of the Public Finance Management Act, Act 1 of 1999; if so, what amounts; if not,
- (5) how does he intend to comply with national legislation which was promulgated to prevent corrupt practices and compel authorities to report corrupt practices to law enforcement agencies?

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2259. THE MINISTER OF TOURISM ANSWERS:

- (1) (aaa) <u>2009/10 financial year</u>
 - (a) None.
 - (b) (i) None.
 - (ii) None.
 - (iii) (aa) None.
 - (bb) None.

(bbb) 2010/11 financial year

- (a) None.
- (b) (i) One (1) Deputy Director.
 - (ii) None.
 - (iii) (aa) None.
 - (bb) None.
- (2) R122 071, 37.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) Implement legislative requirements as defined in the acts.

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