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FOREWORD BY MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

At the beginning of this financial year, 2009/2010, we made a commitment to forge partnerships to ensure that the poor and vulnerable were protected as far as possible from the impact of the global economic downturn.

Of critical importance has been the involvement of the private sector in working together with this department to enable the Free State economy to withstand the impact of the world economic crisis.

This Annual Report will shed light on the programmes we have put in place as government to address the many constraints to growth and development. The report on these programmes will show how far we have come to strengthen the capacity of the Free State economy. Our resources have been carefully allocated to priority areas that have been identified by the provincial government.

Our commitment to the people of the Free State during the period under review was to use all state resources at our disposal to transform the Free State economy to enable it to create decent jobs for sustainable livelihoods. This we have to do so that we could avoid an unfortunate situation of creating unsustainable dependence for our people on the state. The state, we believe should create a conducive environment from which the private sector could identify opportunities that would grow the economy and change the lives of our people.

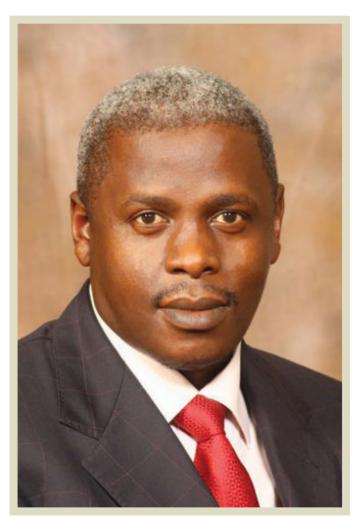
The new ANC government, made an in-depth assessment of service delivery and resolved to configure government departments to enable them to meet the government's public mandate. This department was configured such that economic development champions the fight for poverty and unemployment in this province. In its assessment the ANC was convinced that the following critical factors are necessary to turn the economic situation in the Free State around:

- Identification of specific intervention programmes and projects that would address the growth and development challenges facing our province.
- Collation and analysis of the Free State economy and identification of the competitive and comparative advantage in our area
- Ensuring continuous economic analysis
- Assess, establish and strengthen functional LED structures and forums where necessary.
- Effective engagement with financial Institutions for funding.
- Using tourism as an alternative to the declining economy
- Effectively using our academic institutions for research purposes

Guided by these principles, we executed our mandate and responsibility with the aim of reaching the following strategic goals;

- Accelerating economic growth rate
- Creating new employment opportunities and
- Reduction of economic inequalities.

The report we are presenting here, is our own assessment of our achievements and challenges. Acknowledging these achievements, we also accept our weaknesses and make a firm commitment to correct them in the best interest of the people we serve.



Mxolisi Dukwana

MEC ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

Signed on this day 31 May 2010

ACRONYMS

APP Annual Performance Plan

ASGISA The Accelerated and Shared Growth Initiative of South Africa

ASP Africa Stockpile Programme

BBBEE Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment

BEE Black Economic Empowerment

BPO&O Business Processing Outsourcing and Offshoring
CAES Compliance and Enforcement Sub-committee

CCTV Closed Circuit Television
CMZ Cape Mountain Zebra
CTC Cleanest Town Campaign

DWEA Department of Water and Environmental Affairs

DCC Departmental Consultative Committee

DEAT Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism

DMP Disease Management Plan

DOE Department of Education

DPSA Department of Public Service and Administration

DETEA Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs

DTI Department of Trade and Industry

EHWP Employee Health & Wellness Programme

EIA Environmental Impact Assessment

EMC Environmental Management Committee

EMF Environmental Management Framework

EMIS Environmental Management Impact

EPWP Expanded Public Works Programme

ETEYA Emerging Tourism Entrepreneur of the Year Awards

FDC Free State Development Corporation

FIPA Free State Investment Promotion Agency

FS PSCBC- Free State Public Service Coordinating Bargaining Council

FSDP Free State Development Programme
FSGRB Free State Gambling and Racing Board

FSGDS Free State Growth and Development Strategy

FSLA Free State Liquor Authority

FSPG Free State Provincial Government
FSTA Free State Tourism Authority
FSWIT Free State Women In Tourism
FSYC Free State Youth Commission

HOD Head of Department
HRA Health Risks Assessment

HRD Human Resource Development

HRP Human Resource Plan

HWMP Hazardous Waste Management Plan

ICT Information and Communication Technology

IDC Industrial Development Corporation

IDP Integrated Development Plan
IMP Integrated Management Plan
IPAP The Industrial Policy Action Plan

IWMS Integrated Waste Management Strategy

LGI Lake Gariep Initiative

LUMS Local Economic Development

Lums Land Use Management System

MDTP Maluti Drakensburg Transfrontier Project

MEC Member of the Executive Council
MOU Memorandum of Understanding

MSP Master System Plan

MTEF Medium Term Expenditure Framework

NAWA National Association of Women Artists

NEMA National Environmental Management Act No. 107 of 1998, as amended

NIPF National Industrial Policy Framework

NSDF National Skills Development Framework

NSDP National Spatial Development Perspective

NSF National Skills Fund

NSSD National Strategy on Sustainable Development

PEC Permit Evaluation Committee

PFMA Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999

PMDS Performance Management Development System

PMG Pay Master General

PPPF Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000)

PROPAC Provincial Public Account Committee

PSC Public Service Commission

QAA Quality Assurance Assessors

RIDS Regional Industrial Development Support

ROD Record of Decision

SAQA South African Qualifications Authority
SAHRA South African Heritage Resource Agency

SAPS South African Police Services

SAWEN South African Women Entrepreneurs' Network

SAWIMA South African Women In Mining

SCM Supply Chain Management

SDF Spatial Development Framework

PSDF Provincial Spatial Development Framework

SITA State Information Technology Agency

SLA Service Level Agreement

SMME Small, Medium & Micro Enterprises
SOER State of the Environment Report

TGCSA Tourism Grading Council of South Africa

TWIB Technology Women in Business

VCCT Voluntary and Confidential Counseling and Testing

WIS Waste Information System

WSSD World Summit on Sustainable Development

OHSA Organisational Health and Safety Act

1. PART ONE: GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1. SUBMISSION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT TO THE EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY

I, M.M.V. Mongake, have the honour of submitting the 2009/2010 Annual Report of the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environment Affairs in terms of the Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999 section 40 (1) (d) (l) as amended by Act 29 of 1999.

M.M.V. Mengake

ACCOUNTING OFFICER:

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

Signed on this day 31 May 2010

1.2. INTRODUCTION BY THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT

This annual report, the inaugural report card after the fourth democratic elections in our country, presents us with an opportunity to conduct a frank assessment of the work performed in the preceding electoral circle towards serving the people of the Free State. Ordinarily, the period under review will be dominated by assessment, realignment and reassurance that state interventions are responsive to people's needs. Our assessment confirmed that whilst this government's policies and programmes are some of the best in the world, our implementation capacity and strategies need to be beefed up.

Contained in the pages of this report including the Auditor General's report is an account of the management and staff's performance towards the goals and objectives we set for ourselves in the Annual Performance Plan (APP) for the period under review. This report will serve as a barometer of both the strengths and weaknesses of the Department in delivering its services and also provides guidance for future planning by highlighting achievements and required improvements.

The results of the operational assessment indicated revealed an urgent need to put emphasis on our primary responsibility of economic development, monitoring and evaluation as well as strategic finance. The absence of adequate research capacity and knowledge management in the department has also been identified as a serious shortcoming in enabling this department to discharge its mandate of creating an environment conducive to economic growth and job creation in the Free State. Indeed we believe that some of the achievements made are a direct reflection of efforts made in improving systems such as planning, reporting and financial management. However, we are the first to admit that there are still several challenges that persist despite all the effort made. Hence the intention is to continue refining these systems in order to improve our service delivery.

The work done by Public Entities continued to receive constant but this time added attention. The realignment and streamlining of these entities continued during this year. The legislative framework for their new role and business models have been developed, with the clear implementation plans. Every effort is made to ensure that the amalgamation of some of these entities is as seamless as possible without any detrimental impact on both clients and staff. More stringent internal processes have in the meantime been developed to monitor performance of the Public Entities and ensure adherence to reporting requirements. This is intended both to improve accountability and to ensure alignment of functions.

This report will provide information on the following issues as required by Treasury guidelines:

- Information on the Department and its Public Entities,
- Service delivery achievements for 2009/10 financial year,
- Allocated funds for the Department and the Public Entities,
- Revenue collected during the financial year,
- Expenditure incurred as indicated by financial statements,
- Asset Management.
- Non financial performance and,
- Performance in terms of Human Resource Management.

Through this report we reveal our individual and collective commitment to our responsibility to continue serving the people of the Free State to the best of our abilities. I wish to thank the MEC for his leadership and confidence he bestowed in me to lead this department. Speaking on behalf of everybody in the department, we promise to do whatever it takes to work on any shortcomings and make the Free State a better place for all.

1.3 INFORMATION ON THE DEPARTMENT

The mandate of the Department is to provide leadership in Economic Development, Tourism and Environment in the Province. The Department ensures that all relevant policy imperatives and priorities of the ruling party as enshrined in its manifesto are implemented together with other strategies such as the Provincial Growth and Development Strategies (PGDS) and Provincial Spatial Development Framework (PSDF). Furthermore, it monitors implementation of all relevant legislation and regulates the three sectors accordingly.

1.3.1 Public Entities reporting to the Executive Authority

To ensure effective and efficient implementation of its mandate, the Department drives some of its functions through the following Public Entities:

ENTITIES	LEGISLATION UNDER WHICH PUBLIC ENTITIES WERE ESTABLISHED
Free State Development Corporation	The Free State Development Corporation (FDC) was established by the Free State Development Corporation Act, 1995 (Act No 6 of 1995).
Free State Gambling and Racing Board	Free State Gambling and Racing Board (FSGRB) was established by the Free State Gambling and Racing Act, 1996 (Act No 6 of 1996).
Free State Tourism Authority	Free State Tourism Authority (FSTA) was established by Free State Tourism Authority Act 2005 (Act No 3 of 2005).
Free State Investment Promotion Agency	The Free State Investment Promotion Agency (FIPA) was established by the Free State Investment Promotion Agency Act, 1998 (Act No 18 of 1998).
Free State Liquor Authority	The Free State Liquor Authority (FSLA) was established by Free State Liquor Authority Act, 2007 (Act No 3 of 2007).

1.3.2 Bills submitted to the Legislature during the financial year

- Three Bills were submitted to the Legislature by the Executive Authority, namely;
- Gambling and Liquor Authority Bill this will enable amalgamation of Free State Gambling and Racing Board and Free State Liquor Authority;
- Free State Investment and Development Authority Bill, which was later withdrawn;
- Free State Development Corporation Amendment Bill this will enable incorporation of investment functions in the Free State Development Corporation.

1.3.3 International Trips Report: Year Ending 31 March 2010

The following international trips were undertaken during the financial year:

COUNTRY	DATE	NUMBER OF OFFICIALS	PURPOSE
Germany	20/08 – 03/09/2009	2	To revisit MOU between Saxony and Free State and to explore successful mine mitigation and redevelopment project in Germany.
Namibia - Swakopmund	6-12/10/2009	1	To attend Rhino and Elephant Security Group and Interpol Environmental Crime Working Group and this is held twice every year.
London	09-12/11/ 2009	1	To understand how SA products compare on an international platform.
Lesotho	20/11/2009	8	To deliver game donated to Lesotho by the Department.
India -Satyam	23-30/11/2009	3	To establish a stronger relationship among various partners in order to implement Free State Regional Innovation Centre.
Qatar - Doha	12-26/03/2010	1	To attend the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Fauna and Flora.

1.4 VISION, MISSION AND STRATEGIC GOALS

1.4.1. Vision

A prosperous Free State through sustainable economic growth and a healthy environment for all.

1.4.2. **Mission**

To improve socio-economic livelihoods through economic and environmental programmes as well as governance system to ensure job creation and poverty reduction within the Free State.

1.4.3 Strategic Goals

- To stimulate integrated sustainable economic development within the province,
- To ensure sustainable environmental conservation within the province,
- To ensure the departmental business process excellence.

1.5 LEGISLATIVE MANDATE

1.5.1 Legislative mandate of the Department

The core business of the Department emanates from the following pieces of legislation:

- Tourism Second Amendment Act, 2000 (Act No.70 of 2000),
- National Environmental Management Act 1998 (No. 107 of 1998) as amended,
- Environment Conservation Act 1989 (No. 73 of 1989) as amended,
- National Environmental Management: Air Quality Management Act 2004 (No. 39 of 2004),
- NEM: Biodiversity Act, 2004 (Act No.10 of 2004)
- NEM: Protected Areas Act, 2003 (Act No. 57 of 2003)
- The Free State Nature Conservation Ordinance, 1969 (Ord. No.8 of 1969)
- Environment Conservation Act, 1989 (Act No 73 of 1989), as amended.
- World Heritage Conservation Act, 1999 (Act No 49 of 1999)
- Conservation of Agricultural Resources Act, 1983 (Act No. 43 of 1983)
- Animal Protection Act, 1962 (Act No. 71 of 1962)
- National Forest Act, 1998 (Act No. 84 of 1998)
- Veld and Forest Fire Act, 1998 (Act No. 101 of 1998)
- Game Theft Act, 1991 (Act No. 105 of 1991)
- National Heritage Resources, 1999 (Act No. 25 of 1999)
- National Water Act, 1998 (Act No. 36 of 1998)
- Co-operative Act, 2005 (Act No 14. of 2005)

1.5.2 Accountability arrangements established between the accounting officers and the management of the Public Entity

Below is a list of arrangements established to ensure accountability of Public Entities:

- At the beginning of each financial year the Department and the Public Entities sign a service delivery agreement and Transfer agreement (Shareholder's Compact).
- Public Entities submit quarterly performance reports and monthly financial reports to the Department.
- The Public Entities meet with the Department on quarterly basis.
- One official of the Department is an ex officio member of the board of the public entity.
- The public entities submit their Annual Performance Plans/Shareholder's Compact and Annual Reports to the Department.

PART TWO: PROGRAMME PERFORMANCE

2.1 VOTED FUNDS

APPROPRIATION	MAIN APPROPRIATION	ADJUSTED APPROPRIATION	ACTUAL AMOUNT SPENT	UNDER EXPENDITURE		
339,738	339,738	341,739	316,441	25,298		
Responsible MEC	MEC of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs					
Administering Department	Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs					
Accounting Officer	Head of Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs					

2.2 AIM OF VOTE

To provide an economic and environmental governance system that contributes towards sustainable livelihoods together with relevant stakeholders to ensure job creation and poverty alleviation within the Free State Province.

2.3 KEY MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES, PROGRAMMES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

2.3.1 Strategic objectives

The following are the measurable goals of the Department:

Environment

- Effective and efficient management of the Vredefort Dome.
- Effective and efficient management of the Maluti Drakensburg Transfontier Project (MDTP).
- Effective and efficient management of the Lake Gariep Initiative (LGI).
- To ensure a healthy environment.
- To ensure biodiversity conservation.
- To ensure compliance to all environmental legislation.
- To promote sustainable development.
- To build capacity in environmental management.

Economic Development

- To ensure an effective regulatory framework for economic activity.
- Improving the competitiveness of the Free State Trade and Industrial activity.
- Poverty alleviation through enterprise development.
- Promote strategic economic development support to municipalities.
- Ensure effective and efficient monitoring and evaluation of SMMEs development.
- Monitor development regarding the growth of SMMEs in the Province.
- To ensure the participation of HDI's in the mainstream of the economy.
- To support and develop business enterprise.
- Tourism policy development, monitoring and evaluation.
- · Enterprise and skills development.
- Implement tourism sector development.

2.3.2 Programmes

Below is a brief description of Departmental programmes:

Programme 1: Administration

Provide leadership, strategic management in accordance with the legislation, regulations, and policies and ensure appropriate support service to all other programmes.

To conduct its activities effectively, programme 1 comprises of the following components:

- Office of the MEC
- □ Office of the HOD

- Internal Audit
- Legal Services
- Security Services
- Management of Accounting
- Financial Management
- Supply Chain Management
- Special Programmes
- Organisational and Human Resource Management
- Human Resource Management
- Labour Relations

Programme 2: Inter and Intra Governmental Relations

To provide support and monitoring services to public entities, Corporate Communication and Knowledge Management as part of the organisational life.

To conduct its activities effectively, programme 2 comprises of the following components:

- Communication and ICT
- Information and Management
- Cooperative Governance
- Agency Support and Monitoring

Programme 3: Environmental Affairs and Conservation

The role of Environmental Affairs and Conservation is to implement and monitor legislation and policies in the areas of Air Quality, Biodiversity, Climate Change, Compliance Monitoring, Environmental Impact, Protected Areas, Pollution Control, Protected Areas and Waste Management.

To conduct its activities effectively, programme 3 comprises of the following components:

- Environmental Quality Management
- Biodiversity Management and Conservation Services
- Compliance and Law Enforcement
- Environmental Policy, Planning, Coordination and Empowerment Services

Programme 4: Economic Development

The role of Economic Development is to ensure transformation in the Tourism industry and enhance the development and growth of businesses in the province through training as well as provision of non-financial and financial support.

To conduct its activities effectively, programme 4 comprises of the following components:

- Business Regulations and Governance
- □ Trade and Industry Development
- Integrated Economic Development
- Tourism Support

2.3.3 Achievements

- The Department received an unqualified Audit Report for the third consecutive year.
- Signing of three Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) between the Free State Provincial Government (FSPG)/Department
 of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs with other institutions for several projects i.e. ICT Fiber Optic
 Network, ICT Hub and Regional Innovation Centre.
- Local Government Business Network was established to facilitate fruitful partnership between private and Government sectors whilst helping SMMEs to grow.
- Game was donated to Tshehlanyane Game Reserve in Lesotho.
- Establishment of Phatsimang Sewing Cooperative for 11 women with disabilities in Phomolong, Hennenman.
- Coordinate, support and monitor LED units in municipalities.
- 91 Cooperatives were registered for the food nutritional programme and beneficiaries trained in collaboration with the Department of Education.
- 70 SMMEs from the 5 districts were trained and exposed to potential markets by exhibiting at the MACUFE Craft Village.
- 12 SMMEs trained and provided the opportunity to exhibit their products at the SA Handmade Exhibition in Midrand, thereby
 exposing them to national markets.
- Exposed 64 cooperatives to international markets by enabling them to participate and exhibit their products at the
- International Co-operatives Conference and Mega Expo/Exhibition in Pietermaritzburg and 1 SMME at International Handicraft Exhibition in Portugal.
- R1.14 Million was returned to consumers in the Free State by the Department by resolving 239 cases of unfair business practices.

- 1408 Volunteers trained in Know Your Country, Know Your City Programme for deployment during the FIFA World Cup.
- The Department reduced the time frame of authorizing Environmental Impacts Assessments (EIA) from 1-2 years to 6 months as per the National Environment Management Act. In 2009/10, 186 EIA applications were approved which is an improvement when compared to the previous year.
- The department held a successful Provincial Waste Summit that was attended by about 430 delegates.
- Completed an Air Quality Management Plan for the Province which indicates some of the challenges the Province faces in terms of Air Quality issues and how to solve these challenges.
- Completed a Hazardous Waste Management Plan for the Province which will assist in the proper management of hazardous
 waste to ensure a clean and healthy environment for the Free State community.
- A land fill audit was completed for the Province that highlights the number of illegal dump site as compared to legal sites.
- The Departmental Audit Manual presented at the Provincial Chief Audit Executive forum and rated as the best in the Province.
- Electronic payment systems have been installed in 9 of the 14 resorts of the department.

2.3.4 Overview of the service delivery environment for 2009/10

South African economy, like other parts of the world, was plagued by the economic meltdown that forced many businesses out of operation throughout 2008/09 and a better part of 2009/10. Though towards the end of the year, signs of recovery were evident, remnants of the ordeal were still lingering, indicated by over indebted businesses and individuals as well as a continuous shedding of jobs.

Challenges Encountered

The global economic situation had an impact in the operations of the Department. Challenges for the Economic sector were, among others, loss of jobs, collapsing SMMEs and limited funds to support a large number of struggling SMMEs. Yet another challenge was the discovery of an illegal dumping of medical waste in the Province.

Key Services

The Department has the responsibility to ensure that services in areas of economic development, tourism and environmental are delivered to the people of the Free State Province effectively and efficiently. Some of the key services provided by the Department directly to the public include:

- Provision of support to SMMEs,
- Assisting SMMEs to access available national incentives,
- Expose SMMEs to domestic and international markets,
- SMME development,
- Cooperatives development,
- Trade promotion in the Province,
- Attracting investors to the Free State,
- Consumer protection services,
- Reduction of unfair business practices,
- Tourism development and training,
- Provision of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and other environmental permits,
- Train municipalities on air quality issues,
- Environmental education and awareness raising.

Some of the Services rendered to the public

COMPONENT	SERVICE	NUMBER OF CLIENTS WHO USE SERVICE
Biodiversity Management and Conserva-	Accommodation in resort	20 909
tion	Day visitors to public conservation	54 332
Business Regulations	Resolve Consumer complaints	239
Compliance and Law	Licensing (Hunting and trophy)	1209
	Provision of permits (Captivity, TOPS and CITES)	760
	Game fencing certificates	89
Environmental Quality Management	Environmental authorizations issued	146
Tourism Support	To facilitate the grading of tourism facilities	48
Trade Promotion and Development	Assist companies/ SMMEs/Cooperatives to access incentive scheme from DTI	51
Integrated Economic Development	Training of Cooperatives and SMMEs	215

2.3.5 Overview of the organizational environment for 2009/10

The new government programme of action, Operation Hlasela calls for agility, urgency and decisiveness when executing the public mandate. Every single employee is and should be foot soldiers of Operation Hlasela in all its forms and manifestation. Hard as we tried to keep up with the "new way of doing government business", we fell short in some areas. The short comings were largely due to human capital and budget constraints.

The department still has a burden of almost 52% vacancy rate, with a key position of Chief Financial Officer were only appointed in the middle of the year under review. Worst affected is the flagship programme of the department, the Economic Development, some sections of the Environmental Management and the Inter and Intra Governmental Relations where all but one directorate were frozen. Exacerbating the situation was the reprioritization of the budget. Some of set programme outputs had to be put in abeyance so as to improve service delivery in other critical areas.

Discipline, staff morale and capacity building are high on organizational building efforts so as to improve the department's performance in the future. Building a winning team, replicating excellence and eradicating poor performance has been identified as building blocks of a dream department both for staff and the public. Therefore, recruitment of qualified people at a higher rate than the turnover rate is crucial. This will be addressed by implementation of the recently developed retention strategy that will focus on scarce skills in execution of the department's mandate.

2.3.6 Strategic overview and key policy developments for the 2009/10 financial year

The Department continuously seeks to improve its operations and the quality of services it provides to the people of the Free State Province.

Legislative changes

Two legislative changes were undertaken regarding Departmental Public Entities. Gambling and Liquor Authority Bill was tabled at the Legislature for approval. The Bill is intended to amalgamate the Free State Gambling and Racing Board and Free State Liquor Authority into one Public Entity. The Free State Development Corporation Act 6 of 1995 was in the process of being amended as of the end of the financial year, to enable the incorporation of investment functions into the Free State Development Corporation. These functions were initially undertaken by the Free State Investment Agency, which will now be dissolved.

Policy developments

Through constant introspection and quest to operate within the framework provided by legislation and regulations, the Department has developed and reviewed the following policies:

- The Bontebok Policy was drafted and circulated for inputs and comments by the Professional Hunting and Animal Causing Problems sub directorate [Hannes Blom] during 2009/10 fiscal year,
- Internal Audit Charter, Audit Committee Charter, Internal Audit Manual and Quality Assurance Review program,
- · Cell phones and subsidized vehicle policies,
- Departmental Subsidized Vehicles Policy. Date of approval 14/01/2010,
- Management of Cellular Telephones and 3G Data Cards. Date of approval 11/01/2010,

- Guidelines on Claiming Danger Allowance,
- Short-listing Criteria for Salary Levels 1- 2 Posts,
- Retention Strategy.

2.4 DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OTHER SPECIFIC TOPICS

The Department has under-collected revenue with 10% (R6, 102m) against a total budget of R58.2m. Under-collection in the non-tax revenue was almost two times more than the tax revenue (15% and 8% respectively).

The main sources of revenue for the Department are from tax revenue (casino & horse racing taxes and liquor licenses). Casino and horse racing taxes depend largely on the propensity of people to gamble and the economic conditions. The global economic contraction has affected tax revenue collection negatively as people cut down spending on non-essential goods & services. In turn, this reduced the amount of taxes collected from this industry.

Another factor that has led to under collection of revenue is lower sales of game. The sale of game fluctuates every two years to allow the natural breeding process to take place and the adjustments of the Departmental game management plan. This plan aims at maintaining enough grazing areas in the Resorts and Reserves and determines the number of appropriate game sold in a particular year. Since more game was sold during the 2008/9 financial year (R17m) the value of sales in 2009/10 automatically went down.

2.4.1 Collection of Departmental Revenue

	2006/07 ACTUAL	2007/08 ACTUAL	2008/09 ACTUAL	2009/10 TARGET	2009/10 ACTUAL	% DEVIATION FROM TARGET
						(-/+)
Tax revenue	24,688	33,073	32 984	35 372	32 657	(8%)
Casino taxes	16,131	25,283	24 824	26 321	24 183	(8%)
Horse racing	5,854	5,495	5 848	6 142	5 631	(8%)
Liquor license	2,703	2,295	2 312	2 909	2 843	(2%)
Non-tax revenue	12,853	21,301	24 960	22 921	19 533	(12%)
Sales of goods and service	12,535	17,797	15 737	22 248	18 164	(18%)
Interest dividends and rent	29	297	44	22	300	1263%
Sales of capital assets	-	2,544	7 819	0	0	
Financial transactions (Recovery of loans and advances)	289	663	1 081	647	1 049	62%
Fines	-	-	280	4	20	400%
Total Departmental Receipts	37,541	54,374	57 944	58 293	52 251	(10%)

2.4.2 Departmental Expenditure

PROGRAMME	VOTED FOR 2009/10	ROLL-OVER AND ADJUST- MENTS	VIREMENT	TOTAL VOTED	ACTUAL EX- PENDITURE	VARIANCE
Administration	65,447		170	65,617	65,086	531
Inter and Intra Governmental Relations	18,239		152	18,391	12,324	6,067
Environmental Affairs	124,620		1,400	126,020	113,246	12,774
Economic Develop- ment	49,646		-1,722	47,924	43,115	4,809
Transversal functions	83,787			83,787	82,670	1,117
Theft and losses						
Total	341,739		0	341,739	316,441	25,297

2.4.3 Transfer payments

The Department budgeted for transfer payments that were made to the public entities that are accountable to the Executive Authority. Compliance that governs transfer of funds is prescribed in Part 2 of chapter 5 of PFMA, section 38 (1) (i) (j) where the transfer of funds must comply with terms and conditions of the Division of Revenue Act.

The entity to which funds are being transferred must submit to the Department, a written assurance that the entity implements effective, efficient and transparent financial management and internal control system and financial report. All public entities are required as per their respective Transfer Agreements and Treasury Regulations to present to the Department their financial reports and these are being used to ensure and monitor that the funds allocated are used for the purposes for which they were requested. All public entities are complying with this and submit their monthly reports by the 15th of each month reporting on the previous month.

The Department made the following transfers in 2009/2010 financial year:

NAME OF INSTITUTION	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED	ACTUAL EXPENDITURE INCURRED BY DEPARTMENT
Free State Development Corporation	34,700	34,700
Free State Gambling and Racing Board	17,300	17,300
Free State Tourism Authority	17,387	17,387
Free State Investment Promotion Agency	7,900	7,900
Free State Liquor Authority	6,500	5,383

2.5 DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OTHER SPECIFIC TOPICS

2.5.1 Capital investment, maintenance and asset management plan

The Department plays a leading role in the tourism industry in the province. To improve local tourism products, the department continued to refurbish resorts and reserves to be ready for 2010 world cup. The Department has started to implement its commercialization strategy. The demand for accommodation in resorts is still high.

The Department has invested in the following projects:

PROJECT NAME	BUDGET	PROGRESS (31 MARCH 2010)
Koppiesdam - chalets	R728,700-00	5% Completed. Project suspended and the remaining money was channeled to Phillip Sanders
Soetdoring - chalets	R 992,299-20	3% Completed. Project suspended and the remaining money was channeled to Phillip Sanders
Maria Maroka	R 1,373,150-10	3% Completed. Project suspended and the remaining money was channeled to Phillip Sanders
Sandveld - abat- toir	R 4,151,649-46	100% Completed.
Soetdoring train camp	R 916,516-71	3% Completed. Project suspended and the remaining money was channeled to Phillip Sanders
Philip Sanders	R 29,918,190-76	80% Completed. Project came to standstill when all contractors left because of non-payments.

Maintenance plan

A maintenance plan targets larger maintenance projects followed by resorts and reserves that are busiest and then routine maintenance is done. The maintenance team addresses all problems associated with all structures when they are on site and they do not concentrate on visitor facilities only. The standard of materials used during project maintenance is normally higher than that of the materials originally used during the construction of the buildings.

Asset management

The implementation of the Asset Management Framework in the Department for 2009/10 financial year has improved because of:

- Disposal of other assets: 100% achieved,
- BAS/LOGIS monthly reconciliations: 100% achieved,
- Disposal of game management: 100% achieved,
- Bar-coding of assets: 88% achieved,
- Capturing of bar-codes on LOGIS: 63% achieved.

The Asset Management Implementation Reform Plans for 2009/10 financial registered a 92% success.

The table below highlights movement in the movable tangible assets per asset register for the year ended 31 March 2010.

MOVEMENT IN MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

	OPENING BALANCE	CURRENT YEAR ADJUST- MENTS TO PRIOR YEAR BALANCES	ADDI- TIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
HERITAGE ASSETS	-	-	6	-	6
Heritage assets	-	-	6	-	6
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	27,361	1,378	2,675	3,040	28,374
Transport assets	3,087	369	34	788	2,702
Specialised military assets	738	9	14	18	743
Computer equipment	8,364	950	795	347	9,762
Furniture and office equipment	7,330	115	646	932	7,159
Other machinery and equipment	7,842	(65)	1,186	955	8,008
BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	51,205	5,032	27,970	41,066	43,141
Biological assets	51,205	5,032	27,970	41,066	43,141
TOTAL MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	78,566	6,410	30,651	44,106	71,521

PROGRAMME PERFORMANCE

The Department comprise of the following programmes:

- Programme 1: Administration
- Programme 2: Inter and Intra Governmental Relations
- Programme 3: Environmental Management
- Programme 4: Economic Development

3.1 PROGRAMME: ADMINISTRATION

Purpose: To provide leadership, strategic management in accordance with the legislation, regulations, policies and ensure appropriate support service to all other programmes.

3.1.1 Service delivery achievements for Administration Programme for 2009/10

MEC's Office							
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS				
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL			
Office of the MEC	Secretariat and administration ser- vices provided for MEC in relevant meetings	Minutes of relevant meetings available	Minutes of all Portfolio Cluster and stakeholder meetings	Minutes of 2 Portfolio and 2 stakeholder meet- ings done			
	Manage relation- ship of MEC with relevant stakeholders	Interactions with various structures facilitated	Interaction with Provincial Legislature, Parliament Political structures Departmental EXCO	19 Sittings attended 6 Portfolio Committee meetings attended 2 Departmental EXCO meetings held			
		Presentation of Departmental legislation and policies to Provincial Legislation, Portfolio committee and EXCO coordinated	As per request	Free State Gam- bling and Liquor bills tabled			

HOD's Office

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Office of the HOD	Ensure effective and efficient re- cord management	Percentage of incoming and outgo- ing documents recorded	100% of incoming and outgoing documents recorded	100% of incoming and outgoing documents recorded
	Ensure effective flow of information to and from the Office of the HOD	Turnaround time	Responses available within 10 days	Responses avail- able within 10 days

HOD's Office

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANO TARGETS	CE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Ensure implementation of 8-Principle Action Plan for promoting women's empowerment and gender equality	Gender forum established and functional	1 Gender forum 4 Meetings	Gender forum approved. 3 Meetings held
		Guidelines on gender mainstreaming developed	Guidelines developed	The draft guide- lines developed.
		Monitoring and evaluation system in place to ensure incorporation of gender perspectives into all work of DETEA	Monitoring and evaluation system in place	The monitoring and evaluation system is in place.
		Monitoring reports on compliance of programmes to the 8-Principles	4 Reports	3 Reports submitted

Internal Audit

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Internal Audit	To perform audits according to approved audit plan	Number of internal audit reports developed	14 Audit reports	8 Audit reports issued
	Render con- sultative and advisory services to improve the adequacy and ef- fectiveness of risk control on gover- nance process	Number of consultative and advisory services provided	3 Consultative and advisory services	3 Compliance Certificate, Evaluation of Draft Risk profile and , Presentation to Provincial Treasury
		Number of follow-ups reports on implementation of assurance and consultative recommendations	4 Follow-up audit report	2 Follow up reports issued APP and Quar- terly Targets
	Perform secretarial duties for Audit Committee	Number of Audit committee meetings coordinated	4 Meetings	4 Meetings held
		Assist with drafting of Annual Audit Committee Report	31 July 2009	Draft Annual Committee report drafted
	Prepare for Inter- nal and external quality assurance review	Reports on Internal / External Quality assurance review	14 Reports	7 Internal and 2 external qual- ity assurance reports issued
		Number of document reviewed during the 4th quarter	4 Documents	4 Documents reviewed

Legal Services

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Legal Services	To manage all necessary legal actions	Summons referred to State Law Advisor and State Attorney as per legal time frames (15 days)	All summonses dealt with as per legal time frames	3 Summons
		Court applications referred to State Law Advisor and State Attorney as per legal time frames (15 days)	All Court applications dealt with as per legal time frames	21 High Court Applications received
		Number of reports submitted to State Law	5 Reports	3 Reports
	Render sound legal advice to the MEC and the Department.	Requests from officials and MEC dealt with within 14 days	All requests dealt with within set time frame	32 Legal opin- ions offered within set time frame
	Monitor compliance on relevant legislation	Number of meetings attended to monitor compliance to legislation	10 PEC, 24 EMC meetings	14 PEC meetings 13 EMC meeting
	Assist the Depart- ment with Legisla- tive Drafting	Draft legislation from State Law Advisor scrutinize	Draft the FS Consumer Bill	Not achieved
	Scrutinizing and drafting of agree- ments relating to the Department	Agreements drafted within 30 days	All agreements within set time-frame	10 Agree- ments within set time- frame

Security Services				
SUB PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEA- SURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICA-	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		TORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Security Services	To maintain a safe environment	Monitoring report compiled	Implementation and monitoring through awareness sessions	Improvement monitoring and imple- mentation of security measures
		Report on physical security audit to departmental premises conducted	1 Report	2 Reports submitted
	Development of security plan for all departmental special events	Security provided for Special Events	All special events	Security provided to 7 special events
	Ensure Personnel Security	Screening of service providers coordinated	All requests coordinated	2 Service providers screened
		Vetting of officials	Vetting of all officials entrusted with sensitive information	48 Officials vetted
	Maintaining a secured ICT environment	Conducting ICT Security Audit	Conducting the Audit	Implementa- tion of the audit recom- mendations

Strategic Financial Management					
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY ACTUAL PERFORMANCE TARGETS		AGAINST	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
	Draft MTEF budget document	Budget statement submitted to Treasury on time	1 Budget statement- submitted	1 Budget state- ment submitted	
Strategic Financial Management- Management Ac- counting	In-Year Moni- toring reports compiled on monthly basis	Number of reports submitted to Treasury on time	12 In-Year Monitoring reports	12 In-Year Monitoring reports	
	Capture and main- tain a balanced budget on BAS	Budget captured on BAS March and September	Budget captured on BAS in March and Sep- tember	Budget cap- tured as per plan	
	Revise risk on yearly bases	1 Revised assessment report	1 Revised assessment report to be compiled	1 Revised assessment compiled	

Strategic Financial Management

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE TARGETS	AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Facilitate planning processes of the Department in	Number of plans submitted to Treasury	2 Plans (Strategic and Annual Performance Plan)	2 Plans sub- mitted
	line with Treasury Regulations Ensure timely reporting that comply with Trea-	Departmental Operational plan consolidated	1 Operational plan	1 Operational plan consoli- dated as part of the APP
		Number of reports in response to PROPAC resolution	1 Report	PROPAC Reports responded to
	sury regulations and PFMA	Guidelines for planning and reporting processes	Develop guidelines	Not achieved
		Number of quarterly performance reports submitted to Treasury	4 Reports submitted to Treasury in time	4 Reports submitted
Evaluation of performance		An annual report submitted for tabling	1 Annual report	1 Annual report
	Monitoring and Evaluation of	Quarterly performance analysis reports developed	4 Reports	4 Reports
	performance and service delivery	Service Delivery Charter developed	Develop Charter	Service De- livery Charter developed
		Service Delivery Improvement Plan (SDIP) developed	1 SDIP	1 SDIP

SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Strategic Financial Management - Financial Account- ing	Ensure that internal procedures and controls for payments are in place	Annual review of internal procedures and internal controls	1 Annual review	1 Annual review of poli- cies done
	Ensure proper financial reporting	Compile Annual Financial Statement compliant to prescripts	1 Annual Financial Statement	1 Annual Fi- nancial State- ment
		Monthly document control report on safe keeping of financial transactions	12 Reports	12 Reports
		Monthly report on Unauthorized, Irregular, Fruitless and Wasteful expenditure	12 Reports	12 Reports
	Management of the payroll func- tion	Monthly report on verification of payroll reports as per the Treasury Regulations	12 Reports	12 Reports
	Timeous payment of creditors	Payments made to creditors within 30 days from receipt of an invoice/ claim/ request	100% of payments	75% of pay- ments made within 30 days
	Monitoring of compliance to the PFMA by compilation and submission of relevant reports to the Treasury	Monthly submission of Certificate of Compliance within 10 days of accounting month closure.	12 Certificates	12 Certificates of compliance compiled and submitted to treasury
	Surrender to the Provincial Treasury any unspent voted money	An approved report on unspent funds on financial year closure	Report on unspent funds	Report on unspent funds developed
	Ensure efficient and effective banking and cash management	Monthly bank (PMG) reconciliation reports	12 Monthly bank (PMG) reconciliation reports	12 Monthly bank (PMG)
	To implement a revenue manage-ment system	Number of Inspection Reports on Resorts and Reserves	6 Inspections reports per annum	6 Inspections reports per annum
	To implement a Revenue Manage- ment System	Revenue compliance monitoring at Resorts and Reserves	4 Checklist reports	2 Checklist reports final- ised
		Revenue Adjustment Budget proposal	1 Revenue Adjustment Budget proposal	1 Revenue Adjustment Budget pro- posal submit- ted
	To implement effective debt management	Effective management of debt recovery	Recover 35% of debt	48.9% Recovered for the year

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	SURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICA-	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		TORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Strategic Financial Management - Supply Chain	Implementation of Asset Manage- ment Reform	Status reports on achievement of Asset Management Reform	4 Reports	4 Reports
Management	Acquire and maintain suitable	Status reports on utilization and new needs of rented premises and fleet	4 Reports	4 Reports
	rented accommo- dation and fleet for the Department	Status reports on payment of rented premises and fleet	4 Reports	4 Reports
	Timely placing of orders	Accurate and timely placing of orders within seven days from the date of receipt of request	100% Placing of orders, accurately and time- ously	90% of orders placed ac- curately and timeously
	Preparation of age analysis report ensuring 30 days payment of Sup- pliers	Monthly age analysis Report.	Monthly age analysis reports complying with 30 days payment	12 Reports
	Preparation of Demand Manage- ment Plan (DMP)	Approved DMP compiled	One approved DMP	Achieved
		Number of reports on implementation of DMP	4 Reports	5 Reports
	To ensure that 70% of procurement of goods and services is achieved in promotion of SMMEs, with preference to HDIs	Status report on achievement of promotion of SMMEs, women, youth and people with disabilities	70%	48%
	To ensure that all stakeholders are adequately trained on procurement processes	Number of workshops held	4 Workshops	1 Workshop held
	Ensure compliance to procurement processes to curb possible malprac- tices	Number of updates on the register of all irregular expenditure and malpractices.	1 Update per quarterly	Up to date register for the financial year 2009/2010

Corporate Services					
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE A	AGAINST	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Corporate Services- Special Programs	To raise awareness of employees in the Department on Employment Equity (EE)Plan	Workshop on policies held	10 Workshops on Gender and Disability Policies and EEP	Not achieved	
	Celebration and commemora- tion of Interna- tional and National events	Campaigns celebrated and commemorated	9 Campaigns	9 Campaigns held	
	To ensure main- streaming of gender, youth,	Plans on economic empowerment of vulnerable groups assessed for EE compliance	1 Consultation meeting per chief directorate	24 Consulta- tion meetings held	
	disability and children's issues in the department	Monitoring and Evaluation (M&E) conducted on EE compliance	Quarterly M& E per chief directorate	24 Inspections conducted	
		Reports monitoring and evaluation reports on implementation of economic empowerment plan submitted	4 Reports	3 Reports submitted	
		Number of recruitment fares for designated groups held to promote representatively in terms of Affirma- tive Action	2 Recruitment fares	Not achieved	
	To ensure main- streaming of gender, youth, disability and chil- dren's issues in the department	National Youth Service Programme (NYSP) developed	NYSP developed	Not achieved document still a draft	
	To promote social education for moral regeneration, religious tolerance, social cohesion and development	Concept document on values developed	Concept document on values developed	Not achieved, document still a draft	
		Number of awareness campaigns on substance abuse undertaken	10 Awareness campaigns	Not achieved	
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE ATTARGETS	AGAINST	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Corporate Servic- es- Organizational & Human Resource Development	To provide a Holistic Employee Health and Well- ness Programme	Number of VCCT conducted	2 Voluntary, Confidential Counseling and Testing conducted	2 VCCT were conducted	
		Infected and affected employees enrolled in Disease Management Plan(DMP)	All infected and affected employees	All employ- ees who tested posi- tive received food supple- ments and are prepared for enrol- ment	

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE TARGETS	AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Corporate Services- Organizational & Human Resource Development	To provide a Holistic Employee	Number of reports on implementation of DMP	4 Reports compiled	4 Reports compiled
	Health and Well- ness Programme (EHWP)	EHWP Policy and Strategy work shopped	10 Awareness workshops	12 Aware- ness work- shops held
		Number of meetings with stakeholders on implementation of EHWP	4 Meetings to be held	4 Meetings held
		Campaigns celebrated and com- memorated i.t.o National calendar of events	10 Campaigns	10 Cam- paigns celebrated
		Number of health risk assessment conducted	2 Assessments	2 Health Risk Assessment were held
		Sporting and recreational activities undertaken	Additional 1 sporting code	Not achieved
	To coordinate the implement OHSA	Number joint meetings on OHSA	4 Meetings	3 Meetings held
	To ensure retention of staff	Retention strategy available	Retention strategy approved	Achieved
		To ensure attrition rate is determined	4 Reports	Achieved
		An Incentive scheme policy developed and implemented	Incentive scheme implemented	14 Imple- mentation workshop conducted
		Annual excellence function awards held	October 2009	Not achieved
	To raise awareness on HRD strategy	Awareness campaigns undertaken	10 Awareness campaigns	14 Cam- paigns undertaken
	To develop a competent work force according	Number of Training programmes conducted	7 Training Programmes conducted	10 Training programmes conducted
	to Public Service Regulation	Full and part time bursaries awarded	16 Full time	Not achieved
			25 Part time	16 Part time
		Number of Learners recruited	20 Learners	20 Learners
		Number of interns recruited	57 Interns	Not achieved
	To develop a competent work force according to Public Service Regulation	Induction program held	2 Induction sessions	2 Inductions sessions held
		ABET literacy programmes sites maintained	Maintain 2 sites	2 Sites main- tained
		Employee satisfaction survey	1 Survey conducted	1 Survey conducted
	To conduct skills audit for salary levels 1-12	Skills audit report available	1 Skills Audit	Not achieved

SUB-PROGRAMME	ОUТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE A	AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	To conduct competency as- sessment for SMS members	Competency assessments undertaken for SMS members	3 SMS members assessed	4 SMS competency assessment done
	To monitor and evaluate implementation of PMDS	Management Plan on PMDS implementation developed	31 December for the following year	Plan devel- oped ap- proved and circulated as planned
		Number of inspections on adherence to PMDS Management Plan	1 Inspection per Chief Directorate per quarter	10 Inspections conducted
		Number of M & E of reports on submitted documents is done	4 M & E reports	4 Reports compiled
		Training on PMDS conducted	10 Training sessions	17 Training sessions held
		Number of reports on development of job descriptions for new employees within 30 days	4 Compliance reports on development of job descriptions	2 Reports
	To determine salary levels of posts	Number of evaluated posts	62 Posts evaluated	14 Posts were pre- sented at the Provincial JE Quality Assurance Committee
fectiveness ar ficiency of cui	To enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of current working systems	Systems re-engineering conducted	Recruitment and Selection system re-engineered	Recruitment and selec- tion system was re-engi- neered and submitted to ICT for implementa- tion
		Process and procedure documentation done	4 Processes mapped out	Process mapped out, job evaluation, recruitment and selection PMDS leave management

SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICATORS	ACTUAL PERFORMAN TARGETS	CE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Corporate Services-	To ensure representativeness of the workforce	Percentages of previously disadvantaged groups recruited in the Department	Blacks =90,5% Females= 48%	Blacks = 100% Female = 60%
Management	the workforce	Department	Disability=2%	Disability = 0% of the 5 posts
			of advertised posts	filled
	To fill all vacant and funded posts	Number of vacant and funded posts filled	135	5 Posts filled
	To develop and implement Human Resource (HR) Plan	Posts filled according to the HR Plan	Human Resource Plan developed	Not achieved
	To develop and revise HR policies	Number of HR Policies developed	1 Policy	Draft policies developed but not finalised
	To ensure proper management of leave	Regularity leave audit conducted	All files audited	578 Leave files audited
		Compliance leave inspection conducted	32 Inspections	66 Inspections conducted at Directorates and at Reserves/Resorts
	To ensure proper management of leave	Leave procedure and checklist developed	Leave procedure and checklist approved	Leave procedure and checklist implemented and monitored
		Number of days taken to finalise temporary incapacity leave applications	Within 60 days	106 Applications out of 122 ap- plications were finalised within 60 days
	To verify academic qualifications of employees and potential employees	Qualifications short listed candidates verified	Verified before interviews	Not achieved
	Qualifications of employees verified	All qualifications verified	Qualifications of employees verified	Qualifications submitted to SAQA
	Monitor and report on probations of appointed and promoted	Monthly reconciliation of probation reports done	Monthly reconciliation of probation reports done	6 Monthly reconciliation of probation reports done.
	employees	Annual report on probation approved	1 Report	1 Report

SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICATORS	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
			TARGET	ACTUAL
Corporate Services- Labour Relations	To report on Departmental Consultative Committee (DCC) decisions	Reports on DCC decisions distributed to SMS members	4 DCC reports	4 DCC reports
	To ensure and facilitate regular	Number of information sessions held	4 Information sessions	1 Information session held
	information ses- sions with unions at site level	Annual HR Conference held	1 HR Conference	1 HR Conference held on the 11-12 March 2010
	To ensure active participation in FS PSCBC and FS GPSSBC Chambers	Number of reports on decision of FS Chambers communicated to SMS members	8 Reports distributed	8 Reports distributed
	To resolve griev- ances of employ- ees	Grievances resolved within prescribed time limit (30 days)	All grievances	23 Grievance cases out of 60 that were received were resolved within prescribed time limit
	To resolve misconduct cases	Resolve misconduct cases within prescribed time limit (60 days).	All misconduct cases to be resolved within prescribed time limit (60 days)	81 Misconduct Cases received and were resolved within prescribed time limit (60 days)
	To manage disci- plinary cases and grievances	Monthly status reports on case register updates	12 Reports submit- ted to management	12 Reports submitted to management
	To compile reports in Labour Relations matters	Number of reports on grievances, misconduct cases and disputes sub- mitted to PSC	4 Reports submitted	4 Reports submitted to PSC
	To workshop of- ficials on Labour Relations matters including corruption	Workshops conducted in the Department	40 Workshops to be conducted	10 Workshops conducted

3.2. PROGRAMME: INTER AND INTRA GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Purpose: To support and monitor services to public entities, corporate communication and knowledge management as part of the organisational.

3.2.1 Service delivery achievements for Inter and Intra Governmental Relations Programme for 2009/10

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS		
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
ICT and Communication	Develop the annual stakeholder directory	Stakeholder directory updated	100% Updated and filter in all activities	100% Updated and filtered in all activities	
	Disseminate accurate and updated information about	A corporate profile produced	A corporate profile produced	4 Clients newslet- ters produced as planned	
	the Department	Number of report Cards and advertorials	4 Report cards and advertorials	2 Report cards produced and 27 advertorials place	
		Website updated	4 Times per month	Website updated weekly	
	Develop and implement media relations strategy	Media relations strategy developed annually	1 Strategy	Media list kept updated as per th strategy	
	annually	Media coverage as a % of media list	90% of coverage is received	More than 90% of coverage is received	
		Editors forum and media day held	1 Editor's forum and media day	Media seminar was successfully held	
	Improve effective- ness of call centre	Call centre re-modeled to improve efficiency	Queries resolved in less than 5 minutes of initial call	Ensured that queries were resolved in less than 5 minutes, but the process of remodeling call centre was put on hold	
	Manage corporate identity of the Department	Departmental assets branded	All (100%) new buildings branded	Not achieved	
		Coordinate and manage all depart- mental events and	Departmental events coordinated	As per calendar of events	Unit professionally coordinated 16 events
	exhibitions	Number of exhibitions	8 Exhibitions	7 Exhibitions	
	Corporate speeches coherent with policy and strategy	Number of approved speeches written for MEC and HOD	48 Speeches	34 Speeches	
	Improve internal communication in line with the	MEC/HOD road-shows with staff facilitated	4 Road-shows	7 Road shows	
	communication strategy	Number of staff newsletter produced	4 Staff newsletters	2 Staff newsletter	

Sub-Programme: Communication and ICT					
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОUТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS		
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
	Ensure efficient and effective IT systems	Approved Master Systems Plan (MSP) in place	Monitor and evaluate implementation of MSP	Upgrade of Infra- structure projects implemented as per MSP recom- mendations	
	Launch of Region Innovation Centre in partnership with CUT	Report on utilisation of IT resources	4 Reports	5 Reports	
		Annual reports on state of IT infrastructure generated	1 Report	1 Report submit- ted	
		Launch of Region Innovation Centre	Launch of Region Innovation Centre	Launch took place in February 2010 at CUT	
	Ensure Network connectivity in Re- sorts and Reserves	Number of resorts and reserved connected	5 Resorts & Reserves	9 Resorts & Reserves were connected via 3G Technology	

Sub-Programme: Information and Management					
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS		
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Information and Management	Introduction of management of institutional knowledge regime	Knowledge Management (KM) Strategy developed	Implementation of the KM strategy	Not achieved	
		Electronic file management system developed	Roll-out of the Elec- tronic file manage- ment system	Not achieved	
	Create information bank for coordination and preservation of corporate intellectual memory	A credible knowledge register established	Establish and insti- tutionalise knowl- edge register	Not achieved	
		Project review/appraisal system establishment	Project review / appraisal system roll out	Not achieved	
		Knowledge management steering committee established	Steering committee in place	Not achieved	

Sub-Programme: Cooperative Governance					
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS		
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Cooperative Governance	Implement IR between the Department and other spheres of government	Participation in events and meetings of other spheres of government coordinated	All relevant meet- ings and events	Not Achieved	
	Ensure effective and efficient func- tioning of district offices	Effectiveness if district offices reported	4 Quarterly reports	Not achieved	
	Provide manage- ment and secre- tarial support to the Department as per the calen- dar of events	Logistical arrangements for all de- partmental meetings	Meetings held according to schedule	2 EXCO meetings held according to schedule	

Sub-Programme: Agency Support and Monitoring						
SUB-PROGRAMME		OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS			
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL		
Agency Support and Monitoring	Ensure compliance to legislative and policy framework	Number of bilateral meetings held to ensure coordinated planning and implementation of programmes	4 Meetings	4 Meetings		
	To monitor and evaluate organisational performance	Quarterly performance appraisals for agencies	4 Quarterly reports	Not achieved		

3.3. PROGRAMME: ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Purpose: To implement and monitor legislation and policies in the areas of Air Quality, Biodiversity, Climate Change, Compliance Monitoring, Environmental Impact, Protected Areas, Pollution Control, Protected Areas and Waste Management.

3.3.1 Service delivery achievements for Environmental Management for 2009/10

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		SERVICE DELIVERY INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Administration	To ensure effective and efficient institutional ar-	Number of awareness meetings organised within Free State	8 Meetings	7 Meetings
	rangements for the Vredefort Dome on an ongoing	Number of awareness workshops held	IWMP for Fezile Dabi and the dome 2 workshops	2 Workshops held
	basis	Number of Vredefort Dome Steering committee meetings attended	8 Meetings	4 Meetings held
		Packages of awareness brochures on Vredefort Dome developed	4 Packages	Not achieved
		Relevant steering committee resolutions implemented	As requested	Not achieved
		Integrated Waste Management Plan for the dome developed	Integrated Waste Management Plan for the dome devel- oped	Project on course
		Number of conservancies established	4 Conservancies	4 Conservancies established
		Number of Enviro Clubs established	4 Enviro Clubs	4 Enviro Clubs established
	To ensure operation of Dome office To implement the 20 year MDTP strategy Implementation of the Lake Gariep Initiative Strategy	Dome Office operational	Purchasing of office equipment and stationery	Not achieved
			Appointment of of- fice Secretary	Not achieved
		Number of projects monitored and coordinated within the MDTP	Monitor the implementation of the dinosaur project and coordinate other 8 projects	Monitored the implementation of the dinosaur project and coordinate other 8 projects
		LGI steering committee established and meetings held	4 Meetings	1 Meeting held
		Protected Area Management Plan for the amalgamated reserve finalised	1 Management plan	Not achieved
		Development of Lake Gariep Transfrontier Corridor	Development of a Land Cover use map and vegetation map that will inform spatial planning and development	Consultants appointed and project has commenced
			Finalisation of the LGI Tourism Master Plan Coordinated	Tourism Master Plan finalised and implemented

Sub-Programme: Environmental Quality Management ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST SUB-PROGRAMME OUTPUT **OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDI-TARGETS CATORS** TARGET ACTUAL Environmental Improve the effec-Number of facilities linked to Waste 3 Additional facilities Not achieved Quality tiveness of waste Information System (WIS) increased Management management Annual report on Free State WIS Report on WIS sub-Not achieved activities for all submitted to DEAT mitted waste types in the Provincial Landfill Permitting Plan Provincial Landfill Not achieved province developed Permitting Plan (LPP) developed Provincial Integrated Waste Manage-1 IWMPs for each Status Quo report ment Plan (IWMP) developed districts produced Number of buy-back centres revital-3 Buy-back centres Site visits conrevitalised ised or established ducted and suitable area identified 5 Sustainable waste recycling projects initiated in each landfill site 5 District Clean-up 6 Clean up cam-Improve the effec-Number of clean-up campaigns inititiveness of waste ated in District Municipalities campaigns during paigns the arbor week management activities for all 20 Incidents Address Environmental hazardous incidents 1 Incident waste types in the attended to province Ambient and point source air quality • Air Quality Of-Not achieved Coordinate ficers' Forum management of monitoring database and informa-Air Quality in the tion system developed Establish Province Feasibility study for the establishment monitoring stations initiated Provincial Air Quality Management AOM Plan for the Provincial **AOMP** (AQM) Plan developed Free State finalised produced A Greenhouse Gas Reduction Strat-Consultants appoint-Not achieved ed for the developegy developed ment of the strategy Environmental Number of EIA applications submit-64 EIA applications 160 authorisations submitted within the Free

State processed

Sub-Programme: Environmental Quality Management						
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDI-	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS			
		CATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL		
	Processing of Environmental authorizations and finalization of au- thorization tools	Percentage of submitted EIA applications finalized within legislated time frames	100%	100%		
		Number of Environmental Authorizations Issued	160	146 Environmen- tal Authorizations Issued		
		Average duration of EIA processes in months	6 Months	6 Months		
		EMF1 developed and implemented in the Province to guide EIA decisions	Appointment of Consultants to develop the EMF	Not achieved		
	Was the EMF based on all the cor- rect sector plans, including a pub- lished bio-regional plan published under the Biodiversity Act	Appointment of Consultants to de- velop the land cover use map and the vegetation map	Not achieved			

Sub-Programme: Biodiversity Management and Conservation Services

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS			
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL		
Biodiversity Management and Conservation Service	Implementation of the Protected Areas Act and the Biodiversity Act	Number of districts covered by bio- regional plans published in terms of the Biodiversity Act (using the pro- vincial biodiversity plan as a basis)	1 (MDTP Bio- regional Plan)	1 Plan		
		Provincial register of protected areas in place	Provincial register in place	Provincial register in place		
		The extent of public land, designated as Protected Areas in terms of the Protected Areas Act, under formal conservation (Ha)	207 033 ha	207 033 ha		
		The extent of private land, designated as Protected Areas in terms of the Protected Areas Act, under formal conservation (Ha)	215 000	215 000		
		Percentage of provincial land under conservation (Public and Private)	3.24%	3.24%		
		Number of day visitors to public conservation areas (CA)	120 000	54 332		
		Number of overnight visitors to public CA	29 000	20 909		
		List of threatened and protected ecosystems been prepared in terms of the Biodiversity Act developed	Draft list developed	Draft list developed		
		Hectares of land cleared of alien invasive species in the Province in the year	110 ha	110 ha		
		Percentage of provincial protected areas with an approved management plan	100%	Not achieved		
				Number of people employed public sector conservation	Number of people employed in public sector conservation	306

Sub-Programme: Compliance and Law Enforcement SUB-PROGRAMME OUTPUT **OUTPUT PERFORMANCE ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST** MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY **TARGETS INDICATORS ACTUAL TARGET** Compliance and Monitor Compli-Number of enforcement actions 30 144 Law enforcement ance to environundertaken for non compliance with mental legislation, environmental quality management authorisations, legislation licenses and Number of enforcement actions 800 840 permits undertaken for non compliance with biodiversity/conservation management legislation Percentage of known unauthorised 100% 100% developments acted on with an enforcement action 100% Percentage of received complaints 100% on environmental quality management followed up Monitor Compli-Percentage of licensed landfill sites 20% 28% Licensed ance to environmonitored for compliance landfill sites monimental legislation, tored for compliauthorizations, ance licenses and Number of landfill sites which are Number depend on 48 Landfill sites permits not permitted study outcome which are not permitted Number of registered Environmental 5 (Currently rea-22 Registered EMI Management Inspectors istered EMI plus these 5 will be 22) Known non compliances with bio-6000 Permits 3988 Permits diversity permits as a percentage of issued total biodiversity permits issued

Sub-Programme: Environmental Policy, Planning, Coordination and Empowerment Services

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAI TARGETS	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Environmental Policy, Planning, Coordination and Empowerment Services	Establish Environ- mental manage- ment systems for spatial planning	Environmental management incorporated into local government planning and decision-making	Review 25 IDPs and hold 6 workshops	25 Municipal IDPs and 5 workshops conducted	
		Environmental Implementation Plan (EIP) reviewed every 4 years	EIP reviewed and submitted to DEAT as per NEMA2 requirements	EIP reviewed and submitted to DEAT as per NEMA3 require- ments	
		Valid EIP in place for the province	Submit EIP Report	Submitted to DEA for approval	
		Has a State of Environment Report been prepared within the last 3 yrs: Yes/No	Popularize the SoER Sustainability indicators for de- velopment planning and environmental sustainability	Achieved	
		Percentage of IDPs reviewed for environmental content and compliance with Provincial priorities	100%	100%	
	Number of requests for environ- mental information from the public	100	113		
		GIS Developed for decision-making and planning	Updating spatial data layers	63 Spatial data layers updated	
		The NSSD4 implemented within the broader FSGDS	Implementation of the IEMFFS	Document submitted to stakeholders and will be included into FSGDS	
	To ensure corporate environmental responsibility	Implementation of the National Greening Strategy in the province	Implementation of the National Greening Strategy in preparation for 2010 World Cup	6668 Plants planted as per National Greening Strategy	
	Propagation of indigenous species	Number of indigenous fish produced	30 000	Not achieved	
		Number of indigenous plants planted	20 000	24900	
	Environmental ca-	Various Environmental outreach	120 Programmes	279	
	pacity building and awareness raising programmes rolled out across the province	awareness raising programmes rolled out across	All municipalities participate in the Greenest Municipal Awards (GMA) Programme	All municipalities participated	

Sub-Programme: Environmental Policy, Planning, Coordination and Empowerment Services

SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAI TARGETS	NCE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Establish environ- mental manage- ment livelihood	Number of sustainable Livelihood programmes are underway	12	14
	programmes	Number of teachers were trained in environmental education	400	844
		Number of person days employment were created by the sustainable livelihood Programmes	25 678	242 833
		Number of pupils who attended environmental awareness	22 000	28 558
	Establish environ- mental manage- ment livelihood programmes	Number of environmental education modules approved in the year	6	16
	Environmental capacity building and awareness raising programmes rolled out across the province	Free State Environmental Education Forum established	Establish Forum and develop pro- gramme of action	16 Environmental Education Forums established
	Establish Environ- mental clubs /	Number of environmental clubs established	50 Enviro-Clubs established	139
	organisations for target groups	Number of urban conservancies established in townships	4 Urban conservan- cies	5
		Number of industrial conservancy established	1 Industrial conser- vancy	2 Industrial conservancy
		Number of Local Environmental Forums established	3 Local Environ- mental Forums	2 Forums estab- lished
	Develop and Implement Envi-	Number of Community members trained as Urban rangers	100 Community members	129 Community members
	ronmental educa- tion programs	Number of Honorary Nature conservators trained	30 Honorary Nature conservators	67 Honorary Nature conservators
		Number of Eco Schools registered	50 Schools reg- istered and fully operational on Eco Schools Programme	128 Eco Schools registered

3.4 PROGRAMME: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Purpose: The role of Economic Development is to ensure transformation in the Tourism industry and enhance the development and growth of businesses in the province through training as well as providing of non financial and financial support.

3.4.1 Service delivery achievements for Environmental Management for 2009/10

Sub-Programme: Business Regulations					
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAL TARGETS	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Business regulations	Reduction of unfair business practices	Redress Mechanism Strategy developed	Redress mechanism strategy	Not achieved	
	Resolve consumer complaints	Incoming consumer complaints consulted	All incoming complaints	Walk-in 261 Written 515 Telephonic 688	
		Investigations and mediations of consumer complaints conducted	All reported consumer complaints investigated	All received cases were investigated	
	Resolve consumer complaints	Consumer complaints resolved	All consumer complaints resolved	239 Consumer complaints re- solved	
		Evaluation of lodged cases	All consumer cases lodged evaluated	Not achieved	
	Enhance consumer awareness and facilitate redress processes	Number of Information sessions held	36 Information sessions	10 Information sessions	
		World Consumer Rights Day Celebrated	World Consumer Rights Day Cel- ebrated	Occasion was celebrated as planned	

Sub-Programm	Sub-Programme: Trade Promotion and Development			
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICATORS	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
			TARGET	ACTUAL
Trade Promotion and Development	Conduct aware- ness campaigns to inform the Free State business communities of the various incen- tives schemes and support pro- grammes	Number of awareness campaigns conducted	3 Awareness campaigns	3 Awareness campaigns
		Number of companies assisted to access incentive schemes and support programs	3 Companies per quarter	6 Companies
		Export awareness campaigns held	2 Exporters awareness campaigns	2 Exporters awareness cam- paigns

Sub-Programm	Sub-Programme: Trade Promotion and Development			
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY INDICATORS	ACTUAL PERFORMAL TARGETS	NCE AGAINST
			TARGET	ACTUAL
	Monitoring and evaluating economic status of the province	Research Advisory Forum (RAF) established	Establish and Launch RAF	Not achieved
		Consultative meetings with industry associations and organized business hosted	1 Meeting per quarter	1 Meeting with NAFCOC
	Enhance economic growth through trade promotion and market devel- opment	Participation in trade exhibitions (locally)	Participating at South African trade exhibition	Participated in the South African Hand Made Exhi- bition 2009
Increase provincial knowledge base with respect to economic performance	Develop and maintain a set of tools to measure economic performance	Subscribe to at least 2 data sources	Subscribed to 2 data sources	
		Number of sector profiles developed	2 Prioritised sector profiles	Not achieved
	Develop sectoral and bene- ficiation strategies in Manufacturing, Mining and Agri- culture sectors	Strategies developed	Terms of Reference developed for 3 strategies	Not achieved
	Provide support to the following mu- nicipalities Kopanong Matjhabeng Maluti a Phofung	Number of training workshops	1 Workshop per identified munici- pality	4 Workshops
	Conduct township trade research in the following municipalities. Mangaung Matjhabeng Kopanong Maluti a Phofung	Number of research conducted	4 Researches	Not achieved
	To promote participation of business in the expert	Annual awards held for best per- forming exporters	1 Award ceremony	Not achieved
	ness in the export market	Number of companies visited	5 Per quarter	29 Companies visited

Sub-Programme: Integrated Economic Development				
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAL TARGETS	NCE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
Integrated Economic Development	Coordinate management of small enterprise	Provincial Small Enterprise Develop- ment Strategy developed	Terms of Reference developed	Terms of reference developed
	development in the Province	Provincial Cooperatives Strategy developed	Terms of reference developed	Terms of reference developed
		Number of enquiries addressed	900 Enquiries	700 Enquiries
	Provide financial and non-financial support to initia-	Number of recognized SMME institutions supported	3 Recognized institutions	3 Recognized institutions supported
	tives from desig- nated groups	Number of youth development programmes initiated	2 Youth develop- ment programmes	2 Youth develop- ment programmes
	To foster entrepreneurship culture through	Number of training sessions facili- tated to SMMEs for the promotion of entrepreneurship	1 Training session per district	1 Training session per district
	SMME capac- ity building pro- grammes	Number of SMMEs trained in rural areas	20 SMMEs trained per district	105 SMMEs trained
	To facilitate access to finance and business opportunities	Participation in provincial, national and international exhibitions	1 Provincial and 1 National exhibition	1 Provincial and 1 National exhibi- tion held
		Number of SMMEs assisted to access national incentives	25 SMMEs	25 SMMEs assisted
		BBBEE workshops conducted	BBBEE workshops conducted per iden- tified sector	2 Workshops held in Thabo Mofutsanyane and Motheo
		Database of Foreign and National funding sources for SMMEs Developed	Develop Database	Draft Data Base Developed
		Number of projects\programs facilitated in collaboration with other stakeholders	4 Projects/ programmes	4 Projects/ programmes
	To establish business support structures	Provincial Small Business Advisory Committee (PSBAC) established	Committee established	Not achieved
		Provincial Cooperatives Forum (PCF) established	Forum established	Not achieved
	To facilitate and promote the establishment of	Number of primary cooperatives established in the identified areas including N8 corridor	25 Cooperatives	148 Cooperatives established
	Cooperatives as a form of enter- prises	Number of cooperatives supported with access to incentives	20 Cooperatives	20 Cooperatives
		Number of education, networking and training sessions for cooperatives	15 Cooperatives	110 Cooperatives

Sub-Programme: Integrated Economic Development				
SUB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	To facilitate and promote the	Participation at the National Cooperative Conference	1 National Conference	1 National Conference
	establishment of Cooperatives	Participation and hosting of the Inter Provincial Cooperatives Committee Meeting	3 Meetings	3 Meetings
	Provide support and capacity to Municipalities on issues of Local Economic Devel- opment (LED)	Number of capacity building interventions for LED officials	1 Capacity building intervention	Not Achieved
	Establish monitor- ing and evaluation	Database of small enterprises developed	Develop database	Database developed
	systems for SMME development and support	Provincial monitoring and evaluation system for SMME developed and maintained	Develop M&E system	Not achieved
		Evaluation reports on 15 most procured goods by the Provincial Government	2 Reports developed	2 Draft Reports developed

Sub-Programme: Tourism Support					
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAI TARGETS	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL	
Tourism Support	Facilitate grading of Tourism establishment dissemi-	Tourism quality assurance, standards and service excellence workshops held	1 Workshop per district (5)	4 Workshops	
	nation of tourism quality assurance and standards information	Number of Provincial Government Resorts graded to a minimum of 2 stars	6 Resorts	5 Resorts	
	including service excellence	Number of renewal facilities graded	100 Facilities	95 Facilities	
	CACCHETICE	New Tourism facilities graded	25 Facilities	48 Facilities	
	To promote responsible tourism	Responsible Tourism workshops coordinated	5 Workshops in prioritized local municipalities	4 Workshops	
	Management of Tourist Guides and Tour Operators data- base	Monthly report on data-base updates	Monthly reports	12 Reports developed	
Develop and implement the Tourism Master Plan	implement the	Status report on Tourism Master Plan developed	Quarterly imple- mentation reports & 10 workshops	2 Implementa- tion reports and 1 workshop done	
	Periodic reports on development and implementation of local/district municipality tourism strategies	Quarterly reports	4 Quarterly reports developed		

JB-PROGRAMME	OUTPUT	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMANCE AGAINST TARGETS	
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Coordinate establishment and operationalisation of the Provincial Safety Forum	Periodic implementation reports submitted	Quarterly Reports	4 Quarterly reports developed
	Coordinate Safety workshops in the districts	Safety workshops held	5 Workshops	4 Workshops
	Disseminate information about various BEE governance Charter and Score card through workshops	Transformation workshops held	5 Workshops	2 Workshops
	Implement a programme to build tourism SMME capacity	Tourism product owners trained in specific business management skills	5 District training workshops	12 Workshops
	Support tourism business develop- ment	Provincial tourism product portfolio updated	Monthly database reports	12 Reports sub mitted
	Support tourism business develop- ment	Non-financial support workshops for tourism businesses coordinated	5 Workshops	1 Workshop he
	Support tourism route and signage development	Reports on Route and signage development initiatives facilitated Griqua Heritage Route Horizon Route Grasslands Meander Intabazwe Township Route Mangaung Route BBT Heritage Route(N8 Corridor) Goldfields Route Maluti Route	1 Monthly report per route	11 Reports dev oped
	Support enterprise development programmes	Number of tourism businesses and community tourism projects assisted with product development along N8 Botshabelo Arts and Crafts centre and Barolong Cultural illage Thabo Thabeng	3 Tourism projects on N8	Monthly report on implementa tion of 3 Touris projects devel- oped
	Implement a specialist training programme to enhance the skills base of Tour	Regional tourist guides trained in foreign languages	30 Guides Spanish, Italian German	Not achieved

guides

Sub-Programme: Tourism Support

SUB-PROGRAMME	ОИТРИТ	OUTPUT PERFORMANCE MEASURES/SERVICE DELIVERY	ACTUAL PERFORMAI TARGETS	NCE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Implement a specialist training programme	Number of Tour guides trained on Geology for deployment in Vredefort Dome	5 Tour guides	10 Tourist Guides Trained
	to enhance the skills base of Tour guides.	Number tour guides in indigenous of knowledge for deployment in Maluti Route	5 Tour guides	10 Tourist Guides Trained
	To enhance capacity of resort	Resort personnel trained as tourist guides	10 Resort personnel trained	Not Achieved
	personnel	Number training sessions for resort personnel trained in customer care	5 Training sessions	1 Training Session
	Coordinate training programme for product owners	Training sessions in Business management for Tourism Product owners	5 Training sessions	6 Sessions
	Implement a specialist training programme to enhance tourism packaging skills of Tour operators	Tour operators trained in packaging skills	10 Tour operators	9 Tour operators Trained
	Facilitate partici- pation in tourism network structures	Tourism product owners provided with information for participation in tourism Indaba exhibition	30 Product owners	35 Product owners (SMMEs)
		Learner participation in the National Tourism Career (NTC) fair facilitated	25 Learners	20 Tourism Learners attended NTC
	Facilitate participa- tion in tourism	Number of Tourism month activities coordinated	7 Tourism Activities	13 Activities
	network structures	Tourism business forum meeting coordinated	1 Quarterly meeting	2 Meetings
		Coordinate ETEYA, Welcome Awards and Provincial Tourism awards	Quarterly reports produced	4 Quarterly Reports Submitted
	Liaise with Provincial schools that will participate in National Schools Competition	Number of schools visited	25 Schools	3 Schools participated
	Establish linkages between emerg- ing and estab- lished tourism businesses	Tourism mentorship relationships facilitated	10 Partnerships	Not achieved
	Facilitate tourism value chain opportunities and institutional relationships	Tourism value chain opportunity workshops coordinated in identified priority areas	6 Workshops	7 Workshops

Sub-Programme: Tourism Support				
SUB-PROGRAMME	ОUТРUТ		ACTUAL PERFORMAI TARGETS	NCE AGAINST
		INDICATORS	TARGET	ACTUAL
	Report on mainte- nance of resorts	Monthly reports on Maintenance	Monthly reports	Monthly reports developed
	Improve quality of service in the	Monthly reports on customer care provided	Monthly customer care reports	Monthly reports developed
	Departmental resorts	Visitor statistics compiled	Compile monthly visitor statistics	Compiled monthly visitor statistics
	Ensure effective and efficient management of Provincial and Municipality Resorts	 Implementation of Tourism PPP in under mentioned resort Jim Fouche Resort (Mafube municipality) Frankfort Water Park Resort (Mafube municipality) Florisbad Abrahamsrust Resort (Metsi Maholo municipality) Ikgatholle Resort (Dihlabeng municipality) Departmental Resorts 	Monthly reporting	Monthly reports developed
	Support develop- ment of Xhariep Transfrontier	Griqua Heritage Route developed	Griqua Heritage Route developed	Not Achieved

PART THREE: AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

We are pleased to present our report for the financial year ended 31 March 2010.

Audit Committee Members and Attendance:

The audit committee consists of the members listed hereunder and meets 4 times per annum as per its approved terms of reference. During the current year 4 meetings were held.

Name of Member	Number of Meetings Attended
MS Molokomme (Chairperson)	4
JH van Wyk	4
MM Ntsane	3
BI Mohale (resigned in May 2009)	1
G Mahlatsi	2

Audit Committee Responsibility

The Audit Committee has complied with its responsibilities arising from section 38(1)(a) of the PFMA and Treasury Regulation 3.1.13. The Audit Committee has adopted appropriate formal terms of reference as its audit committee charter; it has regulated its affairs in compliance with this charter and has discharged all its responsibilities as contained therein.

The effectiveness of internal control

The system of internal control was not entirely effective for the year under review, as compliance with prescribed policies and procedures were lacking in certain instances. During the year under review, several instances of non compliance were reported by internal and external auditors that resulted from a breakdown in the functioning of controls. Significant control weaknesses have been reported by the Auditor-General under emphasis of matter and in the management letter. In certain instances, the weaknesses reported previously have not been fully and satisfactorily addressed. The effect of these instances has been included in the annual financial statements and the report of the Accounting Officer.

The Audit Committee is satisfied with the content and quality of monthly and quarterly reports prepared and issued by the Accounting Officer and the Department during the year under review. It was however noted that suspense accounts were not cleared on a monthly basis).

Evaluation of Financial Statements

The Audit Committee has:

Reviewed and discussed the audited annual financial statements to be included in the annual report with the Auditor-General and the Accounting Officer; reviewed the Auditor-General's management letter and management's response thereto; reviewed changes in accounting policies and practices; and reviewed significant adjustments resulting from the audit.

The Audit Committee concurs and accepts the Auditor-General's conclusions on the annual financial statements, and is of the opinion that the audited annual financial statements be accepted and read together with the report of the Auditor-General.

Internal audit

The Audit Committee is satisfied that the internal audit function is operating effectively and that it has addressed the risks pertinent to the department in its audit.

Auditor-General South Africa

The Audit Committee has met with the Auditor General of South Africa to ensure that there are no unresolved issues

Chairperson of the Audit Committee

Date: 17/08/2010

PART FOUR: ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTING OFFICER for the year ended 31 March 2010

Report by the Accounting Officer to the Executive Authority and Provincial Legislature of the Republic of South Africa.

1. General review of the state of financial affairs

The objective of the Department of Tourism, Environmental and Economic Affairs is to facilitate economic growth and development in the Free State province through development and promotion of tourism, environmental management in all relevant sectors of the economy which are in line with the priorities identified in the Free State Growth and Development Strategy.

In the financial year under review, some of the posts were not filled as planned. These posts will be filled in the 2010/11 financial year.

The upgrading of Philip Sanders Resort into a conference facility and building of extra chalets has not been completed. There is a challenge facing the Department to manage this world class facility effectively. Discussions are still continuing on the best management model to manage this resort.

The annual game auction yielded revenue of R10 million in the 2009/2010 financial year.

The Department under-spent with an amount of R25 298 million during the financial year.

The under expenditure in the different programmes was due to the high vacancy rate and the inability to attract and retain required skills. The under expenditure was further caused by the moratorium which was placed by the Provincial Treasury on items such as filling of posts, purchasing of furniture, office equipment, subsidized vehicles and training in the form of cost containment measures. The department requested a Rollover of unspent funds amounting to R20 million from the Provincial Treasury.

2. Service rendered by the Department

The department focuses on the following three strategic goals:

- To stimulate integrated sustainable economic development within the province.
- To ensure sustainable environmental conservation within the province
- To ensure the departmental business process excellence.

To achieve the above goals the following service programmes were identified to enable the department to achieve its objectives:

Administration:

This programme encompasses the following business support functions: The Office of the MEC; the Office of the HOD; Corporate Services; Strategic Financial Services; Internal Audit; and Security Services. The focus of this programme is to provide support and monitor performance of the line functions.

Tourism:

Tourism is regarded as an important driver of Sustainable Economic Development within the Free State Province. It focuses on sub-programmes such as Tourism Support, Tourism Development and Resort Management.

Economic development:

This programme focuses on Consumer and Liquor Affairs, Trade and Investment Promotion and SMME Development.

Environmental Affaris:

To ensure sustainable environmental development within the Free State province four functions are included under this programme. There are: Planning, Impact, Pollution and Waste Management; Environmental Management and Sustainable Development: Policy, Legislation and Coordination; Ecosystem, Biodiversity and Natural Heritage Management and Environmental Management and Sustainable Enterprise.

2.1 Tariff policy

The tariffs for the 2009/10 financial year were prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act, Section 38(1) (c) (i) and Treasury Regulation 7.3. These tariffs were developed in terms of the Departmental policy discussed with and approved by the Provincial Treasury.

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Departmental tariffs are reviewed annually, taking into consideration the following factors:

- Market value of services being rendered;
- Inflation rate:
- Public demand for each service type;
- Historical information;
- Departmental strategic objectives; and
- Environmental impact.

2.2 Free Services

Free entrance to Resorts and Reserves were considered and approved in terms of the Departmental tariff policy.

2.3 Inventories

The Department does not have stores for keeping any stock, be it at head office or in any of its regional offices.

3. Capacity constraints

The capacity constraints relate primarily to human resources. All posts to be filled are identified over the three years planning cycle. These posts have to be filled on an annual basis according to the determined annual targets. It is often difficult to attract candidates with suitable skills, especially in Economic Development and Environmental Management. The Department has developed a training programme to develop employees and to improve skills at different levels.

As the Internal Audit has become fully operational, it will assist the Department in identifying risks and the appropriate remedial measures.

The retention of personnel remains a serious challenge, given the high rate of mobility. Staff is lost in all programmes but mostly in Economic Development, Financial Administration and Environmental Management. Appropriate steps to retain staff are always employed in order to address this problem.

4. Utilisation of donor funds

The Department does not receive direct funding from any donors, but participates in the Maloti Drakensberg Transfrontier Project (MDTP), which is funded by the World Bank.

5. Trading entities and public entities

Public Entities controlled by the Department are funded via transfer payments from the Departmental equitable share. Transfer payment agreements are in place between the respective public entities and the Department. These agreements form the basis of the monitoring and evaluation framework put in place to effect the requirements of the PFMA.

Free State Liquor Authority:

The Free State Liquor Authority (FSLA) was established in 2008 as a new entity reporting to the Department. Its purpose is to regulate the liquor industry in the Free State. This function entails processing of applications for and awarding of liquor licenses. The Authority is also responsible for monitoring compliance to liquor conditions by licensed liquor outlets. The Authority further cooperate with other departments such as the Police and Local Government to address illegal activities in the liquor industry. An amount of R5,3 million was spent.

Free State Investment Promotion Agency:

The purpose of Free State Investment Promotion Agency (FIPA) is to promote investment into and within the Province and to identify analyze, publicize and market investment and trade opportunities in the provincial economy. The Transfer payments to the value of R7,9 million were made during the financial year.

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Free State Development Corporation:

The purpose of the Free State Development Corporation (FDC) is to develop business enterprise to promote urban and rural economic development in line with the Free State Development Corporation Amendment Act No 9 of 1999. Transfer payments to the value of R 34.7 million were made during the financial year. In order to achieve its goals, the Corporation provides both financial and non-financial support, primarily to small, medium and micro enterprises.

Free State Gambling and Racing Board:

The purpose of the Free State Racing and Gambling Board (FSRGB) is to promote the economy of the Free State by regulating and collecting levies imposed on gambling and racing. The revenue collected is deposited into the Provincial Revenue Fund. Transfer payments to the value of R17, 3 million were made during the financial year (2008/09: R16, 2 million).

Free State Tourism Authority:

The purpose of the Tourism Marketing Authority is to promote tourism in the Free State province through marketing tourism products such as facilities, events and all other related opportunities.

Transfer payments to the value of R17, 387 million were made during the financial year.

The provincial government is analysing the performance of all public entities to determine how these are to be re-positioned. It is envisaged that a feasibility study will be undertaken to determine the strategic role and positioning of all the entities.

6. Organisations to whom transfer payments have been made.

Transfer payments were made to Public Entities and to households during the financial year.

Reasons for transfer payments:

- To enable Public Entities to achieve objectives as agreed and documented in the annual performance plans. Transfer conditions were complied with.
- Households Employee's leave gratuity
- Accounting arrangements
- Public Entities in terms of Transfer Agreement
- Households None

7. Public private partnerships (PPP)

There were no Public Private Partnerships entered into during the financial year.

8. Corporate governance arrangements

Both the Audit Committee and Internal Audit Unit have been functional during the financial year under review. The department has implemented a system to manage conflict of interest of employees by annually requesting senior managers to declare their business interest.

9. Discontinued activities/activities to be discontinued

There are various factors that could have contributed to several activities not being implemented in terms of the Annual Performance Plan, or being scaled down. These include capacity constraints and poor planning. Some of the activities could have been scaled down due to cost containment measures.

10. New/proposed activities

These activities will be covered in the revised Annual Performance Plan for the financial year 2010/11. The new Five Year Strategic Plan will determine other new activities that will be appropriate for the next five years. These activities will be reviewed annually through the development of the Annual Performance Plan.

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11. Asset management

Great improvement has been achieved in the management of departmental assets. The following challenges were encountered and must be addressed in order to see further improvement:

- Compliance with the new Management Framework.
- Improving accountability by managers on minor assets.
- Knowledge of and compliance with the Immovable Assets Management Framework.

For the financial year under review, the performance of the department can be described as follows:

- Physical asset verification: 100% achieved.
- Bar-coding of assets: 88% achieved.
- Capturing of bar-codes on Logis: 63% achieved
- BAS/LOGIS monthly reconciliations: 100% achieved
- Quarterly Logis Asset Reports reconciliations: 95% achieved.
- Disposal of game: 100% achieved.
- Disposal of other assets: 100% achieved.

12. Events after the reporting date

None

13. Performance information

This information is reported in pages 10 - 45

14. SCOPA resolutions

REFERENCE TO PREVIOUS AUDIT REPORT AND SCOPA RESOLUTIONS	SUBJECT	FINDINGS ON PROGRESS
Resolution 10/2005	Liquor license-computer- ised system	SITA made a presentation to the Liquor Authority. The Liquor Authority provided its needs which must be incorporated in the system. SITA is meeting with Liquor Authority to finalise the operation of the system
Resolution 28/2006	Renovations at Philip Saunders Resort.	There are still outstanding payments for the project and the project is not completed
Resolution 17/2008	Awarding of the contract to an event management company.	At the meeting held between the Department and SIU, the SIU has informed the department that they have decided not to proceed with the matter and the President has been advised not to issue the Proclamation.
	Detailed report of the claim and the recovery of the losses.	At the meeting held between the department and Special Investigative Unit (SIU), the SIU have informed the department that they have decided not to proceed with the matter and the President has been advised not to issue the Proclamation

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15. Prior modifications to audit reports

The matters reported by the Auditor-General in 2008/2009 have been included in the performance agreement of Senior Managers.

16. Exemptions and deviations received from the National Treasury

No exemptions were received from the Provincial Treasury.

17. Other

There are no other material factors or circumstances which may have an effect on the understanding of the financial state of affairs which is not addressed elsewhere in this report.

18. Approval

The Annual Financial Statements set out on pages 57 - 116 have been approved by the Accounting Officer.

DR M.M.V. MONGAKE HEAD OF DEPARTMENT

DATE: 31 May 2010

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL for the year ended 31 March 2010

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL TO THE FREE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF VOTE NO. 3: DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Introduction

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs, which comprise the appropriation statement, the statement of financial position as at 31 March 2010, and the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in net assets and cash flow statement for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, as set out on pages 57 to 116.

Accounting officer's responsibility for the financial statements

The accounting officer is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting determined by the National Treasury, as set out in note 1 to the financial statements and in the manner required by the Public Finance Management Act of South Africa, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999) (PFMA). This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor-General's responsibility

As required by section 188 of the Constitution of South Africa, 1996, section 4 of the Public Audit Act of South Africa, 2004 (Act No. 25 of 2004) (PAA) and section 40(2) of the PFMA, my responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control.

An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

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Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs as at 31 March 2010, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting determined by the National Treasury, as set out in note 1 to the financial statements and in the manner required by the PFMA.

Emphasis of matter

I draw attention to the matters below. My opinion is not modified in respect of these matters:

Basis of accounting

The department's policy is to prepare financial statements on the modified cash basis of accounting determined by the National Treasury, described in note 1 to the financial statements.

Irregular expenditure

As disclosed in note 24 to the financial statements, irregular expenditure to the amount of R26 582 585 was incurred, as proper tender and procurement processes had not been followed.

Fruitless and wasteful expenditure

As disclosed in note 25 to the financial statements, fruitless and wasteful expenditure to the amount of R114 092 was incurred during the financial year because of a lack of due care, resulting in overpayments being made and interest being charged on late payments.

REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

In terms of the PAA and General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009, I include below my findings on the report on predetermined objectives, compliance with the PFMA and financial management (internal control).

Findings

Predetermined objectives

Non-compliance with regulatory and reporting requirements

Submission of annual performance plan

The accounting officer of the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs did not provide the Free State Legislature with the annual performance plan at least 10 days prior to the discussion of the department's budget vote, as required by Treasury Regulations 5.2.1 and 5.2.2.

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Lack of effective, efficient and transparent systems and internal controls regarding performance management

The accounting officer did not ensure that the department has and maintains an effective, efficient and transparent system and internal controls regarding performance management, which describe and represent how the institution's processes of performance planning, monitoring, measurement, review and reporting will be conducted, organised and managed, as required in terms of section 38(1)(a)(i) and (b) of the PFMA.

Compliance with laws and regulations

Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999) (PFMA) and Treasury Regulations of 2005 (TR)

Non-adherence to legislation

- Contrary to the requirements of TR 8.2.3 and section 38(1)(f) of the PFMA, payments of at least R12 268 139 were not made within 30 days of date of receipt of the relevant invoice or statement.
- Contrary to the requirements of TR 8.4.1 and section 38(1)(j) of the PFMA, transfer payments of R29 671 511 were made to public entities without obtaining written assurance from the entity that the entity implements effective, efficient and transparent financial management and internal control systems.

INTERNAL CONTROL

I considered internal control relevant to my audit of the financial statements and the report on predetermined objectives and compliance with the PFMA, but not for the purposes of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control. The matters reported below are limited to the deficiencies identified during the audit.

Leadership

The accounting officer did not exercise oversight responsibility over financial and performance reporting, compliance with laws and regulations and internal control.

Financial and performance management

The requested information to support reported performance was not available and submitted without significant delays due to inadequate record keeping and document management.

Governance

Internal audit did not fulfil its responsibilities as set out in legislation and in accordance with accepted best practice. As a result, ongoing monitoring and supervision were not undertaken to enable an assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over reporting on predetermined objectives.

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL for the year ended 31 March 2010

OTHER REPORTS

Investigations

A review was conducted by an independent consulting firm at the request of the Executive Committee. The review aimed to establish whether the department complied with legislative prescripts related to payroll and supply chain management and was still ongoing at the reporting date.

Bloemfontein 30 July 2010



Auditing to build public confidence

FREE STATE – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS

VOTE 3

APPROPRIATION STATEMENT
for the year ended 31 March 2010

		1	APPROPRIATION PER PROGRAMME	IN PER PROGR	NAMME				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expenditure
	R'000	R'000	R.000	R.000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
1. ADMISTRATION									
Current payment	64,607	(233)	170	64,544	64,280	264	%9.66	64,600	64,425
Transfers and subsidies	1	(80)	1	(80)		(80)	1	ı	_
Payment for capital assets	840	313	1	1,153	806	347	%6.69	2,040	1,591
2. INTER AND INTRA GOVERNMENTAL RELATION	AL RELATION								
Current payment	16,390	ı	936	17,326	11,262	6,064	%0:59	8,427	4,411
Transfers and subsidies	1	ı	1	1	1	ı	ı	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets	1,849	ı	(784)	1,065	1,062	3	%2'66	948	309
3. ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS									
Current payment	87,924	(9,352)	ı	78,572	73,070	5,502	93.0%	92,063	81,837
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	720	720	498	222	69.2%	130	87
Payment for capital assets	36,696	9,352	089	46,728	39,678	7,050	84.9%	52,047	62,447
4. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT									
Current payment	49,459	ı	(2,670)	46,789	42,133	4,656	%0.06	27,344	20,137
Transfers and subsidies	1	ı	103	103	42	61	40.8%	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets	187	ı	845	1,032	940	92	91.1%	1,077	812
5. TRANSVERSAL FUNCTIONS									
Current payment		1							ı
Transfers and subsidies	83,787	1	1	83,787	82,670	1,117	98.7%	55,100	50,197
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	-	-	ı	ı	1	ı
Subtotal	341,739	1	ı	341,739	316,441	25,298	95.6%	303,776	286,254

		1	APPROPRIATIO	APPROPRIATION PER PROGRAMME	SAMME				
		. 4	2009/10					2008	2008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Expenditure Final as % of final Appropria- tion		Actual Expenditure
	R'000	R.000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Statutory Appropriation									
Current payment	ı		ı	ı					ı
Transfers and subsidies	1	ı	ı	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets	I	ı	I	I	ı	•	1	•	ı
TOTAL	341,739	I	ı	341,739	316,441	25,298	92.6%	303,776	286,254

		2	2009/10		2008/09	
	Final	Actual			Final	Actual
App	Appropriation	Expenditure			Appropriation	Expendi- ture
TOTAL (brought forward)						
Reconciliation with Statement of Financial Performance						
Add						
Departmental receipts	40,029	1			- 46,723	
Direct Exchequer receipts	'	I			'	1
Aid assistance	1	ı		,	1	1
Actual amounts per Statement of Financial Performance (total revenue)	381,768	1			-350,499	1
Add						
Aid assistance	1	ı		,	1	e
Direct Exchequer payments	1	I			'	1
Prior year unauthorised expenditure approved without funding	ı	1			1	1
Actual amounts per Statement of Financial Performance		316,441			1	286,257
(total expenditure)						

		APPROF	RIATION PER	APPROPRIATION PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION	ASSIFICATION	7			
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expendi- ture
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Current payments									
Compensation of employees	128,893	(9,352)	ı	119,541	117,249	2,292	98.1%	112,918	108,514
Goods and services	89,486	1	(1,887)	87,599	71,798	15,801	82.0%	79,605	62,052
Interest and rent on land	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ı
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	I	1	1	I	1,698	(1,698)	1	1	245
Transfers and subsidies									
Provinces and municipalities	ı	ı	ı	1	1	1	ı	ı	ı
Departmental agencies and accounts	49,087	ı	ı	49,087	47,970	1,117	%1.7%	45,100	40,197
Universities and technikons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Foreign governments and international organisations	ı	ı	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	I
Public corporations and private enterprises	34,700	ı	1	34,700	34,700	ı	100.0%	10,000	10,000
Non-profit institutions	1	ı	ı	ı	1	1	ı	ı	ı
Households	1	1	843	843	540	303	64.1%	130	88
Payments for capital assets									
Buildings and other fixed structures	36,176	9,352	1	45,528	39,237	6,291	86.2%	50,160	60,984
Machinery and equipment	3,351	ı	1,044	4,395	3,204	1,191	72,9%	5,511	4,174
Biological assets	ı	1	1	1	1	1	1	I	ı
Software and other intangible assets	46	ı	ı	46	45	_	%8'.26	352	I
Land and subsoil assets	ı	I	I	ı	ı	1	I	I	ı
Total	341,739	1	1	341,739	316,441	25,298	95.6%	303,776	286,254

APPROPRIATION STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

		PF	PROGRAMME 1	1 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	GRAMME				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
Detail per sub-programme	Adjusted Appro- priation	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation %	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expenditure
1.1 OFFICE OF THE MEC	K 000	000 4	N 000	N 000	K 000	K 000		K 000	K 000
Current payment	4,815	355	170	5,340	4,645	695	87.0%	4,489	4,323
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	1	1	1	1	'	1	1
Payment for capital assets	70	40	'	110	57	53	51.8%	130	106
1.2 OFFICE OF THE HOD									
Current payment	3,995	(12)	'	3,983	3,717	266	93.3%	4,812	4,385
Transfers and subsidies	ı	1	'	ı	ı	1	ı	I	I
Payment for capital assets	44	12	1	56	42	41	75.0%	275	254
1.3 SPECIAL PROGRAMME UNIT	-								
Current payment	1,408	(12)	'	1,396	1,066	330	76.4%	1,297	853
Transfers and subsidies	ı	1	1	ı	ı	1	ı	I	I
Payment for capital assets	18	12	1	30	17	13	26.7%	52	37
1.4 SECURITY SERVICES									
Current payment	2,059	(300)	'	1,759	2,529	(770)	143.8%	2,403	2,330
Transfers and subsidies	ı	1	'	1	ı	'	1	I	I
Payment for capital assets	27	1	1	27	8	19	29.6%	53	47
1.5 OFFICE OF THE COO									
Current payment	1,656	(105)	'	1,551	1,432	119	92.3%	1,545	1,017
Transfers and subsidies	ı	1	'	1	ı	1	1	I	ı
Payment for capital assets	69	ı	ı	69	33	36	47.8%	111	100
1.6 OFFICE OF THE CFO									
Current payment	1,337	1	'	1,337	1,012	325	75.7%	1,209	896
Transfers and subsidies	ı	I	ı	ı	I	I	ı	I	I
Payment for capital assets	12	1	'	12	ı	12	1	18	6
1.7 SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT	LNI								
Current payment	18,639	(069)	ı	17,949	18,295	(346)	101.9%	17,941	20,184
Transfers and subsidies	1	10	1	10	ı	10	1	1	ı

		PR	OGRAMME 1	PROGRAMME 1 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	GRAMME				
		7	2009/10					2008	2008/09
Detail per sub-programme	Adjusted Appro- priation	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expendi- ture
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Payment for capital assets	96	180	1	276	212	64	%8'92	428	270
1.8 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING									
Current payment	7,927	(180)	-	7,747	8,643	(968)	111.6%	7,281	10,372
Transfers and subsidies	1	(100)	1	(100)	1	(100)	ı	1	ı
Payment for capital assets	110	30	1	140	29	73	47.9%	371	400
1.9 MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING	U								
Current payment	2,486	655	1	3,141	2,834	307	90.2%	1,847	1,774
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	1	1	1	1	ı	1	I
Payment for capital assets	83	ı	1	83	53	30	63.9%	142	126
1.10 CORPORATE SERVICE									
Current payment	1,532	(14)	1	1,518	1,599	(81)	105.3%	732	1,209
Transfers and subsidies	ı	I	1	-	'	'	I	-	I
Payment for capital assets	26	14	1	40	14	26	32.0%	41	41
1.11 LEGAL SERVICE									
Current payment	2,264	(12)	-	2,249	2,220	29	%2'86	3,423	2,911
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	-	•	1	1	ı	-	ı
Payment for capital assets	35	15	ı	50	11	39	22.0%	104	26
1.12 HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT	SEMENT								
Current payment	7,122	(10)	1	7,112	7,256	(144)	102.0%	'	I
Transfers and subsidies	ı	10	1	10	1	10	1	1	ı
Payment for capital assets	81	I	ı	81	220	(139)	271.6%	1	I
1.13 INTERNAL AUDIT UNIT									
Current payment	3,934	105	1	4.039	4,046	(7)	100.2%	2,930	4,144
Transfers and subsidies	1	I	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

		P	ROGRAMME 1	PROGRAMME 1 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	GRAMME				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
Detail per sub-programme	Adjusted Appro- priation	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation %	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expenditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	0/	R'000	R'000
Payment for capital assets	69	I	I	69	43	26	62.3%	179	42
1.14 ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	PMENT								
Current payment	4,333	1	1	4,333	2,607	1,726	60.2%	8,820	8,360
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	1	1	I	1	1	1	_
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	1	I	1	1	136	103
1.15 LABOUR RELATIONS									
Current payment	1,100	(10)	1	1,090	2,379	(1,289)	218.3%	5,871	1,600
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	1	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets	100	10	1	110	29	81	26.4%	1	ı
Total	65,447	•	170	65,617	65,086	531	99.2%	66,640	66,017

		PROGR	AMME 1 PER I	ECONOMIC CL	PROGRAMME 1 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
Programme 1 Per Economic classification	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expendi- ture
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Current payments									
Compensation of employees	36,800	I	•	36,800	36,796	4	100.0%	33,377	33,894
Goods and services	27,807	I	(153)	27,654	27,180	474	98.3%	31,312	30,363
Interest and rent on land	ı	I	1	1	ı	1	I	I	I
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	ı	ı	ı	ı	304	(304)	ı	ı	168
Transfers and subsidies to:									
Provinces and municipalities	ı	I	ı	I	I	ı	ı	I	I
Departmental agencies and accounts	ı	1	1	1	ı	1	1	1	1
Universities and technikons	ı	ı	1	ı	ı	1	ı	1	ı
Foreign governments and international organisations	1	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı
Public corporations and private enterprises	1	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı
Non-profit institutions	ı	ı	1	ı	ı	1	ı	1	I
Households	1	1	20	20	1	20	1	1	1
Payment for capital assets									

		PROGR	AMME 1 PER F	ECONOMIC CL	PROGRAMME 1 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION				
		7	2009/10					2008	5008/09
Programme 1 Per Economic classification	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Virement Funds	Virement	Final Appropria- tion	Actual Expendi- ture	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropriation	Final Appropria- tion	Actual expendi- ture
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Buildings and other fixed structures	ı	1	ı	1	ı	ı	1	1	ı
Machinery and equipment	840	1	303	1,143	908	337	70.5%	1,891	1,591
Biological assets	ı	ı	1	1	I	1	-	ı	1
Software and other intangible assets	ı	1	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	09	ı
Land and subsoil assets	1	ı	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	65,447	•	170	65,617	980'59	531	99.2%	66,640	66,017

		PROGR	AMME 2 PE	PROGRAMME 2 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	RAMME				
		200	2009/10					2008	2008/09
Details per Sub-programme	Adjusted Appropria- tion R'000	Shifting of Funds R'000	Virement R'000	Final Appro- Actual Expriation penditure R'000 R'000	Actual Expenditure	Variance R'000	Expenditure Final Apass % of final priation appropriation %	Expenditure Final Appro- Actual Exas % of final priation penditure appropria- R'000 R'000 tion %	Actual Expenditure
2.1 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF DIRECTOR									
Current payment	9	1	-	9	ı	9	ı	675	128
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	-	ı	ı	ı	ı		ı
Payment for capital assets	3	1	1	3	ı	3	ı	53	1
2.2 INFORMATION AND KNOWLEDGE MANAGEM	SE MANAGEM	IENT							
Current payment	598	1	1	598	228	370	38.1%	1,037	4
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	ı
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	ı	ı	1	1	50	1
2.3 INTER-GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS	SNo								
Current payment	734	1	1	734	ı	734	ı	740	116
Transfers and subsidies	-	1	1	1	ı	1	-	_	1
Payment for capital assets	7	ı	,	7	ı	7	ı	09	5

2.4 AGENCY SUPPORT AND MONITORING	NITORING								
Current payment	794	1	1	794	1	794	1	350	74
Transfers and subsidies	ı	1	ı	1	ı	ı	1	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	1	1	1	ı	ı	ı
2 INFORMATION AND COMMINICATION	INICATION								
Current payment	14.258		936	15 194	11 034	4 160	77 6%	5625	4 089
Transfers and subsidies		1)	- 1	- - - -	2	5)	200
Payment for capital assets	1,839	1	(784)	1,055	1,062	(2)	100.7%	785	304
Total	18,239		152	18,391	12,324	6,067	%0.79	9,375	4,720
		PROGR	PROGRAMME 2 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION	ECONOMIC CL	ASSIFICATION				
			2009/10					2008	5008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Expenditure as % of final	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	appropria- tion %	R'000	R'000
Current payments									
Compensation of employees	4,200	ı	1	4,200	2,947	1,253	70.2%	1,990	1,115
Goods and services	12,190	ı	936	13,126	8,311	4,815	63.3%	6,437	3,296
Interest and rent on land-	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	1	1	1	1
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	I	1	1	1	4	(4)	1	1	1
Transfers & subsidies									
Provinces and municipalities	1	1	1	1	1	1	'	1	'
Departmental agencies and accounts	I	ı	ı	I	ı	1	I	I	1
Universities and technikons	1	ı	1	1	•	•	•		•

Foreign governments	1	I	1	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı
and international organisations									
Public corporations	ı	I	1	1	I	I	I	I	I
and private enterprises									
Non-profit institutions	I	I	ı	1	I	I	1	I	I
Households	ı	1	1	1	1	ı	1	1	1
Payment for capital assets									
Buildings and other fixed structures	1	1	ı	ı	1	ı	1	ı	ı
Machinery and equipment	1,849	1	(784)	1,065	1,062	c	%2'66	948	309
Biological assets	ı	1	1	-	1	I	-	1	1
Software and other intangible assets	1	ı	I	I	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı
Land & subsoil assets	ı	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	18,239	•	152	18,391	12,324	6,067	%0.79	9,375	4,720

			PROGRAMME	PROGRAMME 3 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	OGRAMME				
			2009/10					200	2008/09
Details per Sub-Programme	Adjusted Appropriation	Shifting of Funds	Virement R'000	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance R'000	Expenditure as % of final appropriation %	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure R'000 R'000	Actual Expenditure
3.1 ADMINISTRATION									
Current payment	3,250	<u>'</u>	1	3,250	2,630	620	80.9%	4,081	3,967
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	'	1	I	1	1	•	1
Payment for capital assets	19	1	'	19	ı	19	1	125	126
3.2 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY MANAGEMENT	LITY MANAGE	MENT							
Current payment	8,581	(1,000)	'	7,581	6,829	752	90.1%	6,404	6,653
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	ı	1	ı	1	1	1	1
Payment for capital assets	32	1	ı	32	1	32	1	1	27
3.3 ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY COORDINATION, PLANNING AND EMPOWERMENT SERVICES	CY COORDINA	ATION, PLANN	ING AND EM	POWERMENT	SERVICES				
Current payment	12,695	(352)	'	12,343	11,970	373	%0'.26	11,025	10,927
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	ı	ı	1	1	1	20	8

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			PROGRAMME	PROGRAMME 3 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	OGRAMME				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
Details per Sub-Programme	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Funds	Virement	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Expenditure as % of final	Final Ap- propriation	Actual Expenditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	tion %	R'000	R'000
Payment for capital assets	125	ı	1	125	116	6	92.8%	207	183
3.4 COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT	ORCEMENT								
Current payment	5,681	(2,000)	1	3,681	5,523	(1,842)	150.0%	5,398	5,361
Transfers and subsidies	1	ı	1	1	•		I	1	1
Payment for capital assets	94	I	I	94	92	2	%6'26	480	183
3.5 BIODIVERSITY MANAGEMENT	MENT								
Current payment	44,878	(6,000)	I	38,878	42,147	(3,269)	108.4%	63,545	54,069
Transfers and subsidies	ı	I	720	720	498	222	69.2%	110	79
Payment for capital assets	36,276	9,352	089	46,308	39,323	6,985	84.9%	51,235	61,928
3.6 SPECIAL PROJECTS									
Current payment	12,839	ı	1	12,839	3,971	8,868	30.9%	1,610	860
Transfers and subsidies	ı	I	I	I	ı	I	I	I	I
Payment for capital assets	150	I	I	150	147	æ	%0'86	I	I
TOTAL	124,620	•	1,400	126,020	113,246	12,774	%6.68	144,240	144.371

		PROGRAMME	3 PER ECON	PROGRAMME 3 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION	CATION				
		2009/10	0					2008/09	60/
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Virement Funds	Virement	Final Ap- propriation	Actual Ex- penditure	Variance	Expenditure as % of final appropria-	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Actual Ex- penditure
	R,000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	tion %	R'000	R'000
Current payments									
Compensation of employees	58,876	(9,352)	'	49,524	48,550	974	%0'86	62,968	62,053
Good and services	29,047	1	'	29,047	23,814	5,233	82.0%	29,095	19,723
Interest and rent on land	ı	ı	'	1	-	1	-	ı	1
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	1	1	'	1	706	(200)	1	I	09

Transfers & subsidies									
Provinces & municipalities	1	1	I	I	I	ı	1	1	I
Departmental agencies & accounts	1	1	ı	ı	I	I	ı	1	I
Universities & technikons	1	1	1	I	ı	ı	1	1	I
Foreign governments & international organisations	1	ı	1	I	ı	ı	ı	ı	I
Public corporations & private enterprises	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Non-profit institutions	ı	1	I	I	I	I	1	1	I
Households	1	1	720	720	498	222	69.2%	130	87
Payment for capital assets									
Buildings & other fixed structures	36,176	9,352	1	45,528	39,237	6,291	86.2%	50,160	60,984
Machinery & equipment	475	1	089	1,155	396	759	34.3%	1,595	1,464
Biological assets	1	1	I	I	I	ı	1	1	I
Software & other intangible assets	46	1	ı	46	45	1	%8'.26	292	I
Land & subsoil assets	ı	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	1	ı
Total	124,620	1	1,400	126,020	126,020 113,246	12,774	86.68	144,240	144,371

	6	Actual Expenditure		876	ı	1
	2008/09	Final Apparopriation penditure R7000 R7000		2,874	ı	1
		Expendi- F ture as % p of final appropria- R		80.08	ı	1
				1,161	ı	1
SRAMME				4,631	ı	1
PROGRAMME 4 PER SUB-PROGRAMME		Final Apparopriation penditure R'000 R'000		5,792	I	1
OGRAMME 4 I	2009/10			1	ı	1
PR	2	Shifting of Virement Funds R'000 R'000		I	ı	1
		Adjusted Appropria- tion R'000		5,792	ı	1
		Details per Sub-Programme	4.1 ADMINISTRATION	Current payment	Transfers and subsidies	Payment for capital assets

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4.2 INTEGRATED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES	/ELOPMENT SE	RVICES							
Current payment	10,454		1	10,454	4,011	6,443	38.4%	4,151	2,786
Transfers and subsidies	ı	ı	1	I	I	I	ı	I	I
Payment for capital assets	09	1	1	09	116	(26)	193.3%	235	77
4.3 TRADE AND INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT	ELOPMENT								
Current payment	4,883	1	1	4,883	3,656	1,227	74.9%	7,881	6,292
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	10	10	1	10	ı	•	1
Payment for capital assets	32	ı	200	232	164	89	70.7%	157	112
4.4 BUSINESS REGULATION AND GOVERNANCE	GOVERNANCE								
Current payment	7,837	ı	1	7,837	7,313	524	93.3%	7,976	6,522
Transfers and subsidies	1	1	20	20	14	9	%0.07	1	ı
Payment for capital assets	68	1	1	89	39	20	43.8%	208	433
4.5 TOURISM SUPPORT									
Current payment	20,493	ı	(2,670)	17,823	22,522	(4,699)	126,4%	4,462	3,661
Transfers and subsidies	1	ı	73	73	28	45	38.4%	1	I
Payment for capital assets	9	1	645	651	621	30	95.4%	177	190
ТОТАГ	49,646	•	(1,722)	47,924	43,115	4,809	%0.06	28,421	20,949

		PROGR	AMME 4 PER	PROGRAMME 4 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION	ASSIFICATION				
			2009/10					2008	2008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Virement Funds	Virement	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure		Variance	Expenditure as % of final	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Actual Expenditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	appropria- tion %	R'000	R'000
Current payment									
Compensation of employees	29,017	ı	ı	29,017	28,956	61	%8'66	14,583	11,452
Goods and services	20,442	'	(2,670)	17,772	12,493	5,279	70.3%	12,761	8,670

						-	-		
Interest and rent on land	1	1	1	ı	'	ı	'	1	1
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	ı	ı	ı	ı	684	(684)	I	I	17
Transfers and subsidies									
Provinces and municipalities	1	1	ı	ı	1	1	ı	1	I
Departmental agencies and accounts	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	ı	I	ı	ı
Universities and technikons	ı	1	I	I	1	1	ı	1	I
Foreign governments and international organisations	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	1	ı	ı
Public corporations and private enterprises	1	1	ı	1	1	1	I	I	
Non-profit institutions	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Households	ı	1	103	103	42	61	40.8%	ı	ı
Payment for capital assets									
Buildings & other fixed structures	1	ı	ı	I	I	I	1	1	ı
Machinery & equipment	187	1	845	1,032	940	92	91.1%	1,077	810
Biological assets	1	1	1	1	1	ı	1	1	ı
Software & other intangible assets	1	1	ı	ı	1	1	1	1	ı
Land & subsoil assets	1	1	I	I	1	1	1	1	I
TOTAL	49,646	1	(1,722)	47,924	43,115	4,809	%0.06	28,421	20,949

			PROGRAMME	PROGRAMME 5 PER SUB-PROGRAMME	OGRAMME				
			2009/10					2008/09	60/
Details per Sub-Programme	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Virement Funds	Virement	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Final Ap- Actual Ex- Variance propriation penditure	Variance	Expenditure as % of final	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Actual Ex- penditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	appropria- tion %	R'000	R'000
5.1 FREE STATE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION	ENT CORPOR	ATION							
Current payment	ı	ı	ı	ı	1	'	I	1	I
Transfers and subsidies	34,700	1	1	34,700	34,700	1	100.0%	10,000	10,000

Payment for capital assets	1	ı	ı	1	1	1	ı	1	1
5.2 FREE STATE GAMBLING BOARD	Q)								
Current payment	1	1	1	ı	ı	1	ı	1	1
Transfers and subsidies	17,300	ı	1	17,300	17,300	1	100.0%	16,200	16,200
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	I	1	1	I	1	1
5.3 FREE STATE TOURISM MARKETING AUTHORITY	TING AUT	HORITY							
Current payment	1	1	1	ı	1	1	I	1	ı
Transfers and subsidies	17,387	1	1	17,387	17,387	1	100.0%	16,000	16,000
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	I	ı	1	I	1	1
5.4 FREE STATE INVESTMENT PROMOTION AGENCY	NOITOMO	AGENCY							
Current payment	1	1	1	I	I	1	I	ı	I
Transfers and subsidies	7,900	ı	1	7,900	7,900	1	100.0%	7,400	6,311
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	I		1	I	1	1
5.5 FREE STATE LIQUOR AUTHORITY	ITY								
Current payment	1	1	1	I	I	1	I	ı	I
Transfers and subsidies	6,500	1	1	6,500	5,383	1,117	82.8%	2,500	1,686
Payment for capital assets	1	1	1	I	I	1	I	ı	I
TOTAL	83,787	1	•	83,787	82,670	1,117	%2'86	55,100	50,197

		PRO	2009/10	PROGRAMME 5 PER ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION 2009/10	CLASSIFICATIO			2008	2008/09
	Adjusted Appropria- tion	Shifting of Virement Funds	Virement	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Final Ap- Actual Ex- Variance propriation penditure		Expenditure as % of final	Final Ap- Actual Ex- propriation penditure	Actual Ex- penditure
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	appropria- tion %	R'000	R'000
Current payments									
Compensation of employees	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Goods and services	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ı
Interest and rent on land	ı	1	ı	1	ı	•	ı	ı	ı
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	1	I	I	ı	I	ı	1	I	I
Transfers and subsidies									
Provinces and municipalities	ı	I	I	ı	1	I	ı	1	I
Departmental agencies and accounts	49,087	ı	ı	49,087	47,970	1,117	%1.7%	45,100	40,197
Universities and technikons	ı	1	I	1	ı	1	ı	ı	I
Foreign governments and international organisations	ı	ı	I	ı	I	ı	I	I	I
Public corporations and private enterprises	34,700	ı	I	34,700	34,700	ı	100.0%	10,000	10,000
Non-profit institutions	1	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	1
Households	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Payment for capital assets									
Buildings and other fixed structures	ı	I	I	I	I	1	I	I	I
Machinery and equipment	ı	1	ı	1	ı		ı	ı	ı
Biological assets	1	1	1	1	1	•	1	-	1
Software and other intangible assets	ı	I	I	ı	1	1	1	1	I
Land & subsoil assets	1	I	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı	1
Total	83,787	1	•	83,787	82,670	1,117	98.7%	55,100	50,197

NOTES TO THE APPROPRIATION STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

1. Detail of transfers and subsidies as per Appropriation Act (after Virement):

Detail of these transactions can be viewed in note 7 (Transfers and subsidies) and Annexure 1 (A-C) to the Annual Financial Statements.

2. Detail of specifically and exclusively appropriated amounts voted (after Virement):

Detail of these transactions can be viewed in note 1 (Annual Appropriation) to the Annual Financial Statements.

3. Detail on financial transactions in assets and liabilities

Detail of these transactions per programme can be viewed in note 6 (Detail of special function) (theft and losses) to the Annual Financial Statements.

4. Explanations of material variances from Amounts Voted (after Virement):

4.1

Per Programme	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Variance as a % of Final Appropriation
	R'000	R'000	R'000	%
Administration	65,617	65,086	531	1%
Inter and Intra Governmental Relations	18,391	12,324	6,067	33%
Environmental Affairs	126,020	113,246	12,774	10%
Economic Development	47,924	43,115	4,809	10%
Transversal Function	83,787	82,670	1,117	1%

4.2

Per Economic classification	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Variance as a % of Final Appropriation
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Current payments:				
Compensation of employees	119,541	117,249	2,292	2%
Goods and services	87,599	71,798	15,801	18.0%
Interest and rent on land	-	-	-	-
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	-	1,698	(1,698)	-
Unauthorised expenditure approved	-	-	-	-
Transfers and subsidies: Provinces and municipalities	-	-	-	-
Departmental agencies and accounts	49,087	47,970	1,117	2%
Universities and technikons	-	-	-	-
Public corporations and private enterprises	34,700	34,700	-	-

NOTES TO THE APPROPRIATION STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

Per Economic classification	Final Appropriation	Actual Expenditure	Variance	Variance as a % of Final Appropriation
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Foreign governments and international organisations	-	-	-	-
Non-profit institutions	-	-	-	-
Households	843	540	303	36%
Payments for capital assets: Buildings and other fixed structures	46,208	39,237	6,971	15%
Machinery and equipment	3,715	3,204	511	14%
Heritage assets	-	-	-	-
Biological assets	-	-	-	-
Software and other intangible assets	46	45	1	2%
Land and subsoil assets	_	_	_	-

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE for the year ended 31 March 2010

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
REVENUE			
Annual appropriation	1	341,739	303,776
Departmental revenue	2	40,029	46,723
TOTAL REVENUE		381,768	350,499
EXPENDITURE			
Current expenditure			
Compensation of employees	4	117,249	108,514
Goods and services	5	71,798	62,052
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	6	1,698	245
Aid assistance	3	_	3
Total current expenditure		190,745	170,814
Transfers and subsidies		83,210	50,285
Transfers and subsidies	7	83,210	50,285
Expenditure for capital assets			
Tangible capital assets	8	42,441	65,158
Software and other intangible assets	8	45	-
Total expenditure for capital assets		42,486	65,158
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		316,441	286,257
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		65,327	64,242
Reconciliation of Net Surplus/(Deficit) for the year			
Voted funds		25,298	17,522
Annual appropriation	14	25,298	-
Departmental revenue	15	40,029	46,723
Aid assistance	3		(3)
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		65,327	64,242

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION as at 31 March 2010

	NOTE	2009/10 R'000	2008/09 R'000
ASSETS			
Current assets		26,550	30,182
Unauthorised expenditure	9	22,544	27,924
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure	10	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	11	467	49
Prepayments and advances	12	15	11
Receivables	13	3,524	2,198
TOTAL ASSETS		26,550	30,182
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities		26,421	29,312
Voted funds to be surrendered to the Revenue Fund	14	25,294	27,922
Departmental revenue to be surrendered to the Revenue Fund	15	1,127	1,390
TOTAL LIABILITIES		26,421	29,312
NET ASSETS		129	870
Represented by:			
Recoverable revenue		129	870
TOTAL		129	870

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS for the year ended 31 March 2010

Recoverable revenue

Opening balance	870	649
Transfers:	(741)	221
Irrecoverable amounts written off	(1,698)	(237)
Debts revised	(485)	-
Debts recovered (included in departmental receipts)	(833)	(463)
Debts raised	2,275	921
Closing balance	129	870
TOTAL	129	870

CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Receipts		383,932	353,261
Annual appropriated funds received	1.1	341,739	303,776
Departmental revenue received	2	42,193	49,485
Net (increase)/decrease in working capital		4,050	(10,525)
Surrendered to Revenue Fund		(80,380)	(73,921)
Current payments		(190,745)	(160,414)
Transfers and subsidies paid		(83,210)	(50,285)
Net cash flow available from operating activities	16	33,647	58,116
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Payments for capital assets	8	(42,486)	(65,158)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	2.5	9,998	7,819
Net cash flows from investing activities		(32,488)	(57,339)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Increase/(decrease) in net assets		(741)	221
Net cash flows from financing activities		(741)	221
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		418	998
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		49	(949)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	17	467	49

ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the following policies, which have been applied consistently in all material aspects, unless otherwise indicated. However, where appropriate and meaningful, additional information has been disclosed to enhance the usefulness of the Financial Statements and to comply with the statutory requirements of the Public Finance Management Act, Act 1 of 1999 (as amended by Act 29 of 1999), and the Treasury Regulations issued in terms of the Act and the Division of Revenue Act, Act 2 of 2006.

1. PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1.1 Basis of preparation

The Financial Statements have been prepared on a modified cash basis of accounting, except where stated otherwise. The modified cash basis constitutes the cash basis of accounting supplemented with additional disclosure items. Under the cash basis of accounting transactions and other events are recognised when cash is received or paid.

1.2 Presentation currency

All amounts have been presented in the currency of the South African Rand (R) which is also the functional currency of the department.

1.3 Rounding

Unless otherwise stated all financial figures have been rounded to the nearest one thousand Rand (R'000).

1.4 Comparative figures

Prior period comparative information has been presented in the current year's financial statements. Where necessary figures included in the prior period financial statements have been reclassified to ensure that the format in which the information is presented is consistent with the format of the current year's financial statements.

1.5 Comparative figures - Appropriation Statement

A comparison between actual amounts and final appropriation per major classification of expenditure is included in the Appropriation Statement.

2. REVENUE

2.1 Appropriated funds

Appropriated funds comprises of departmental allocations as well as direct charges against revenue fund (i.e. statutory appropriation).

Appropriated funds are recognised in the financial records on the date the appropriation becomes effective. Adjustments made in terms of the adjustments budget process are recognised in the financial records on the date the adjustments become effective. The total appropriated funds received during the year are presented in the statement of financial performance.

Unexpended appropriated funds are surrendered to the Provincial Revenue Fund. Any amounts owing to the Provincial Revenue Fund at the end of the financial year are recognised as payable in the statement of financial position.

2.2 Departmental revenue

All departmental revenue is recognised in the statement of financial performance when received and is subsequently paid into the Provincial Revenue Fund, unless stated otherwise.

Any amount owing to the Provincial Revenue Fund is recognised as a payable in the statement of financial position.

No accrual is made for the amount receivable from the last receipt date to the end of the reporting period. These amounts are however disclosed in the disclosure note to the annual financial statements.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

2.3 Direct Exchequer receipts / payments

All direct exchequer receipts are recognised in the statement of financial performance when the cash is received and subsequently paid into the Provincial Revenue Fund, unless otherwise stated.

All direct exchequer payments are recognised in the statement of financial performance when final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year).

Any amount owing to the Provincial Revenue Funds at the end of the financial year is recognised as a payable in the statement of financial position.

2.4 Aid assistance

Aid assistance is recognised as revenue when received

All in-kind aid assistance is disclosed at fair value on the date of receipt in the annexures to the Annual Financial Statements

The cash payments made during the year relating to aid assistance projects are recognised as expenditure in the statement of financial performance when final authorisation for payments is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year) The value of the assistance expensed prior to the receipt of funds is recognised as a receivable in the statement of financial position.

Inappropriately expensed amounts using aid assistance and any unutilised amounts are recognised as payables in the statement of financial position.

All CARA funds received must be recorded as revenue when funds are received. The cash payments made during the year relating to CARA earmarked projects are recognised as expenditure in the statement of financial performance when final authorisation for payments effected on the system (by no later then 31 March of each year)

Inappropriately expensed amounts using CARA funds are recognised as payables in the statement of financial position. Any unutilised amounts are transferred to retained funds as they are not surrendered to the revenue fund.

3. EXPENDITURE

3.1 Compensation of employees

3.1.1 Short-term employee benefits

The cost of short-term employee benefits are expensed in the statement of financial performance when financial authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later then 31 March each year).

Short-tem employee benefits that give rise to a present legal or constructive obligation are disclosed in the disclosure notes to the financial statements. These amounts must not be recognised in the statement of financial performance or position.

Employee cost are capitalised to the cost of a capital project when an employee spends more than 50% of his/her time in the project. These payments form part of expenditure for capital assets in the statement of financial performance.

3.1.2 Post retirement benefits

Employer contributions (i.e. social contributions) are expensed in the statement of financial performance when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March each year).

No provision is made for retirement benefits in the financial statements of the department. Any potential liabilities are disclosed in the financial statements of the National Revenue Funds and not in the financial statements of the employer department.

Social contribution (such as medical benefits) made by the department for certain of its ex-employees are classified as transfers to households in the statement of financial performance.

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3.1.3 Termination benefits

Termination benefits such as severance packages are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance as a transfer (to households) when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year).

3.1.4 Other long-term employee benefits

Other long-term employee benefits (such as capped leave) are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance as a transfer (to households) when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year).

Long-term employee benefits that give rise to a present legal or constructive obligation are disclosed in the disclosure notes to the financial statements.

3.2 Goods and services

Payments made for goods and/or services are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year).

The expense is classified as capital if the goods and/or services were acquired for a capital project or if the total purchase price exceeds the capitalisation threshold (currently R5, 000). All other expenditures are classified as current.

3.3 Interest and rent on land

Interest and rental payments are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year). This item excludes rental for the use of buildings or other fixed structures. If it is not possible to distinguish between payment for the use of land and the fixed structures on it, the whole amount should be recorded under goods and services.

3.4 Financial transactions in assets and liabilities

Debts are written off when identified as irrecoverable. Debts written-off are limited to the amount of savings and/or under-spending of appropriated funds. The write off occurs at year-end or when funds are available. No provision is made for irrecoverable amounts but an estimate is included in the disclosure notes to the financial statements amounts.

All other losses are recognised when authorisation has been granted for the recognition thereof.

3.5 Transfers and subsidies

Transfers and subsidies are recognised as an expense when the final authorisation for payment is effected on the system (by no later than 31 March of each year).

3.6 Unauthorised expenditure

When confirmed unauthorised expenditure is recognised as an asset in the statement of financial position until such time as the expenditure is either approved by the relevant authority, recovered from the responsible person or written off as irrecoverable in the statement of financial performance.

Unauthorised expenditure approved with funding is recognised from the statement of financial position when the unauthorised expenditure is approved and the related funds are received.

Where the amount is approved without funding it is recognised as expenditure in the statement of financial performance on the date of approval.

3.7 Fruitless and wasteful expenditure

Fruitless and wasteful expenditure is recognised as expenditure in the statement of financial performance according to the nature of the payment and not as a separate line item on the face of the statement. If the expenditure is recoverable it is treated as an asset until it is recovered from the responsible person or written off as irrecoverable in the statement of financial performance.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

3.8 Irregular expenditure

Irregular expenditure is recognised as expenditure in the statement of financial performance. If the expenditure is not condoned by the relevant authority it is treated as an asset until it is recovered or written off as irrecoverable.

4. ASSETS

4.1 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are carried in the statement of financial position at cost.

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand, deposits held, other short-term highly liquid investments and bank overdrafts.

4.2 Other financial assets

Other financial assets are carried in the statement of financial position at cost.

4.3 Prepayments and advances

Amounts prepaid or advanced are recognised in the statement of financial position when the payments are made and where the goods and services have not been received by year end.

Prepayments and advances outstanding at the end of the year are carried in the statement of financial position at cost.

4.4 Receivables

Receivables included in the statement of financial position arise from cash payments made that are recoverable from another party or from the sale of goods/rendering of services.

Receivables outstanding at year-end are carried in the statement of financial position at cost plus any accrued interest. Amounts that are potentials irrecoverable are included in the disclosure notes.

4.5 Investments

Capitalised investments are shown at cost in the statement of financial position.

Investments are tested for an impairment loss whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the investment may be impaired. Any impairment loss is included in the disclosure notes.

4.6 Loans

Loans are recognised in the statement of financial position when the cash is paid to the beneficiary. Loans that are outstanding at year-end are carried in the statement of financial position at cost plus accrued interest.

Amounts that are potentially irrecoverable are included in the disclosure notes.

4.7 Inventory

Inventories that qualify for recognition must be initially reflected at cost. Where inventories are acquired at no cost, or for nominal consideration, their cost shall be their fair value at the date of acquisition.

All inventory items at year-end are reflected using the weighted average cost or FIFO cost formula.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

4.8 Capital assets

4.8.1 Movable assets

Initial recognition

A capital asset is recorded on receipt of the item at cost. Cost of an asset is defined as the total cost of acquisition. Where the cost cannot be determined accurately, the movable capital asset is stated at fair value. Where fair value cannot be determined, the capital asset is included in the asset register at R1.

All assets acquired prior to 1 April 2002 are included in the register R1.

Subsequent recognition

Subsequent expenditure of a capital nature is recorded in the statement of financial performance as "expenditure for capital asset" and is capitalised in the asset register of the department on completion of the project. Repairs and maintenance is expensed as current "goods and services" in the statement of financial performance.

4.8.2 Immovable assets

Initial recognition

A capital asset is recorded on receipt of the item at cost. Cost of an asset is defined as the total cost of acquisition. Where the cost cannot be determined accurately, the immovable capital asset is stated at R1 unless the fair value for the asset has been reliably estimated.

Subsequent recognition

Work-in-progress of a capital nature is recorded in the statement of financial performance as "expenditure for capital asset". On completion, the total cost of the project is included in the asset register of the department that legally owns the asset or the provincial/national department of public works.

Repairs and maintenance is expensed as current "goods and services" in the statement of financial performance.

5. LIABILITIES

5.1 Payables

Recognised payables mainly comprise of amounts owing to other governmental entities. These payables are carried at cost in the statement of financial position.

5.2 Contingent liabilities

Contingent liabilities are included in the disclosure notes to the financial statements when it is possible that economic benefits will flow from the department, or when an outflow of economic benefits or service potential is probable but cannot be measured reliably.

5.3 Contingent assets

Contingent assets are included in the disclosure notes to the financial statements when it is possible that an inflow of economic benefits will flow to the entity.

5.4 Commitments

Commitments are not recognised in the statement of financial position as a liability or as expenditure in the statement of financial performance but are included in the disclosure notes.

5.5 Accruals

Accruals are not recognised in the statement of financial position as a liability or as expenditure in the statement of financial performance but are included in the disclosure notes.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

5.6 Employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits that give rise to a present legal or constructive obligation are disclosed in the disclosure notes to the financial statements. These amounts are not recognised in the statement of financial performance or the statement of financial position.

5.7 Lease commitments

Finance lease

Finance leases are not recognised as assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position. Finance lease payments are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance and are apportioned between the capital and interest portions. The finance lease liability is disclosed in the disclosure notes to the financial statements.

Operating lease

Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense in the statement of financial performance. The operating lease commitments are disclosed in the discloser notes to the financial statement.

5.8 Provisions

Provisions are disclosed when there is a present legal or constructive obligation to forfeit economic benefits as a result of ents in the past and it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be requo settle the obligation and a reliable estimate of the obligation can be made.

6. Receivables for departmental revenue

Receivables for departmental revenue are disclosed in the disclosure notes to the annual financial statements.

7. NET ASSETS

7.1 Capitalisation reserve

The capitalisation reserve comprises of financial assets and/or liabilities originating in a prior reporting period but which are recognised in the statement of financial position for the first time in the current reporting period. Amounts are recognised in the capitalisation reserves when identified in the current period and are transferred to the Provincial Revenue Fund when the underlining asset is disposed and the related funds are received.

7.2 Recoverable revenue

Amounts are recognised as recoverable revenue when a payment made in a previous financial year becomes recoverable from a debtor in the current financial year. Amounts are either transferred to the Provincial Revenue Fund when recovered or are transferred to the statement of financial performance when written-off.

8. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Specific information with regards to related party transactions is included in the disclosure notes.

9. KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Compensation paid to key management personnel including their family members where relevant, is included in the disclosure notes.

10. PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

A description of the PPP arrangement, the contract fees and current and capital expenditure relating to the PPP arrangement is included in the disclosure notes.

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1. **ANNUAL APPROPRIATION**

1.1 **Annual Appropriation**

Included are funds appropriated in terms of the Appropriation Act (and the Adjustments Appropriation Act) for National Departments (Voted funds) and Provincial Departments:

	FINAL APPROPRIATION	ACTUAL FUNDS RECEIVED	FUNDS NOT REQUESTED/ NOT RECEIVED	APPROPRIATION RECEIVED 2008/09
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Administration	65,617	65,617	-	68,250
Inter and Intra Governmental Relation	18,391	18,391	-	9,375
Environmental Affairs	126,020	126,020	-	142,630
Economic Development	47,924	47,924	-	28,421
Transversal Functions	83,787	83,787	-	55,100
TOTAL	341,739	341,739	_	303,776
1.2 Conditional grants				

		2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Total grants received	32	30,204	30,000
Provincial grants included in total grants received		30,204	30,000

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2. **DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE**

2.1 Description

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Tax revenue		32,657	32,984
Sales of goods and services other than capital assets	2.2	8,168	15,737
Fines, penalties and forfeits	2.3	20	280
Interest, dividends and rent on land	2.4	300	44
Sales of capital assets	2.5	9,998	7,819
Financial transactions in assets and liabilities	2.6	1,048	440
Total revenue collected		52,191	57,304
Less: Own revenue included in appropriation	15	12,162	10,581
Departmental revenue collected		40,029	46,723
2.2 Sales of goods and services other than capital	l asset		
	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09

NO [*]	TE 2009/1	0 2008/09
	R'00	0 R'000
Sales of goods and services produced by the department	8,15	8 15,737
Sales by market establishment	3	0 -
Administrative fees	80	4 751
Other sales	7,32	4 14,986
Sales of scrap, waste and other used current goods	1	0 -
TOTAL 2	.1 8,16	15,737

2.3 Fines, penalties and forfeits

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Fines		20	280
TOTAL	2.1	20	280

2.4 Interest, dividends and rent on land

Interest		300	44
Total	2.1	300	44

2.5 Sale of capital assets

Tangible capital assets		9,998	7,819
Biological assets		9,998	7,819
TOTAL	2.1	9,998	7,819

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2.6 Financial transactions in assets and liabilities

Other Receipts including Recoverable Revenue	645	240
Total 2.1	1.048	440

3. AID ASSISTANCE

3.1 Aid assistance received in cash from other sources

	2009/10	2008/09
	R'000	R'000
Local		
Opening Balance	-	3
Expenditure	_	(3)
Current	_	(3)
Closing Balance		

3.2 Total assistance

	2009/10	2008/09
	R'000	R'000
Opening Balance	-	3
Expenditure	_	(3)
Current	_	(3)
Closing Balance		

4. COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES

4.1 Salaries and Wages

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Basic salary		72,666	67,993
Performance award		1,801	1,909
Service Based		1,092	154
Compensative/circumstantial		3,075	3,041
Periodic payments		6,081	5,083
Other non-pensionable allowances		16,956	16,216
TOTAL		101,671	94,396

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4.2 Social contributions

Employer contributions			
Pension		9,538	8,933
Medical		6,003	5,165
Bargaining council		37	20
Total		15,578	14,118
Total compensation of employees		117,249	108,514
Average number of employees		572	647
5. GOODS AND SERVICES			
	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Administrative fees		809	470
Advertising		2,333	3,690
Assets less then R5,000	5.1	941	2,141
Bursaries (employees)		936	820
Catering		1,213	1,861
Communication		4,180	5,315
Computer services	5.2	1,681	284
Consultants, contractors and	5.3	19,718	12,804
agency/outsourced services			
Entertainment		29	6
Audit cost – external	5.4	2,850	2,771
Inventory	5.5	6,952	6,000
Operating leases		18,562	5,149
Owned and leasehold property expenditure	5.6	863	1,125
Travel and subsistence	5.7	8,193	17,166
Venues and facilities		874	1,385
Training and staff development		139	144
Other operating expenditure	5.8	1,525	921
TOTAL	_	71,798	62,052
5.1 Assets less than R5,000			
311 7.55CG 1C35 CHAIL 11.5,000	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
	NOTE	R'000	R'000
Tangible assets		941	2,141
Machinery and equipment		941	2,141
Machinery and equipment		771	۷,۱٦۱

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5.2	Computer	COLVICOC
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	mputer services I computer service providers		245 1,436	284
TOTAL		5	1,681	284
5.3	Consultants, contractors and agency/outsour	ced service	s	
Infrastru Legal co Contrac	and support/outsourced services	5	3,738 3,114 608 4,125 8,133	2,917 1,622 400 4,826 3,039
5.4	Audit cost – External		12,7.13	12,001
Regular TOTAL	ity audits	5	2,850 2,850	2,771 2,771
5.5	Inventory			
Fuel, oil Other of Mainter Statione		5	75 532 1,274 2,216 2,798 - 57 6,952	74 628 2,136 1,096 2,011 14 41 6,000
5.6	Owned and leasehold property expenditure			
Propert Other TOTAL	y maintenance and repairs	NOTE 5	2009/10 R'000 - 863 863	2008/09 R'000 342 783 1,125
5.7	Travel and subsistence			
Local Foreign TOTAL		5	7,608 585 8,193	16,668 498 17,166

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5.8	Other	operating	expenditure

J.0	Other operating expenditure			
Resettle	ement costs		_	272
Other			1,525	649
TOTAL		5	1,525	921
6.	FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS IN ASSET	S AND LIABILITIE	S	
	naterial losses written off	6.1	237	8
	vritten off	6.2	1,461	237
TOTAL			1,698	245
6.1	Other material losses written off			
Nature	e of losses			
_	es & losses		237	8
TOTAL		6	237	8
6.2	Debts written off			
		NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
	of debts written off		4 422	4.0
Cellpho	of Contract		1,422 4	12
Employ			3	3
Ex-emp			21	168
Supplier	r/dishonoured cheques		1	47
Telepho			10	1
	ence and Travel			6
TOTAL		6	1,461	237
7.	TRANSFERS AND SUBSIDIES			
		NOTE	2009/10 R'000	2008/09 R'000
Departr	mental agencies ounts	Annex 1A	47,970	40,197
Public c	corporations vate enterprises	Annex 1B	34,700	10,000
Househ	•	Annex 1C	540	88
TOTAL			83,210	50,285

Unspent funds transferred to the above beneficiaries

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8. EXPENDITURE FOR CAPITAL ASSETS

	NOTE	2009/10 R'000	2008/09 R'000
Tangible assets		42,441	65,158
Buildings and other fixed structures	31	39,237	60,984
Machinery and equipment	29	3,204	4,174
Software and other intangible assets Other intangibles	30	45 45	-
TOTAL	<u> </u>	42,486	65,158

8.1 Analysis of funds utilised to acquire capital assets – 2009/10

	VOTED FUNDS	AID ASSIS- TANCE	TOTAL
	R'000	R'000	R'000
Tangible assets	42,441	-	42,441
Buildings and other fixed structures	39,237	-	39,237
Machinery and equipment	3,204	-	3,204
Software and other intangible assets	45		45
Other intangibles	45	-	45
TOTAL	42,486		42,486

8.2 Analysis of funds utilised to acquire capital assets – 2008/09

	VOTED FUNDS	AID ASSIS- TANCE	TOTAL
	R'000	R'000	R'000
Tangible assets	65,158	-	65,158
Buildings and other fixed structures	60,984	-	60,984
Machinery and equipment	4,174	-	4,174
TOTAL	65,158		65,158

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9. UNAUTHORISED EXPENDITURE

9.1 Reconciliation of unauthorised expenditure

Opening balance	NOTE	2009/10 R'000 27,924	2008/09 R'000 17,524
Unauthorised expenditure – discovered in current year	14	-	10,400
Less: Amounts approved by Parlia- ment/Legislature with funding		(5,380)	-
Unauthorised expenditure awaiting authorisation		22,544	27,924
Analysis of awaiting authorisation per economic classification			
Capital		10,400	10,400
Current		12,144	17,524
TOTAL		22,544	27,924

10. FRUITLESS AND WASTEFUL EXPENDITURE

10.1 Reconciliation of fruitless and wasteful expenditure

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Opening balance		-	64
Less: Amounts transferred to receivables for recovery		-	(64)
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure awaiting condonement		_	-

11. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Consolidated Paymaster General Account		452	34
Cash on hand		15	15
TOTAL		467	49

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12. PREPAYMENTS AND ADVANCES

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
Staff advances		-	11
Travel and subsistence		15	
TOTAL		15	11

13. RECEIVABLES

				2	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
		Less than one yearth		Older than hree years		
					Total	Total
	Note					
Claims recoverable	13.1	1,851	-	-	1,851	32
	Annex 3					
Recoverable expenditure	13.2	24	-	-	24	307
Staff debt	13.3	1,649	-	-	1,649	243
Other debtors	13.4	-	-	-	-	1,616
TOTAL		3,524	-	-	3,524	2,198

13.1. Claims recoverable

	NOTE	2009/10 R'000	2008/09 R'000
National departments		23	-
Provincial departments		140	32
Public entities		1,688	-
TOTAL	13	1,851	32

13.2 Recoverable expenditure (disallowance accounts)

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
(Group major categories, but list material items)			
Disallowance Damages and Losses		30	254
Disallowance Miscellaneous		6	53
SAL: ACB		(12)	
TOTAL	13	24	307

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13.3 Staff debt

Closing balance

(Group major categories, but list material items)			
S&T Debt		1	18
Tel/Cell phone debt		27	44
Other (employee debt)		76	117
Ex-employee		214	-
Breach of Contract		176	60
Salary Medical Aid		-	1
Salary Pension fund		-	3
Suppliers		1,155	
TOTAL	13	1,649	243
13.4 Other debtors			
(Group major categories, but list material items)			
Suppliers		-	88
Bursary Debt		-	1,349
Ex-employee			179
TOTAL	13 _		1,616
14. Voted Funds to be Surrendered to the Revenue Fund	d		
Opening balance		27,922	13,694
Transfer from statement of financial performance		25,298	17,522
Add: Unauthorised expenditure for current year	9	-	10,400
Paid during the year		(27,926)	(13,694)

15. DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE TO BE SURRENDERED TO THE REVENUE FUND

NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
	R'000	R'000
Opening balance	1,390	4,313
Transfer from Statement of Financial Performance	40,029	46,723
Own revenue included in appropriation	12,162	10,581
Paid during the year	(52,454)	(60,227)
Closing balance	1,127	1,390

25,294

27,922

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16. NET CASH FLOW AVAILABLE FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Net surplus/(deficit) as per Statement of Financial Performance	65,327	64,242
Add back non cash/cash movements not deemed operating activities	(31,680)	(6,126)
Increase in receivables – current	(1,326)	(230)
Decrease in prepayments and advances	(4)	41
Increase in other current assets	5,380	(10,336)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	(9,998)	(7,819)
Expenditure on capital assets	42,486	65,158
Surrenders to Revenue Fund	(80,380)	(73,921)
Own revenue included in appropriation	12,162	10,581
Other non-cash items	_	10,400
Net cash flow generated by operating activities	33,647	58,116

17. RECONCILIATION OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS FOR CASH FLOW PURPOSES

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Consolidated Paymaster General account		452	34
Cash on hand		15	15
TOTAL		467	49

These amounts are not recognised in the Annual Financial Statements and are disclosed to enhance the usefulness of the Annual Financial Statements.

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DISCLOSURE NOTES

18. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

		NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
Liable to	Nature			
Housing loan guarantees	Employees	Annex 2A	214	255
Claims against the department		Annex 2B	773	11
Other departments (interdepart	mental unconfirmed balances)	Annex 4	3,869	56
TOTAL			4,856	322

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19. COMMITMENTS

Current expenditure			7,486	3,465
Approved and contracted			1,839	3,465
Approved but not yet contracted			5,647	3,103
, ipp. orou but not yet continued			3,5 .7	
Capital expenditure				
Approved and contracted			12,402	35,105
Approved but not yet contracted			_	_
			12,402	35,105
TOTAL COMMITMENTS			19,888	38,570
20. ACCRUALS				
			2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
LISTED BY ECONOMIC CLASSIFICATION				
	30 DAYS	30+ DAYS	TOTAL	TOTAL
Goods and services	1,832	133	1,965	9,026
Interest and rent on land	-	-	-	14,350
Buildings and other fixed	-	11,764	11,764	-
structures				
TOTAL	1,832	11,897	13,729	23,376
		N	2000/40	2000/00
		Note	2009/10	2008/09
127			R'000	R'000
Listed by programme level			667	4.076
Programme 1			30	4,976 267
Programme 2 Programme 3			12,995	16,760
Programme 4			12,993	693
Programme 5			-	680
TOTAL			13,729	23,376
TOTAL			13,723	23,370
		Note	2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
Confirmed balances with other departments		Annex 4	30	2,195
Confirmed balances with other government entities		Annex 4	31	-
Total			61	2,195
21. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS				
		NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
Leave entitlement			3,769	3,661
Service bonus (Thirteenth cheque)			3,103	3,058
Capped leave commitments			6,361	6,874
Total			13,233	13,593

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22. LEASE COMMITMENTS

22.1 Operating leases expenditure

	0.10.100.10			
	LAND	BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
2009/10		STRUCTURES	2.224	2 2 2 4
Not later than 1 year	-	-	3,226	3,226
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	-	-	3,563	3,563
Later than five years	_	-	24	24
Total lease commitments	-	-	6,813	6,813
_				
2000/00	LAND	BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED STRUCTURES	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
2008/09			2.250	2.250
Not later than 1 year Later than 1 year and not later than 5	_	-	2,259 2,977	2,259 2,977
years			2,577	2,777
Later than five years	-	-	216	216
Total lease commitments	-	-	5,452	5,452
22.2 Finance leases expend		DI III DINICE AND OTHER	MACHINEDY AND	TOTAL
	LAND	BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED STRUCTURES	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	IOIAL
2009/10				
Not later than 1 year	-	-	-	-
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	-	-	-	-
Later than five years	-	-	-	
Total lease commitments	-	-	-	-
LESS: finance costs		-	-	
Total present value of lease liabilities		<u>-</u>	-	
	LAND	BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	TOTAL
2008/09		STRUCTURES		
Not later than 1 year	-	-	1,424	1,424
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	-	-	982	982
Later than five years	-	-	-	-
Total lease commitments	-	-	2,406	2,406
LESS: finance costs	-	-	-	-
Total present value of lease liabili-	-	-	2,406	2,406

26,583

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23. RECEIVABLES FOR DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

TOTAL

Tax revenue Other TOTAL	NOTE	2009/10 R'000 2,641 10 2,651	2008/09 R'000 2,545 13,729 16,274
23.1 Analysis of receivables for departmental rev	venue		
	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Opening balance		16,274	-
Less: amounts received		(16,274)	(28,532)
Add: amounts recognised		2,651	44,806
Closing balance	_	2,651	16,274
24. IRREGULAR EXPENDITURE			
24.1 Reconciliation of irregular expenditure			
	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Opening balance		18,828	9,353
Add: Irregular expenditure – relating to prior year		-	-
Add: Irregular expenditure – relating to current year		26,583	9,475
Less: Amounts condoned	_	(18,828)	-
Irregular expenditure awaiting condonation	_	26,583	18,828
Analysis of awaiting condonation per age classification			
Current year		-	9,475
Prior years		_	9,519
TOTAL	_	<u> </u>	18,994
24.2 Details of irregular expenditure – current ye	ear		
INCIDENT		EPS TAKEN/CRIMI- NAL PROCEEDINGS	2009/10 R'000
Proper processes were not followed	The matter is	under investigation	26,433
Overtime paid without approved policy		under investigation	135
Three quotations were not requested		under investigation	15

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24.3 Details of irregular expenditure recoverable (not condoned)

INCIDENT	2009/10
	R'000
Overspending	5,130
Advance MACUFE	3,000
No Tax Clearance Certificates	421
No VAT registration	160
One quotation used	29
Officials not delegated	581
Furniture not delivered	31
Accommodation for MACUFE	218
Phanda Technologies Tender	1,096
No prior approval obtained	165
FIPA Expenditure	6,311
FSLA Expenditure	1,686
TOTAL	18,828

25. FRUITLESS AND WASTEFUL EXPENDITURE

25.1 Reconciliation of fruitless and wasteful expenditure

20.1 Reconcination of fractices and wasteral expendit	ai c		
	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Opening balance		1,214	-
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure – relating to prior year		-	64
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure – relating to current year		114	1,214
Less: Amounts condoned		(359)	-
Less: Amounts transferred to receivables for recovery		(376)	(64)
Fruitless and wasteful expenditure awaiting condonation		593	1,214
Analysis of awaiting condonation per economic classification			
Current		593	-
Capital		-	-
Transfers and subsidies		-	_
TOTAL		593	_

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25.2 Analysis of Current year's fruitless and wasteful expenditure

INCIDENT	DISCIPLINARY STEPS TAKEN/CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS	2009/10
		R'000
Interest payment	The matter is under investigation for the interest that was paid	40
Double payment	The matter is under investigation	74
TOTAL		114

26. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

	REVENUE RECEIVED	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
			R'000	R'000
Tax revenue/ User charges			29,813	30,672
TOTAL			29,813	30,672

27. KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	NO. OF I NDIVIDUALS	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Political office bearers (provide detail below)	1	1,178	1,265
Officials:			
Level 15 to 16	4	2,632	2,249
Level 14 (incl. CFO if at a lower level)	6	3,601	3,613
TOTAL		7,411	7,127

28. PROVISIONS

	NOTE	2009/10	2008/09
		R'000	R'000
Potential irrecoverable debts			
Staff debtors		12	23
TOTAL		12	23
TOTAL		12	23

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29. MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

MOVEMENT IN MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

31 MARCH 2010					
	OPENING BALANCE	CURR YEAR ADJUST-MENTS TO PRIOR YEAR BALANCES	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
HERITAGE ASSETS	-	-	6	-	6
Heritage assets	-	-	6	-	6
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	27,361	1,378	2,675	3,040	28,374
Transport assets	3,087	369	34	788	2,702
Specialised military assets	738	9	14	18	743
Computer equipment	8,364	950	795	347	9,762
Furniture and office equipment	7,330	115	646	932	7,159
Other machinery and equipment	7,842	(65)	1,186	955	8,008
BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	51,205	5,032	27,970	41,066	43,141
Biological assets	51,205	5,032	27,970	41,066	43,141
TOTAL MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	78,566	6,410	30,651	44,106	71,521

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29.1 Additions

ADDITIONS TO MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

31 MARCH 2010	CASH		MENTS)	CURRENT, NOT PAID (PAID CURRENT YEAR, RECEIVED PRIOR YEAR)	TOTAL
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
HERITAGE ASSETS	_	6	-	-	6
Heritage assets	-	6	-	-	6
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	1,703	972	-	_	2,675
Transport assets	-	34	-	-	34
Specialised military assets	-	14	-	-	14
Computer equipment	583	212	-	-	795
Furniture and office equipment	613	33	-	-	646
Other machinery and equipment	507	679	-	-	1,186
BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	-	27,970	-	-	27,970
Biological assets	_	27,970	-	-	27,970
TOTAL ADDITIONS TO MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	1,703	28,948	-	-	30,651

29.2 Disposals

DISPOSALS OF MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

	SOLD FOR CASH	TRANSFER OUT OR DESTROYED OR SCRAPPED	TOTAL DISPOS- ALS	CASH RECEIVED ACTUAL
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
HERITAGE ASSETS		-	-	
Heritage assets	-	-	-	-
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	164	2,876	3,040	2
Transport assets	_	788	788	-
Specialised military assets	18	-	18	-
Computer equipment	63	284	347	1
Furniture and office equipment	28	904	932	1
Other machinery and equipment	55	900	955	-
BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	5,766	35,300	41,066	7,454
Biological assets	5,766	35,300	41,066	7,454
TOTAL DISPOSAL OF MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	5,930	38,176	44,106	7,456

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29.3 Movement for 2008/09

MOVEMENT IN MOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

	OPENING BALANCE	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
HERITAGE ASSETS	-	-	-	-
Heritage assets	-	-	-	-
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	21,789	6,693	1,121	27,361
Transport assets	2,240	944	97	3,087
Specialised military assets	615	123	-	738
Computer equipment	6,544	2,030	210	8,364
Furniture and office equipment	5,824	1,516	10	7,330
Other machinery and equipment	6,566	2,080	804	7,842
BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	57,495	9,140	15,430	51,205
Biological assets	57,495	9,140	15,430	51,205
TOTAL MOVABLE TANGIBLE ASSETS	79,284	15,833	16,551	78,566

29.4 Minor assets

MINOR ASSETS OF THE DEPARTMENT AS AT 31 MARCH 2010

	INTANGIBLE ASSETS	HERITAGE ASSETS	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	TOTAL
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Minor assets	17	29	26,514	39,774	66,334
TOTAL	17	29	26,514	39,774	66,334

	INTANGIBLE	HERITAGE A	ASSETS MAC	CHINERY AND	BIOLOGICAL		TOTAL
	ASSETS		E	QUIPMENT	ASSETS		
Number of R1 minor assets		-	-	-		-	-
Number of minor assets at cost		-	-	654		-	654
TOTAL NUMBER OF MINOR ASSETS		-	-	654			654

MINOR ASSETS OF THE DEPARTMENT AS AT 31 MARCH 2009

	INTANGIBLE	HERITAGE	MACHINERY	BIOLOGICAL	TOTAL
	ASSETS	ASSETS	AND	ASSETS	
			EQUIPMENT		
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
Minor assets	-	6	26,729	23,569	50,304
TOTAL	-	6	26,729	23,569	50,304

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30. INTANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

MOVEMENT IN INTANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

31 MARCH 2010		CURRENT YEAR ADJUST-MENTS TO PRIOR YEAR BALANCES	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
COMPUTER SOFTWARE	-	-	45	-	45
TOTAL INTANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	-	-	45	-	45

30.1 Additions

ADDITIONS TO INTANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

31 MARCH 2010					
	CASH	Ţ	(DEVELOP-MENT WORK IN PROG- RESS – CURRENT	CURRENT YEAR,	TOTAL
			COSTS)	NOTTAID	
			,	(PAID CURRENT YEAR, RECEIVED PRIOR YEAR)	
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
COMPUTER SOFTWARE	45	-	-	-	45
TOTAL ADDITIONS TO INTAN- GIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	45	-	-	-	45

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31. Immovable Tangible Capital Assets

MOVEMENT IN IMMOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

31 MARCH 2010		CURR YEAR ADJUST-MENTS TO PRIOR YEAR BALANCES	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE R'000
	R'000	R'000	R'000	K*000	R'000
BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED STRUCTURES	-	-	-	-	-
Dwellings	(90)	84	-	-	(6)
Non-residential buildings	-	-	-	-	-
Other fixed structures	90	(84)	-	-	6
HERITAGE ASSETS	-	-	_	-	-
Heritage assets	-	6	-	-	6
TOTAL IMMOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	-	6	-	-	6
Movement for 2008/09					

MOVEMENT IN IMMOVABLE TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS PER ASSET REGISTER FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2009

	OPENING BALANCE	ADDITIONS	DISPOSALS	CLOSING BALANCE
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
BUILDINGS AND OTHER FIXED STRUCTURES	6	-	6	-
Dwellings	(90)	-	-	(90)
Non-residential buildings	-	-	-	-
Other fixed structures	96	-	6	90
TOTAL IMMOVABLE TANGIBLE ASSETS				
TOTAL IMMOVABLE TANGIBLE ASSETS	6	-	6	-

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STATEMENT OF CONDITIONAL GRANTS RECEIVED 32.

NAME OF		GRA	GRANT ALLOCATION	NOI			SPENT		2008	5008/09
DEPARTMENT	Division of Revenue Act/ Provincial Grants	Roll	Roll DORA Other Overs Adjustments Adjustments	Other Adjustments	Total Available	Amount received by department	Amount spent by department	% of available funds spent by department	Division of Revenue Act	Division Amount of spent by Revenue department Act
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000
Infrastructure Enhancement grant	30,204	ı	I	ı	30,204	30,204	30,204	100%	30,000	30,000
	30,204	•	1	ı	30,204	30,204	30,204	100%	30,000	30,000

Department are reminded of the requirement to certify that all transfers in terms of this Act were deposited into the primary bank account of the province or, where appropriate, into the CPD account of the province.

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ANNEXURE 1A

STATEMENT OF TRANSFERS TO DEPARTMENTAL AGENCIES AND ACCOUNTS

DEPARTMENT/ AGENCY/		TRANSFER ALLOCATION	LLOCATION		TRANSFER	SFER	2008/09
ACCOUNT	Adjusted Appropriation	Roll	Adjustments	Total Available	Actual	% of Available funds transferred	Appropriation Act
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000
Free State Gambling Board	17,300	ı	1	17,300	17,300	100%	16,200
Free State Tourism Authority	17,387	ı	1	17,387	17,387	100%	16,000
Free State Investment Promotion Agency	7,900	1	•	7,900	7,900	100%	7,400
Free State Liquor Authority	6,500	ı	ı	6,500	5,383	83%	2,500
	49,087	ı		49,087	47,970	1	45,100

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ANNEXURE 1B

STATEMENT OF TRANSFERS/SUBSIDIES TO PUBLIC CORPORATIONS AND PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

NAME OF PUBLIC	TRANSFER ALLOCATION	OCATION			EXPENDITURE				2008/09
CORPORATION/ PRIVATE ENTER- PRISE	Adjusted Appropriation Act	Roll Overs	Adjustments	TotaL Available	Actual Transfer	% of Available funds Transferred	Capital	Current	Appropriation Act
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000	R'000	R'000
Public Corporations Transfers									
Free State Develop- 34,700 ment Corporation	34,700	1	1	34,700	34,700	100%	1	1	10,000
Subsidies	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	34,700			34,700	34,700		1		10,000
Private Enterprises									
Transfers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Subsidies									
Total	1	1	ı	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL	34,700			34,700	34,700				- 10,000

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ANNEXURE 1C

STATEMENT OF TRANSFERS TO HOUSEHOLDS

HOUSE-	TRANSFER ALLOCATION	NOIT			EXPENDITURE		2008/09
НОГР	Adjusted Appropriation Act	Roll Overs	Adjustments	Total Available	Actual Transfer	% of Available funds Transferred	Appropriation Act
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	%	R'000
Transfers							
Households	843			843	540	64%	130
	843			843	540		130
Total	843			843	540		130

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ANNEXURE 1D

STATEMENT OF GIFTS, DONATIONS AND SPONSORSHIPS MADE AND REMMISSIONS, REFUNDS AND PAYMENTS MADE AS AN ACT OF GRACE

	07.000	
NATURE OF GIFT, DONATION OR SPONSORSHIP	2009/10	2008/09
(Group major categories but list material items including name of organisation)	R'000	R'000
Paid in cash		
Dutch Reformed Church Winburg	20	20
Kroonstad Collegians Marathon Club	7	7
Fencing material for Rust and Vrede black farmers	8	ı
Liquor Traders Association	20	I
Letsema La Tsela	100	
Togoto Tourism EXPO	100	I
AHI Conference Support	20	
Subtotal	270	27
Made in kind		
Mojau Innoventagration CC – machinery and equipment	I	7
Demokomlo Traiding - machinery and equipment	I	12
Ntataise Sewing and Knitting Project – machinery and equipment	I	3
Social Welfare Game meat roll out	I	146
Three Sisters Game Lodge	I	52
Thitapoho Farm	I	3
Game to black game farmers (Mr Mompati, Mr J. Muller and Mr I. Nkhooda)	77	I
White Rhino	80	ı
Game 10 Ostriches to Mr Mahlelehlele at Waterval Farm	2	I
10 SMME Exhibitors – 2009 Game Auction free accommodation and exhibit stand	2	I
Subtotal	164	223
TOTAL	434	250

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ANNEXURE 2A

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL GUARANTEES ISSUED AS AT 31 MARCH 2010 - LOCAL

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ANNEXURE 2B

STATEMENT OF CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AS AT 31 MARCH 2010

NATI IBE OF LIABILITY		O TIONII	1 IABII ITIES	I IADII ITIEC	
NAI ORE OF EXPERIT		LIADILITES	LIABILITES	LIABILITIES	
	OPENING	INCURRED PLIBING THE	PAID/CAN-	RECOVERABLE	CLOSING
	BALANCE	YEAR	CELLED/ REDUCED	TAILS HEREUN-	BALANCE
	1 APRIL 2009		DURING THE	DER)	31 MARCH
	R'000	R,000	reak R'000	R,000	K.000
Claims against the department					
Prinsoo Retief – Review Liquor application	1	15	1	1	15
Styn Jacomina Elizabeth – Review of Liquor Application	ı	15	ı	ı	15
Tshabalala Sabata David – Review of Liquor Application		15	1	1	15
Mbatha Makhala Elizabeth – Review of Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Johannes Abram Smith – Summons	1	200	1	1	200
Carse Stephen – Review of Liquor Application	'	15	1	1	15
Thabo Mofutsanyana District – Summons	1	100	1	1	100
SABC – Claim	1	26	1	1	26
Pick n Pay Retailer – Review Liquor Application	1	12	1	1	12
Odendaal G – Claim	1	139	1	1	139
Molebatsi MA – Review Liquor Application	1	14	1	1	14
Gordon AM – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Atkinson JH – Review	1	15	1	1	15
Robgo Trading CC – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Pienaar JW – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Steyn IJ – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Goosen H – Review Liquor Application	1	6	1	1	6
Kotse NE – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Newcolette AM – Review Liquor Application	1	6	1	1	6
Mdi Mtutuzeli Sidney – Review Liquor Application	1	15	1	1	15
Pudumo JS – Review Liquor Application	1	15	ı	1	15

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Majenge FP – Review Liquor Application	Mayekiso JV and Grobler CL – Review Liquor Application	Oamakoane F – Review Liquor Application	Schwarz Waldemar – Review Liquor Application	Rooyen Van Claudius – Review Liquor Application	Subtotal	TOTAL

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	Opening Detai		Movement	
	Liabil	Liability and	during year	Closing
Nature of Liabilities recoverable	Balance	verability		Balance
	1 April 2009			31 March 2010
	R'000		R'000	R'000
		1	1	1
TOTAL	1	1	1	1

ANNEXURE 3

CLAIMS RECOVERABLE

Government Entity	Cor	Confirmed balance	Uncor	Unconfirmed balance		Total
	31/03/2010 R'000	31/03/2009 R'000	31/03/2010 R'000		31/03/2010 R'000	31/03/2009 R'000
Department						
Department of Agriculture	78	1	ı	ı	78	ı
South African Police Services	23	1	1	ı	23	ı
Department of Education	62	1	1	ı	61	ı
Sub-Total	163	1	1	1	162	ı
Other Government Entities						
Free State Investment Promotion	1,688	1	1	ı	1,688	1
Sub-Total	1,688	•	•	•	1,688	•
TOTAL	1,851	•	1	1	1,851	ı

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ANNEXURE 4

INTER-GOVERNMENT PAYABLES

			:	:		
	Confirmed balance outstanding	ice outstanding	Oncor	Unconfirmed balance outstanding		TOTAL
GOVERNMENT ENTITY	31/03/2010	31/03/2009	31/03/2010	31/03/2009	31/03/2010	31/03/2009
	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000	R'000
DEPARTMENTS						
Current						
Premier's Office	1	ı	3,869	ı	3,869	1
Department of Justice	6	ı	ı	ı	6	1
Public Works & Rural Development	21	ı	ı	I	21	ı
Subtotal	30	1	3,869	1	3,899	1
Non-current						
	1	1	1	1	1	1
Subtotal	1	ı	ı	1	1	1
Total	30	1	3,869	1	3,899	1
OTHER GOVERNMENT ENTITY Current						
SITA	31	1	1	1	31	1
Subtotal	31	ı	1	1	31	ı
Subtotal	1	1	1	1	ı	ı
Total	31	1	1	1	31	1

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MANAGEMENT REPORT for the year ended 31 March 2010

MANDATE OR PURPOSE OF THE ENTITY

The trust account was opened on 31 March 1984. The initial balance consisted of a donation made to the Provincial Government. No additional money was invested in the trust, any subsequent increases are the result of accumulated interest. Money was donated for the establishment and development of Provincial nature reserves for the Free State.

Legislative framework or Act within which the entity operates

Nature conservation (Ordinance 8 of 1969).

Future strategic direction

The total balance (capital plus interest) will be used to purchase land for the development of the Xhariep reserve. The proposed Xhariep reserve, a Transfrontier Park involving the Eastern Cape, will ultimately be the largest nature reserve in central South Africa. The amount available (R 516,309.37 on 31 March 2010) is insufficient, as a result the largest portion of the estimated purchase price would be budgeted funds.

Approval

The Annual Financial Statements set out on pages 121 to 126 have been approved by the Accounting Officer.

MMV MONGAKE ACCOUNTING OFFICER

31 MAY 2010

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL for the year ended 31 March 2010

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL TO THE FREE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE NATURE CONSERVATION TRUST FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Introduction

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Nature Conservation Trust Fund, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 March 2010, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, as set out on pages 121 to 126.

Accounting officer's responsibility for the financial statements

The accounting officer is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with South African Statements of Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (SA Statements of GAAP) and in the manner required by the Public Finance Management Act of South Africa, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999) (PFMA). This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor-General's responsibility

As required by section 188 of the Constitution of South Africa, 1996 and section 4 of the Public Audit Act of South Africa, 2004 (Act No. 25 of 2004) (PAA), my responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Nature Conservation Trust Fund as at 31 March 2010, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with SA Statements of GAAP and in the manner required by the PFMA.

REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

In terms of the PAA and General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009, I include below my findings on the report on predetermined objectives, compliance with the PFMA and financial management (internal control).

Findings
Predetermined objectives
No matters to report.

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL for the year ended 31 March 2010

Compliance with laws and regulations

No matters to report.

INTERNAL CONTROL

I considered internal control relevant to my audit of the financial statements and the report on predetermined objectives and compliance with the PFMA, but not for the purposes of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control. The matters reported below are limited to the deficiencies identified during the audit.

No matters to report.

Auditor-General
Bloemfontein
19 July 2010



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ACCOUNTING POLICIES for the year ended 31 March 2010

The financial statements have been, unless otherwise indicated, prepared in accordance with the following policies, which have been applied consistently in all material respects. However, where appropriate and meaningful, additional information has been disclosed to enhance the usefulness of the financial statements. Deviances from the basis of preparation must be clearly stated and if possible the effect of non-compliance should be disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

1. Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the South African Statements of Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (GAAP) including any interpretations of such Statements issued by the Accounting Practices Board, with the prescribed Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practices (GRAP) issued by the Accounting Standards Board replacing the equivalent GAAP Statements. Treasury Regulations 14.3 requires the financial statements to be prepared according to general accepted accounting practice.

2. Revenue

Revenue is the gross inflow of economic benefits for services delivered during the period arising in the course of the ordinary activities of the entity when those inflows result in increases in equity, other than increases relating to contributions from equity participants.

Revenue comprises all interest and dividend revenue received for the period under review.

3. Equity

Equity is the net difference between assets and liabilities. It is represented by Trust Fund Capital Account. The Capital Account represents the net carrying value of assets. As such all decreases or increases with regard to assets, are to be debited or credited to this account, with a contra entry to the relevant asset accounts.

4. Comparative figures

Where necessary, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation in the current year. The comparative figures shown in these financial statements are limited to the figures shown in the previous year's audited financial statements and such other comparative figures reasonable expected to be available.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE for the year ended 31 March 2010

		ENTI	ITY
		2010	2009
		Actual	Actual
	Notes	R'000	R'000
REVENUE		-	
EXPENDITURE		-	
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FROM OPERATIONS		-	
Income from investments	1	36	49
SURPLUS BEFORE TAX		36	49
SURPLUS AFTER TAX FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS		36	49
SURPLUS FROM OPERATIONS			
Net asset holders of the controlling entity		36	49
Surplus for the year		36	49

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION for the year ended 31 March 2010

		ENTIT	Υ
		2010	2009
		Actual	Actual
	Notes	R'000	R'000
ASSETS			
Current assets		516	480
Cash and cash equivalents	3	516	480
TOTAL ASSETS		516	480
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
TOTAL EQUITY		516	480
Accumulated surplus	2	516	480
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	_	516	480

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS for the year ended 31 March 2010

		ENTITY		
		2010	2009	
		Actual	Actual	
	Notes	R'000	R'000	
EQUITY				
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR				
Balance at 1 April as originally stated		-	-	
Net profit for the year		36	49	
Balance at 31 March		36	49	
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS				
Balance at 1 April as originally stated		431	431	
Balance at 31 March		480	480	
TOTAL EQUITY				
Balance at 1 April as originally stated		480	431	
Net profit for the year		36	49	
Balance at 31 March		516	480	

CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

		ENTITY		
		2010	2009	
		Actual	Actual	
	Notes	R'000	R'000	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Interest received	1	36	49	
Net cash inflows from operating activities		36		
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		36	49	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year				
	3	480	431	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year		516	480	

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

	ENTITY	
	2010	2009
	Actual	Actual
	R'000	R'000
1 Income from investments		
Interest income	36	49
- Investments	36	49
2 Capital and reserves		
Surplus for the year		
Balance at 1 April as originally stated	0	0
Balance at 31 March	36	49
Accumulated surplus		
Balance at 1 April as originally stated	480	431
Balance at 31 March	516	480
3 Cash and cash equivalents		
Cash and cash balances with banks	480	431
Total	516	480

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

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ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

REPORT OF THE ACCOUNTING OFFICER

The Free State Liquor Authority was established by the Free State Liquor Authority Act, 2007 (Act No 3 of 2007). The purpose of the Liquor Authority is to reduce socio-economic and other costs of alcohol abuse and to promote development of responsible and sustainable liquor industry. The Liquor Authority is responsible for the registration of micro-manufacturers and retail sellers.

The Liquor Authority considers applications of liquor licences and provides conditions for such licences. It also has enforcements and complaints mechanisms which are used by liquor inspectors to investigate and make recommendations to the Board. The CEO and the Board of the Liquor Authority were appointed in 2008. Some officials from the Department who were responsible for liquor affairs have been seconded to the Liquor Authority to assist. A process to list the Liquor Authority in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 was stopped. A resolution was taken by the Executive Council to merge Free State Gambling and Racing Board with Free State Liquor Authority with effect from the beginning of April 2010.

For the past financial year, the Free State Liquor Authority showed a surplus for the year. It should further be noted that the profits reported are determined in line with South African Generally Recognised Accounting Practice (GRAP).

The Annual Financial Statements set out on pages 132 - 142 have been approved by the Accounting Officer.

Mr D Molotsi Accounting Officer

31 MAY 2010

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR-GENERAL TO THE FREE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE FREE STATE LIQUOR AUTHORITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Introduction

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Free State Liquor Authority, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 March 2010, the statement of financial performance, statement of changes in net assets and cash flow statement for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, as set out on pages 132 to 142.

Accounting authority's responsibility for the financial statements

The accounting authority is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with South African Standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practice (SA Standards of GRAP) and in the manner required by General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009. This responsibility includes designing, implementing and maintaining internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor-General's responsibility

As required by section 188 of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, section 4 of the Public Audit Act of South Africa, 2004 (Act No. 25 of 2004) (PAA) and section 22 of the Free State Liquor Act, 2007 (Act No. 3 of 2007), my responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Free State Liquor Authority as at 31 March 2010, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with SA Standards of GRAP and in the manner required by General Notice 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009.

Emphasis of matters

I draw attention to the matters below. My opinion is not modified in respect of these matters:

Restatement of corresponding figures

As disclosed in note 5.11 to the financial statements, the corresponding figures for 31 March 2009 have been restated as a result of errors discovered during 2010 in the financial statements of the Free State Liquor Authority at, and for the year ended, 31 March 2009.

Fruitless and wasteful expenditure

As disclosed in note 5.12 to the financial statements, fruitless and wasteful expenditure to the amount of R69 791 was incurred during the financial year, as the Free State Liquor Authority paid claims submitted by members of the accounting authority for attendance of board meetings although the meetings did not materialise due to insufficient members being present to form a quorum.

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

In terms of the PAA and General Notice No. 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009, I include below my findings on the report on predetermined objectives, compliance with the Free State Liquor Act and financial management (internal control).

Findings

Predetermined objectives

Non-compliance with regulatory and reporting requirements

No reporting against predetermined objectives, indicators and targets

The entity has not reported performance against predetermined objectives, as required by General Notice No. 1570 of 2009, issued in Government Gazette No. 32758 of 27 November 2009.

Compliance with laws and regulations

No matters to report.

INTERNAL CONTROL

I considered internal control relevant to my audit of the financial statements and the report on predetermined objectives and compliance with the Free State Liquor Act, but not for the purposes of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control. The matters reported below are limited to the deficiencies identified during the audit.

Leadership

The accounting authority did not exercise adequate oversight responsibility over reporting on predetermined objectives and internal control.

Governance

The accounting authority did not take decisive action to establish an internal audit unit, since the Free State Liquor Au thority was in the process of merging with the Free State Gambling and Racing Board. Owing to the lack of an internal audit unit, ongoing monitoring and supervision were not undertaken to enable an assessment of the effectiveness of internal control over performance reporting.

Bloemfontein

30 July 2010



Auditor General

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE for the year ended 31 March 2010

REVENUE Notes R'000 R'000 Transfers and subsidies 5,383 1,713 TOTAL REVENUE 5.1 5,383 1,713 EXPENDITURE Administrativeexpenses 5.2 (2735) (680) Staff costs 5.2 (815) (631) Marketing costs 5.2 (153) (48) Audit fees 5.2 (139) - Gifts, sponsorships and donations 5.2 (101) - Other operating expenses 5.2 (1029) (480) TOTAL EXPENDITURE (4,972) (1,839) SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FROM OPERA-TIONS 411 (126) SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR PERIOD 411 (126) Attributable to: Net asset holders of the controlling entity 411 (126) Surplus/(Deficit) for the year 411 (126)			2010	2009
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EXPENDITURE Administrative expenses	Transfers and subsidies		5,383	1,713
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TIONS SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR PERIOD Attributable to: Net asset holders of the controlling entity 411 (126)	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		(4,972)	(1,839)
Attributable to: Net asset holders of the controlling entity 411 (126)	,		411	(126)
	Attributable to:		411	(126)
	Surplus/(Deficit) for the year		411	(126)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION for the year ended 31 March 2010

		2010	2009
ASSETS	Notes	R'000	R'000
Non-current Assets		285	
Property, plant and equipment	5.3	285	-
Current Assets		-	-
TOTAL ASSETS		285	-
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
LIABILITIES			
Non-current Liabilities		-	-
Current Liabilities		-	126
Trade and other payables	5.4	-	126
TOTAL LIABILITIES		-	126
NET ASSETS		285	(126)
Accumulated surplus/(deficit)		285	(126)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS for the year ended 31 March 2010

TOTAL NET ASSETS AND LIABILITIES	_	285	-
		Accumulated Sur-	Total
		plus/(Deficit) R'000	R'000
At 31 March 2008		-	-
Deficit for the period		(126)	(126)
- correction of prior period error	5.11	(126)	(126)
Surplus for the period		411	411
At 31 March 2010	_	285	285

CASH FLOW STATEMENT for the year ended 31 March 2010

	Notes	2010 R'000	2009 R'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		-	-
Cash receipts from customers Cash paid to suppliers and employees		5,838 (4,972)	1,713 (1,839)
Cash flow generated from Operations	5.5.1	411	(126)
Net cash flow from investing activities		411	(126)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Acquisition of: Property, plant and equipment	5.5.2	(285)	-
Adjustments	5.5.2	(126)	126
Net cash flow from investing activities		(411)	126
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	_	-	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 1 APRIL	_	-	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 31 MARCH	-	-	-

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

The annual financial statements of the Free State Liquor Authority for the year ended 31 March 2010 were authorised for issue by the accounting officer on the 31st of May 2010.

The entity is domiciled in Bloemfontein within the Free State Province, South Africa.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the effective standards of Generally Recognised Accounting Practise (GRAP) including any interpretations of such statements issued by the Accounting Standards Board (ASB).

3.1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of the entity's financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the reporting date. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in the future.

3.2 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICY AND DISCLOSURES

The Minister of Finance issued General Notice 516 of 2008 in Government Gazette no. 31021 of 9 May 2008 which made the following 2 additional standards of GRAP effective for the entity as of 1 April 2009:

Reference	Торіс
GRAP 14	Events After the Reporting Date
GRAP 17	Property, Plant and Equipment

The recognition and measurement principles did not change as a result of the adoption of the additional standards of GRAP.

4. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

4.1 Property, Plant & Equipment

Office Equipment

Equipment is stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment in value. Such costs include the cost of replacing part of such plant and equipment when the cost is incurred if the recognition criteria are met. Office equipment is depreciated over a useful life of 5 years, on a straight-line basis.

Office Furniture

Furniture is stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment in value. Such costs include the cost of replacing part of such plant and equipment when the cost is incurred if the recognition criteria are met. Office furniture is depreciated over a useful life of 3 years, on a straight-line basis.

Computer Equipment

Equipment is stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment in value. Such costs include the cost of replacing part of such plant and equipment when the cost is incurred if the recognition criteria are met. Computer equipment is depreciated over a useful life of 3 years, on a straight-line basis.

The asset's residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year end.

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

4.2 Impairment of Assets

The entity assesses at each reporting date whether there is objective evidence that a (financial) asset/group of (financial) assets may be impaired. If any such indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the entity makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use.

Where the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

4.3 Employment Benefits

Short-term Employee Benefits

Short-term employee benefits that give rise to a present legal or constructive obligation are only recognised if the outflow of economic benefits is probable and the obligation can be reliably measured.

4.4 Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the entity and the revenue can be reliably measured. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received.

4.5 After Reporting Period Events

These are events, both favourable and unfavourable, that occur between the balance sheet date and the date on which the financial statements are authorised for issue.

4.6 Contingent Liability

A contingency is a condition, the ultimate outcome of which (gain or loss) will be confirmed only on the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events.

4.7 Trade Payables

Trade payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

4.8 Financial Instruments

Financial instruments carried on the statement of financial position included payables.

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

		2010 R'000	2009 R'000
5. N	OTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS		
5.1	Revenue	5 ,383	1,713
_	Revenue comprises: Transfer Payment Received	5,383	1,713
5.2	Expenses	(4972)	(1839)
	Administrative Expenses:		
	General Administrative Expenses		
	- Board Meetings	1, 522	501
	- Catering	356	11
	Legal fees	324	-
	Entertainment	24	94
	Stationery and Printing	437	62
	Venues and Facilities	25	12
	Training and development	47	-
	Staff Costs:		
	Wages and Salaries	815	631
	- Basic Salaries	613	031
	Marketing Cost:	153	21
	Advertisement	155	12
	Décor for Campaign	_	15
	Marketing		
	Audit fees:		
	Statutory Audit	139	-
	Gifts, donations and sponsorships paid:	101	-
	Other Operating Expenses:		
	Consultant, Contractors and Special Services	-	200
	Sundry Expenses	13	200
	Recording at Public Hearing	17	29
	Travel and Subsistence	274	104
	Communication Costs	39	136
	Accommodation	428	11
	Clothing	36 80	-
	PEO 2 SHEER	1	-
	Maintenance, repairs and running costs	86	-
	Rental of photocopier and repairs	55	-
	Rental of vehicle		-

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

	2010 R'000	2009 R'000
5.3. Property, plant and equipment		
Plant and equipment Opening net carrying amount	-	-
Assets acquired through a business/entity combination 16 Closing net carrying amount 31 March	16 16	-
Gross carrying amount	16	
Computer equipment Opening net carrying amount	-	
Assets acquired through a business/entity combination	124	
Closing net carrying amount 31 March Gross carrying amount	124 124	
Office furniture and fittings Opening net carrying amount	-	-
Assets acquired through a business/entity combination	145	-
Closing net carrying amount 31 March	145	-
Gross carrying amount	145	-
Total property, plant and equipment		
Opening net carrying amount	-	-
Assets acquired through a business/entity combination	285	-
Closing net carrying amount 31 March	285	-
Gross carrying amount	285	-

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

	2010 R'000	2009 R'000
5.4 Trade and other payables		
Accruals	-	126
5.5 Notes to the Cash Flow Statement		
Cash flows from operating activities Cash receipts from customers Cash payments to suppliers and employees	5,383 (4,972)	1,713 (1,839)
5.5.1 Cash flow generated from operations	411	(126)
Cash flows from investing activities Acquisition of: 5.5.2 Property, plant and equipment 5.5.2 Accruals	(285) 126)	- 126
Net cash flows from investing activities	(411)	126

5.5.3 Acquisition of Property, Plant and Equipment

During the period, the entity acquired property, plant and equipment with an aggregate cost of R 285,000 (2009: RNil).

5.6 Related Parties

The Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs are seen as the only related party to the Free State Liquor Authority. During the financial year the Free State Liquor Authority did not have their own separate bank account therefore the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs made all payments on behalf of the entity. The total amount of expenses paid by the Department of Economic Development, Tourism and Environmental Affairs was transferred to the Free State Liquor Authority. This amount is made up of the grant/funds received.

The following provides the total amount of transactions, which has been entered into with related parties for the related financial year:

5.7 Key Management Personnel

	2010	2009
	R'000	R'000
Remuneration of key management	815	631

The entity did not recognise accrued expenses relating staff costs as a liability at the end of the previous period. Therefore the remuneration of key management is restated.

5.8 Events after the Reporting Period

No significant events came to management's attention, since the balance sheet date that might impact on the financial statements as at 31 March 2010.

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

5.9 Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

Credit Risk

The entity does not trade in any credit terms, all is cash based. Therefore credit risk is very low.

Market Risk

Market risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate with changing market prices whether caused by factors specific to the instrument or to general external market changes. The entity has no financial instruments which are affected by changing market prices.

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk of the entity defaulting on its financial obligations as a result of insufficient funding capacity in relation to such obligations. The entity does not consider this a risk in view of the fact that its assets sufficiently cover its liabilities. The entity also has access to possible assistance from the Provincial Treasury in terms of Treasury Regulation 19.5.

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate with changes in foreign currency. The entity has no financial instruments which are affected by changes in foreign currency, as it has no foreign currency transactions.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk stems from the risk associated with an entity's exposure to changes within the interest rate. The entity does not make use of interest rate derivatives and does not have any interest bearing loans or receivables at that may be impacted by movements within the interest rate.

Sensitivity Analysis

Interest rate risks are presented by way of sensitivity analysis in accordance with IFRS 7. These show the effects of changes in market interest rates on interest income and interest expense. Management feels that due to the fact that market interest rate does not contain any significant risk element for the entity, the performance of a sensitivity analysis is not applicable, and would not reveal any significant information.

5.10 General Risk Management Principles

Financial Liabilities

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined by using valuation techniques.

The entity uses a variety of methods and makes assumptions that are based on market conditions existing at balance sheet date. Quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments are used for long-term debt. Other techniques, such as estimated discounted cash flows, are used to determine fair value for the remaining financial instruments.

The carrying value less impairment provision of trade receivables and payables are assumed to approximate their fair values due to the short-term nature of trade receivables and payables.

NOTES TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 March 2010

5.11 Prior period error

The entity did not recognise certain accrued expenses (staff costs, travelling & subsistence and catering) as a liability at the end of the previous reporting period. Comparative figures have been restated in accordance with GRAP 3. The effect of restatement on 2009 is as follows:

2010

2009

	2009 R'000
Increase in staff costs	101
Increase in travelling and subsistence expense	14
Increase in catering expenses	11
Increase in Trade and other payables	(126)

5.12 Fruitless and Wasteful Expenditure

	R'000	R'000
Opening balance	-	-
Fruitless and Wasteful Expenditure – current year	70	-
Fruitless and Wasteful Expenditure condoned	-	-
Transferred to receivables for recovery	-	-
Closing balance	70	-

Board members submitted claims that were subsequently paid for meetings that did not materialise due to the fact that a quorum could not be formed.

PART FIVE - HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Public Service Regulations

The statistics and information published in this part of the annual report are required in terms of Chapter 1, Part III J.3 of the Public Service Regulations, 2002 and have been prescribed by the Minister for the Public Service and Administration for all departments within the Public Service.

The statistical tables provide high-level information on key human resource issues. The information aims to empower legislatures, the media, the public and other key stakeholders to monitor whether departments:-

Are exercising the powers granted under Public Service and Public Finance legislation in a responsible manner, Are achieving national transformation priorities established by the Cabinet, for example, affirmative action. Annual reports are produced after the end of the financial year. This is aimed at strengthening the accountability of departments to key stakeholders.

The tables in this report are revised on a regular basis by the Department of Public Service and Administration (DPSA). If you wish to see additional information included in this report, please send suggestions (with a clear motivation) to:-

The Director-General

Department of Public Service and Administration ATTENTION: Public Service Information Unit P.O. Box 916, Pretoria, 0001 psiu@dpsa.gov.za fax: (012) 314-7020

To ensure that enough time is available to evaluate and incorporate your suggestions, please ensure that all submissions are submitted on or before 31 August.

For a detailed description and explanation of the terminology used in this section of the report, please consult the publication from the DPSA entitled 'A guide to understanding the oversight report of departmental annual reports'. A copy of the guide is available from all departments or can be accessed from the DPSA website (www.dpsa.gov.za).

5.1 Service Delivery

All departments are required to develop a Service Delivery Improvement (SDI) Plan. The following tables reflect the components of the SDI plan as well as progress made in the implementation of the plans.

Table 1.1 – Main services provided and standards

Main services	Actual customers	Potential customers	Standard of service	Actual achieve- ment against standards
				No monitoring

Table 1.2 – Consultation arrangements with customers

Type of arrangement	Actual Customers	Potential Customers	Actual achievements
Workshops	SMMEs	Entrepreneurs	No monitoring
	Cooperatives		

Table 1.3 – Service delivery access strategy

Actual achievements
3 Offices established.

Table 1.4 – Service information tool

Types of information tool	Actual achievements
Website developed	Updated regularly

Table 1.5 – Complaints mechanism

Complaints Mechanism	Actual achievements
If one wants to complain about service standards not met, he/she can contact the following person in writing, verbally, post or telephonically:	Queries attended to.
Mr. K. Tau	
Director Communication	
Private Bag x 20801	
Bloemfontein	
9300	
Tel: 051) 400 9542/400 9567, Call Centre: 086 110 2185	
Email: ktau@detea.fs.gov.za, or	
Fax: 051 400 9541 during working hours	
(Weekdays between 07:30 and 16:00).	

5.2 Expenditure

Departments budget in terms of clearly defined programmes. The following tables summarise final audited expenditure by programme (Table 2.1) and by salary bands (Table 2.2). In particular, it provides an indication of the amount spent on personnel costs in terms of each of the programmes or salary bands within the department.

TABLE 2.1 – Personnel costs by programme, 2009/10

Programme	Total Expendi- ture (R'000)	Personnel Expendi- ture (R'000)	Training Expendi- ture (R'000)	Professional and Special Services	Personnel cost as a percent of total ex- penditure	Average personnel cost per employee (R'000)
P. 1. Administration	65,263	36,796	116	7,711	56.4%	338
P. 2. Inter and Intra Governmental Relations	12,511	2,947	10	1,561	23.6%	268
P. 3. Environmental Affairs	113,017	48,550	2	2,831	43%	180
P. 4. Economic Affairs	42,979	28,956	11	3,226	67.4%	158
P. 5. Transversal	82,670	-	-	-	-	-
Theft and losses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	316,441	117,249	139	15,329	37.1%	944

TABLE 2.2 – Personnel costs by salary bands, 2009/10

Salary bands	Personnel Expenditure (R'000)	% of total personnel cost	Average personnel cost per employee (R'000)
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	13,935	11.3	106,374
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	16,322	13.2	89,191
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	38,648	31.3	226,012
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	24,644	19.9	404,000
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	14,544	11.8	727,200
Other	-	-	-
Contract (level 3-5)	159	0.1	39,750
Contract (level 6-8)	390	0.3	195,000
Contract (level 9-12)	1,055	0.9	527,500
Contract (level 13-16)	1,929	1.6	643,000
Periodical remuneration	6,195	5	67,337
Total	117,821	95.3	176,115

The following tables provide a summary per programme (Table 2.3) and salary bands (Table 2.4), of expenditure incurred as a result of salaries, overtime, home owners allowance and medical assistance. In each case, the table provides an indication of the percentage of the personnel budget that was used for these items.

TABLE 2.3 – Salaries, Overtime, Home Owners Allowance and Medical Assistance by programme, 2009/10

Programme	Sala	ries	Overtime		Home Owners Allowance		Medical Assistance	
	Amount (R'000)	Salaries as a % of per- sonnel cost	Amount (R'000)	Over- time as a % of person- nel cost	Amount (R'000)	HOA as a % of person- nel cost	Amount (R'000)	Medical Assis- tance as a % of person- nel cost
P. 1. Administration	24,498	66.6	3	0	751	2.1	1,100	3.1
P. 2. Inter and Intra Governmental Relations	3,471	88	0	0	147	2.7	262	4.8
P. 3. Environmental Affairs	30,299	62.4	131	0.3	1,375	2.6	2,630	5
P. 4. Economic Affairs	20,290	70.1	1	0	1,105	3.6	2,007	6.5
Total	78,558	63.6	135	0.1	3,378	2.7	5,999	4.9

TABLE 2.4 – Salaries, Overtime, Home Owners Allowance and Medical Assistance by salary bands, 2009/10

Salary Bands	Sala					Home Owners Allowance				Medical Assistance	
	Amount (R'000)	Salaries as a % of per- sonnel cost	Amount (R'000)	Over- time as a % of person- nel cost	Amount (R'000)	HOA as a % of person- nel cost	Amount (R'000)	Medical Assis- tance as a % of person- nel cost			
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	9,206	65.1	16	0.1	937	6.6	1,312	9.3			
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	10,913	65.5	36	0.2	860	5.2	1,471	8.8			
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	25,631	62.3	70	0.2	897	2.2	2,282	5.5			
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	18,267	68.4	12	-	261	1	712	2.7			
Seniormanagement (Levels 13-16)	11,787	78.5	-	-	299	2	174	1.2			
Contract (level 3-5)	132	83	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Contract (level 6-8)	266	68.2	-	-	6	1.5	39	10			
Contract (level 9-12)	770	71.6	-	-	-	-	8	0.7			
Contract (level 13-16)	1,587	78.1	-	-	118	5.8	-	-			
Periodical remuneration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total	78,559	63.6	134	0.1	3,378	2.7	5,998	4.9			

5.3 Employment and vacancies

The following tables summarise the number of posts on the establishment, the number of employees, the vacancy rate, and whether there are any staff that are additional to the establishment. This information is presented in terms of three key variables: - programme (Table 3.1), salary band (Table 3.2) and critical occupations (Table 3.3). Departments have identified critical occupations that need to be monitored. Table 3.3 provides establishment and vacancy information for the key critical occupations of the department. The vacancy rate reflects the percentage of posts that are not filled.

TABLE 3.1 – Employment and vacancies by programme, 31 March 2010

Programme	Number of posts	Number of posts filled	Vacancy Rate	Number of posts filled additional to the estab- lishment
P. 1. Administration, permanent	198	109	44.95	0
P. 2. Inter & Intra Governance permanent	23	11	52.17	0
P. 3. Environmental Affairs, permanent	553	269	51.36	0
P. 4. Economic Affairs, permanent	422	183	56.63	1
Total	1196	572	52.17	0

TABLE 3.2 – Employment and vacancies by salary bands, 31 March 2010

Salary band	Number of posts	Number of posts filled	Vacancy Rate	Number of posts filled additional to the establishment
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	361	154	57.34	0
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	285	161	43.51	0
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	370.	172	53.51	0
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	150	60	60.00	0
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	25	20	20.00	1
Contract (level 3-5) permanent	1	1	0	0
Contract (level 6-8) permanent	2	2	0	0
Contract (level 9-12) permanent	2	2	0	0
Total	1196	572	52.17	1

TABLE 3.3 – Employment and vacancies by critical occupation, 31 March 2010

Critical Occupations	Number of posts	Number of posts filled	Vacancy rate%
Admin. Related, permanent	20	11	45.0
Agric. Animal forestry & other science, permanent	27	6	77.77
Agric. Related, permanent	46	12	73.91
All artisans in building etc, permanent	46	3	93.48
Auxiliary & related workers, permanent	29	15	48.27
Building & property caretakers, permanent	43	8	81.39
Bus & heavy vehicle drivers, permanent	2	2	0
Cleaners in offices, permanent	9	9	0
Communication & information related , permanent	4	3	25.0
Conservation laborers	379	212	44.06
Finance & economic related	15	10	33.33
Financial & related professionals, permanent	33	14	57.57
Financial clerks & credit controller, permanent	46	17	63.04
Food services aids & waiters	2	0	100
HOD / CEO, permanent	1	1	0
Horticulturists & forestry technicians	5	5	0
Human resources & org. Development & related professions	22	15	31.82
Human resources clerks	18	11	38.89
Human resources related	5	3	40.0
Language practitioners & other communications	10	4	60.0
Librarians & related professionals	1	1	0
Library Mail & related clerks	5	3	40.0
Light vehicle drivers	7	1	85.71
Material-recording & transport clerks, permanent	4	2	50.0
Messengers & deliverers	1	1	0
Natural science related	7	0	100
Nature conservation & related technicians	105	69	34.28
Other admin. & related clerks	148	60	59.46
Other admin. Policy & related officers	6	4	33.33
Other information technology personnel	5	3	40.0
Other occupations	0	0	0
Regulatory inspectors	26	10	61.54
Secretaries & keyboard operating clerks	25	17	32.0
Security guards	4	4	0
Security officers	6	2	66.67
Senior managers	23	19	17.39
Trade / industry advisers & related professions	58	13	77.59
Veterinarians	2	1	50.0
Total	1196	572	52.17

5.4 Job evaluation

The Public Service Regulations, 1999 introduced job evaluation as a way of ensuring that work of equal value is remunerated equally. Within a nationally determined framework, executing authorities may evaluate or re-evaluate any job in his or her organisation. In terms of the Regulations all vacancies on salary levels 9 and higher must be evaluated before they are filled. This was complemented by a decision by the Minister for the Public Service and Administration that all SMS jobs must be evaluated before 31 December 2002.

The following table (Table 4.1) summarises the number of jobs that were evaluated during the year under review. The table also provides statistics on the number of posts that were upgraded or downgraded.

TABLE 4.1 – Job Evaluation, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Salary band	Number of	Number of Number of		Posts U	pgraded Posts downgrade		
	posts	Jobs Evaluated	evaluated by salary bands	Number	% of posts evaluated	Number	% of posts evaluated
Lower skilled (level 1-2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contract (level 6-8)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contract (level 9-12)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senior Management Service Band A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senior Management Service Band B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senior Management Service Band C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senior Management Service Band D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following table provides a summary of the number of employees whose salary positions were upgraded due to their posts being upgraded. The number of employees might differ from the number of posts upgraded since not all employees are automatically absorbed into the new posts and some of the posts upgraded could also be vacant.

TABLE 4.2 – Profile of employees whose salary positions were upgraded due to their posts being upgraded, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Beneficiaries	African	Asian	Coloured	White	Total
FEMALE	0	0	0	0	0
MALE	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
EMPLOYEES WITH A DISABILITY	0	0	0	0	0

The following table summarises the number of cases where remuneration levels exceeded the grade determined by job evaluation. Reasons for the deviation are provided in each case.

TABLE 4.3 – Employees whose salary level exceed the grade determined by job evaluation, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010 (in terms of PSR 1.V.C.3)

Occupation	Number of employees	Job evaluation level	Remuneration level	Reason for deviation
None	0	0	0	0
Total Number of Employees whose salaries exceeded the level determined by job evaluation in 2009/10	0	0	0	0
Percentage of total employment	0	0	0	0

Table 4.4 summarises the beneficiaries of the above in terms of race, gender, and disability.

TABLE 4.4 – Profile of employees whose salary level exceed the grade determined by job evaluation, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010 (in terms of PSR 1.V.C.3)

Beneficiaries	African	Asian	Coloured	White	Total
Female	0	0	0	0	0
Male	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0
Employees with a disability	0	0	0	0	0

5.5 Employment changes

This section provides information on changes in employment over the financial year.

Turnover rates provide an indication of trends in the employment profile of the department. The following tables provide a summary of turnover rates by salary band (Table 5.1) and by critical occupations (Table 5.2). (These "critical occupations" should be the same as those listed in Table 3.3).

TABLE 5.1 – Annual turnover rates by salary band for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Salary Band	Number of employees per band as on 1 April 2009	Appointments and transfers into the department	Terminations and transfers out of the department	Turnover rate
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2) permanent	161	0	8	4.97%
Skilled (Levels 3-5) permanent	165	0	4	2.42%
Highly skilled production(Levels 6-8)	177	0	4	2.26%
Highly skilled supervision(Levels 9-12) permanent	68	1	9	13.04%
Senior Management Service Band A, permanent	12	1	0	0%
Senior Management Service Band B permanent	3	1	0	0%
Senior Management Service Band C permanent	1	1	0	50%
Senior Management Service Band D permanent	1	1	1	50%
Contract (level 3-5, permanent)	1	0	0	0%
Contract (level 6-8, permanent)	2	0	0	0%
Contract (level 9-12, permanent)	2	0	0	0%
Total	593	5	26	4.35%

TABLE 5.2 – Annual turnover rates by critical occupation for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupation:	Number of employees per occupation as on 1 April 2009	Appointments and transfers into the de- partment	Terminations and transfers out of the department	Turnover rate
Admin. Related, permanent	10	1	1	9.09%
Agric. Animal forestry & other science, permanent	8	0	0	0
Agric. Related, permanent	25	0	0	0
All artisans in building etc, permanent	3	0	0	0
Auxiliary & related workers, permanent	22	0	0	0
Building & property caretakers, permanent	8	0	0	0
Bus & heavy vehicle drivers, permanent	3	0	0	0
Cleaners in offices, permanent	14	0	0	0
Communication & information related , permanent	1	0	0	0
Conservation labourers	164	0	12	7.32%
Farm labourers	73	0	5	6.85%

Occupation:	Number of employees per occupation as on 1 April 2009	Appointments and transfers into the department	Terminations and transfers out of the department	Turnover rate
Finance & economics related	10	0	3	30%
Financial & related professionals, permanent	15	0	1	6.66%
Financial clerks & credit controller, permanent	17	0	0	0
Food services aids & waiters	0	0	0	0
Horticulturists & forestry technicians	16	0	0	0
Human resources & org. Development & related professions	10	0	1	10%
Human resources clerks	3	0	0	0
Human resources related	3	0	0	0
Language practitioners & other communications	1	0	0	0
Librarians & related professionals	3	0	0	0
Library Mail & related clerks	2	0	0	0
Light vehicle drivers	2	0	0	0
Messengers & deliverers	2	0	0	0
Natural science related	0	0	0	0
Nature conservation & related technicians	72	0	1	1.38%
Other admin. & related clerks	38	0	0	0
Other admin. Policy & related officers	4	0	0	0
Other information technology personnel	1	0	0	0
Other occupations	1	0	0	0
Regulatory inspectors	7	0	0	0
Secretaries & keyboard operating clerks	17	0	0	0%
Security guards	0	0	0	0%
Security officers	7	0	0	0%
Senior managers	17	4	1	4.76%
Trade / industry advisers & related professions	13	0	1	7.69
Veterinarians	1	0	0	0%
Total	593	5	26	4.35%

Table 5.3 identifies the major reasons why staff left the department.

TABLE 5.3 – Reasons why staff are leaving the department

Termination Type	Number	% of total resignations	% of total employment
Death	4	15.38	0.69
Resignation	8	30.77	1.39
Dismissal	4	15.38	0.69
Transfer	6	23.08	1.04
Retirement	4	15.38	0.69
Total	26	100	4.54
Total number of employees who left as a % of the total employment		100	4.54

TABLE 5.4 – Promotions by critical occupation

Occupation:	Employees as at 1 April 2009	Promotions to another salary level	Salary level promotions as a % of employees by occupation
Admin. Related, permanent	10	0	0
Agric. Animal forestry & other science, permanent	8	0	0
Agric. Related, permanent	25	0	0
All artisans in building etc, permanent	3	0	0
Auxiliary & related workers, permanent	22	0	0
Building & property caretakers, permanent	8	0	0
Bus & heavy vehicle drivers, permanent	3	0	0
Cleaners in offices, permanent	14	0	0
Communication & information related , permanent	1	0	0
Conservation labourers	164	0	0
Farm labourers	73	0	0
Finance & economics related	10	0	0
Financial & related professionals, permanent	15	0	0
Financial clerks & credit controller, permanent	17	0	0
Food services aids & waiters	0	0	0
Horticulturists & forestry technicians	16	0	0
Human resources & org. Development & related professions	10	0	0
Human resources clerks	3	0	0
Human resources related	3	0	0
Language practitioners & other communications	1	0	0
Librarians & related professionals	3	0	0
Library Mail & related clerks	2	0	0
Light vehicle drivers	2	0	0
Messengers & deliverers	2	0	0
Natural science related	0	0	0
Nature conservation & related technicians	72	0	0
Other admin. & related clerks	38	0	0
Other admin. Policy & related officers	4	0	0
Other information technology personnel	1	0	0
Other occupations	1	0	0
Regulatory inspectors	7	0	0
Secretaries & keyboard operating clerks	17	0	0
Security guards	0	0	0
Security officers	7	0	0
Senior managers	17	0	0
Trade / industry advisers & related professions	13	0	0
Veterinarians	1	0	0
Total	593	0	0

TABLE 5.5 – Promotions by salary band

Salary Band	Employment at the beginning of period , April 2009	Promotion to another salary level	Salary level promotions as % of employment
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	161	0	0
Skilled (Levels 3-5), permanent	165	0	0
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8) permanent	177	0	0
Highly skilled supervision (Levels9-12) permanent	68	0	0
Senior management (Levels13-16) permanent	17	0	0
Contract (level 3-5, permanent) permanent	1	0	0
Contract (level 6-8, permanent)	2	0	0
Contract (level 9-12, permanent)	2	0	0
Total	593	0	0

5.6 Employment Equity

The tables in this section are based on the formats prescribed by the Employment Equity Act, 55 of 1998.

TABLE 6.1 – Total number of employees (including employees with disabilities) in each of the following occupational categories as on 31 March 2010

Occupational categories (SASCO)	African Male	African Female	Coloured Male	Coloured Female	Asian Male	Asian Female	White Male	White Female
Legislators, senior officials and managers, permanent	13	5	0	1	0	0	0	1
Professionals, permanent	26	18	1	0	0	0	15	2
Clerks , permanent	56	72	4	2	0	0	36	25
Service and sales workers, permanent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craft and related trades workers, permanent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plant and machine op- erators and assemblers, permanent	26	3	2	0	0	0	1	1
Elementary occupations, permanent	197	55	2	3	0	0	4	1
Total	318	153	9	6	0	0	56	30
Employees with disabilities	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

TABLE 6.2 – Total number of employees (including employees with disabilities) in each of the following occupational bands as on 31 March 2010

Occupational Bands	African Male	African Female	Coloured Male	Coloured Female	Asian Male	Asian Female	White Male	White Female
Top Management, permanent	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Senior Management, permanent	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Professionally qualified and experienced specialists and mid-management, permanent	24	18	1	0	0	0	15	2
Skilled technical and academically qualified workers, junior management, supervisors, foreman and superintendents, permanent	54	71	4	2	0	0	36	25
Semi-skilled and discretionary decision making, permanent	116	17	2	0	0	0	4	2
Unskilled and defined decision making, permanent	107	41	2	3	0	0	1	0
Contract(professionallyqualified), permanent	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contract (skilled technical), permanent	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	318	153	9	6	0	0	56	30

TABLE 6.3 – Recruitment for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational Bands	African Male	African Female	Coloured Male	Coloured Female	Asian Male	Asian Female	White Male	White Female
Senior Management	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Professionally qualified and experienced specialists and mid-management	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled technical and academically qualified workers, junior management, supervisors, foreman and superintendents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Semi-skilled and discretionary decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0

TABLE 6.4 – Promotions for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational Bands	African Male	African Female	Coloured Male	Coloured Female	Asian Male	Asian Female	White Male	White Female
Senior Management	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Professionally qualified and experienced special- ists and mid-manage- ment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled technical and academically qualified workers, junior management, supervisors, foreman and superintendents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Semi-skilled and discretionary decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled and defined decision making	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Employees with disabilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE 6.5 – Terminations for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational Bands	African Male	African Female	Coloured Male	Coloured Female	Asian Male	Asian Female	White Male	White Female
Senior Management	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Professionally qualified and experienced specialists and mid-management	4	2	1	0	0	0	1	1
Skilled technical and academically qualified workers, junior management, supervisors, foreman and superintendents	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Semi-skilled and discretionary decision making	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unskilled and defined decision making	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	15	7	1	0	0	0	2	1

TABLE 6.6 – Disciplinary action for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

		Ma	ale						
	African	Co- loured	Indian	White	African	Co- loured	Indian	White	Total
Disciplinary action	9	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	12

TABLE 6.7 – Skills development for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational categories		Male				Fem	ale		
	African	Coloured	Indian	White	African	Coloured	Indian	White	Total
Legislators, senior officials and managers	3	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	9
Professionals	13	0	0	10	14	0	0	0	37
Technicians and associate professionals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clerks	16	0	0	0	15	0	0	9	40
Service and sales workers	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10
Skilled agriculture and fishery workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craft and related trades workers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elementary occupations	36	1	0	2	50	2	0	2	93
Total	68	1	0	12	94	3	0	11	189
Employees with disabilities	1	0	0	0		0	0	0	1

5.7 Performance rewards

To encourage good performance, the department has granted the following performance rewards during the year under review. The information is presented in terms of race, gender, and disability (Table 6.1), salary bands (table 6.2) and critical occupations (Table 6.3).

TABLE 7.1 – Performance Rewards by race, gender, and disability, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Demographics	Beneficiary Profile				
	Number of beneficiaries	Total number of employ- ees in group	% of total within group		
African, female	133	174	76.43		
African, Male	229	312	73.39		
Coloured, Female	4	5	80		
Coloured, Male	8	10	80		
Total blacks, female	137	179	76.53		
Total blacks, male	237	322	73,60		
White, female	31	31	100		
White, male	56	56	100		
Employees with a disability	3	5	60		
Total	451	593	76,05		

TABLE 7.2 – Performance Rewards by salary bands for personnel below Senior Management Service, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Salary Bands	Beneficiary Profile				
	Number of beneficiaries	Number of employees	% of total within salary bands		
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	162	186	87,09		
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	137	164	83,53		
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	118	158	74,68		
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	34	68	50		
Contract (level 6-8)	0	0	0		
Contract (level 9-12)	0	0	0		
Periodical remuneration	0	0	0		
Total	451	576	78,29		

TABLE 7.3 – Performance Rewards by critical occupations, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Critical Occupations:	Number of beneficiaries	Total employment	% of total employ- ment within occu- pation
Admin. Related, permanent	9	12	75
Agric. Animal forestry & other science, permanent	6	8	75
Agric. Related, permanent	10	12	83,33
All artisans in building etc, permanent	3	3	100
Auxiliary & related workers, permanent	21	23	91,30
Building & property caretakers, permanent	7	9	77,77
Bus & heavy vehicle drivers, permanent	3	3	100
Cleaners in offices, permanent	11	14	78.57
Communication & information related , permanent	1	2	50
Conservation labourers	129	181	71.72
Farm labourers	67	78	85,89
Finance & economics related	8	8	100
Financial & related professionals, permanent	14	15	93,33
Financial clerks & credit controller, permanent	14	17	82,35
Food services aids & waiters	6	6	100
Horticulturists & forestry technicians	12	15	80
Human resources & org. Development & related professions	9	9	100
Human resources clerks	3	3	100
Human resources related	3	3	100
Language practitioners & other communications	1	1	100
Librarians & related professionals	3	3	100
Library Mail & related clerks	2	2	100
Light vehicle drivers	2	2	100
Material-recording and transport clerks	2	2	100
Messengers & deliverers	1	1	100
Natural science related	49	66	74,24
Nature conservation & related technicians	25	37	67,56
Other admin. & related clerks	4	4	100
Other admin. Policy & related officers	1	1	100

Critical Occupations:	Number of beneficiaries	Total employment	% of total employ- ment within occu- pation
Other occupations	3	7	42.85
Regulatory inspectors	13	17	76.47
Secretaries & keyboard operating clerks	3	3	100
Security guards	13	17	76,47
Security officers	9	12	75
Senior managers	6	8	75
Trade / industry advisers & related professions	5	15	33,33
Veterinarians	1	1	100
Total	464	593	78,24

TABLE 7.4 – Performance related rewards (cash bonus), by salary band, for Senior Management Service

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Salary Band	Beneficiary Profile				
	NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES	TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	% OF TOTAL EMPLOYMENT		
Band A	10	12	83,33		
Band B	2	3	66,66		
Band C	1	1	100		
Band D	0	1	0		
Total	13	17	76,47		

5.8 Foreign workers

The tables below summarise the employment of foreign nationals in the department in terms of salary bands and by major occupation. The tables also summarise changes in the total number of foreign workers in each salary band and by each major occupation.

TABLE 8.1 - Foreign Workers, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010, by salary band

Salary Band	1 April	2009	31 Marc	ch 2010	Chai	nge
	Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% change
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE 8.2 – Foreign Worker, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010, by major occupation

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Maior Occupation	1 April	2009	31 Mar	ch 2010	Cha	nge
Major Occupation	Number	% of total	Number	% of total	Number	% change
NONE	0	0	0	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0

5.9 Leave utilization for the period 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

The Public Service Commission identified the need for careful monitoring of sick leave within the public service. The following tables provide an indication of the use of sick leave (Table 9.1) and disability leave (Table 9.2). In both cases, the estimated cost of the leave is also provided.

TABLE 9.1 – Sick leave, 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

Salary Band	Total days	% days with medical certification	Number of Employees using sick leave
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	616	25.56	95
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	917	21.48	113
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	877	20.98	101
Highly skilled supervision (Levels9-12)	271	23.98	41
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	57	14.03	7
Contract (level 6-8)	0	0	0
Contract (level 9-12)	0	0	0
Total	2738	22.35	357

TABLE 9.2 – Incapacity leave (temporary and permanent), 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

Salary Band	Total days taken	% days with medical certification	Number of Employees using incapacity leave
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	125	100	17
Skilled (Levels 3-5)	220	100	12
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	107	100	9
Highly skilled supervision (Levels 9-12)	74	100	3
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	31	100	2
Total	557	100	43

Table 9.3 summarises the utilisation of annual leave. The wage agreement concluded with trade unions in the PSCBC in 2000 requires management of annual leave to prevent high levels of accrued leave being paid at the time of termination of service.

TABLE 9.3 - Annual Leave, 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

Salary Bands	Total days taken	Average per employee	Number of employ- ees who took leave
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	4351	35.09	124
Skilled Levels 3-5)	6432	34.4	187
Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	4331	33.84	128
Highly skilled supervision(Levels 9-12)	3101	30.11	103
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	589	26.77	22
Contract (level 6-8)	0	0	0
Contract (levels 9-12)	0	0	0
Total	18804	33.34	564

TABLE 9.4 - Capped leave, 1 January 2009 to 31 December 2009

Salary Bands	Total days of capped leave taken	Average number of days taken per employee	Average capped leave per employee as at 31 December 2009
Lower skilled (Levels 1-2)	15	4	15
Skilled Levels 3-5)	118	7	39

Highly skilled production (Levels 6-8)	66	4	46
Highly skilled supervision(Levels 9-12)	32	8	40
Senior management (Levels 13-16)	0	0	0
Total	231	6	37

TABLE 9.5 – Leave payouts for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

The following table summarises payments made to employees as a result of leave that was not taken.

REASON	ASON Total Amount Number (R'000) ees		Average payment per employee (R)
Capped leave payouts on termination of service for 2009/10	979	74	13230
Current leave payout on termination of service for 2009/10	55	7	7857
Total	1034	81	12765

5.10 HIV and AIDS and Health Promotion Programmes

TABLE 10.1 – Steps taken to reduce the risk of occupational exposure

Units/categories of employees identified to be at high risk of contracting HIV & related diseases (if any)	Key steps taken to reduce the risk				
None					

TABLE 10.2 – Details of Health Promotion and HIV and AIDS Programmes

Question	Yes	No	Details, if yes
1. Has the department designated a member of the SMS to implement the provisions contained in Part VI E of Chapter 1 of the Public Service Regulations, 2001? If so, provide her/his name and position.	х		Mr M.S. Sani Chief Director: Corporate Services
2. Does the department have a dedicated unit or has it designated specific staff members to promote the health and well being of your employees? If so, indicate the number of employees who are involved in this task and the annual budget that is available for this purpose.	x		EHWP Unit-Two (2) employees R900 000
3. Has the department introduced an Employee Assistance or Health Promotion Programme for your employees? If so, indicate the key elements/ services of this Programme.	х		HIV & AIDS Programme HRA & Screening Disease Management Programme Financial Management and Legal Counselling Executive Medical Assessment

Question	Yes	No	Details, if yes
4. Has the department established (a) committee(s) as contemplated in Part VI E.5 (e) of Chapter 1 of the Public Service Regulations, 2001? If so, please provide the names of the members of the committee and the stakeholder(s) that they represent.	X		EHWP Committee Mr MS Sani Ms TA Molaodi (EHWP) Ms K Mampe (EHWP) Mr R. Mogorosi (Special Programmes) Mr M Letolo (Conservation) Mr M. Mohale (Conservation) MsN.Pikelela(Environmental Coordinating) Ms M. Gunundu (Environmental Impact Management) Ms M. Shuping (HoD's Office) Ms T. Monareng (MEC's Office) Ms N. Nduna (CFO) Mr M. Montsitsi (Security Services) MsN.Keiso-Lesole(Special Programmes) Ms M. Tlailane (Special Programmes) Ms J. Makubalo (Tourism Development) Mr N. Mondi (Eco-Tourism) MsK.Molokoane(Information and Communication Technology) Mr T. Nhlapo (Permit Office) MrM.Malakoane(SupplyChainManagement) MrC.Motampane (institutional Monitoring & Evaluation Ms P. Mothibedi (Liquor) Ms M. Mokone (Internal Audit) Mr M. Mahau (Transport) Ms J. Booysen (Human Resource Management) Mr M. Segopa (Human Resource Development) Mr M. Segopa (Human Resource Development)
5. Has the department reviewed its employment policies and practices to ensure that these do not unfairly discriminate against employees on the basis of their HIV status? If so, list the employment policies/practices so reviewed.	x		Employee Health and Wellness Policy Directives on Recruitment and Selection
6. Has the department introduced measures to protect HIV-positive employees or those perceived to be HIV-positive from discrimination? If so, list the key elements of these measures.	Х		Awareness Campaigns and enhancing confidentiality of HIV positive employees by outsourcing treatment and support
7. Does the department encourage its employees to undergo Voluntary Counselling and Testing? If so, list the results that you have you achieved.	×		VCT Campaign is conducted twice in a year 184 employees participated in the last VCT Campaign
8. Has the department developed measures/indicators to monitor & evaluate the impact of its health promotion programme? If so, list these measures/indicators.	х		Introduction of Absenteeism Management Programme Wellness Climate Survey

5.11 Labour Relations

The following collective agreements were entered into with trade unions within the department.

TABLE 11.1 - Collective agreements, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

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Subject Matter	Date
None	

If there were no agreements, then use the following table

TOTAL COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS NONE

The following table summarises the outcome of disciplinary hearings conducted within the department for the year under review.

TABLE 11.2 – Misconduct and disciplinary hearings finalised, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Outcomes of disciplinary hearings	Number	% of total
Correctional counselling	1	7.1%
Verbal warning	0	0%
Written warning	0	0%
Final written warning	6	42.9%
Suspended without pay	2	14.3%
Fine	0	0%
Demotion	0	0%
Dismissal	3	21.4%
Not guilty	0	0%
Case withdrawn	2	14.3%
Total	14	100%
Disciplinary hearings – 2009/10	14	

TABLE 11.3 – Types of misconduct addressed at disciplinary hearings

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Type of misconduct	Number	% of total
Misuse of government vehicle	1	8.3%
Abscondment	3	25%
Insubordination	2	16.7%
Absenteeism	1	8.3%
Poor work performance	1	8.3%
Driving government vehicle under the influence of alcohol	1	8.3%
Assault	1	8.3%
Unauthorized broadcasting	1	8.3%
Without approval performs work for compensation in a private sector	1	8.3%
Total	12	100%

TABLE 11.4 - Grievances lodged for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

	Number	% of Total
Number of grievances resolved	41	89.1%
Number of grievances not resolved	5	10.9%
Total number of grievances lodged		
Total	46	100%

TABLE 11.5 – Disputes lodged with Councils for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

	Number	% of Total
Number of disputes upheld	0	0%
Number of disputes dismissed	1	14.3%
Total number of disputes lodged	6	85.7%
Total	7	100%

TABLE 11.6 - Strike actions for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

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TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSON WORKING DAYS LOST	None
TOTAL COST (R'000) OF WORKING DAYS LOST	None
AMOUNT (R'000) RECOVERED AS A RESULT OF NO WORK NO PAY	None

TABLE 11.7 – Precautionary suspensions for the period 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

NUMBER OF PEOPLE SUSPENDED	None
NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHOSE SUSPENSION EXCEEDED 30 DAYS	None
AVERAGE NUMBER OF DAYS SUSPENDED	None
COST (R'000) OF SUSPENSIONS	None

5.12 Skills Development

This section highlights the efforts of the department with regard to skills development.

TABLE 12.1 – Training needs identified 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational Categories	Gender	Number of	Training ne	needs identified at start of reporting period			
		employees as at 1 April 2009	Learner- ships	Skills Pro- grammes & other short courses	Other forms of training	Total	
Legislators, senior officials and	Female	7	0	6	0	6	
managers	Male	13	0	19	0	19	
Professionals	Female	20	0	29	0	29	
	Male	42	0	52	0	52	
Technicians and associate professionals	Female	0	0	0	0	0	
	Male	0	0	0	0	0	
Clerks	Female	99	0	5	0	5	
	Male	96	0	2	0	2	
Service and sales workers	Female	0	0	0	0	0	
	Male	0	0	0	0	0	
Skilled agriculture and fishery work-	Female	0	0	0	0	0	
ers	Male	0	0	0	0	0	

Occupational Categories	Gender	Number of employees as at 1 April 2009	Training needs identified at start of reporting period			
			Learner- ships	Skills Pro- grammes & other short courses	Other forms of training	Total
Craft and related trades workers	Female	0	0	0	0	0
	Male	0	0	0	0	0
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	Female	4	0	0	0	0
	Male	29	0	0	0	0
Elementary occupations	Female	59	0	29	11	40
	Male	203	0	4	12	16
Sub Total	Female	189	0	69	11	80
	Male	383	0	77	12	89
Total		572	0	146	23	169

TABLE 12.2 – Training provided 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Occupational Categories	Gender	Number of	Training provided within the reporting period			
	as at 1 Ap	employees as at 1 April 2009	Learnerships	Skills Pro- grammes & other short courses	Other forms of training	Total
Legislators, senior officials and	Female	7	0	6	0	6
managers	Male	13	0	3	0	3
Professionals	Female	20	0	14	0	14
	Male	42	0	23	0	23
Technicians and associate profes-	Female	0	0	0	0	0
sionals	Male	0	0	0	0	0
Clerks	Female	99	0	24	0	24
	Male	96	0	16	0	16
Service and sales workers	Female	0	0	10	0	10
	Male	0	0	0	0	0
Skilled agriculture and fishery work-	Female	0	0	0	0	0
ers	Male	0	0	0	0	0
Craft and related trades workers	Female	0	0	0	0	0
	Male	0	0	0	0	0
Plant and machine operators and	Female	4	0	0	0	0
assemblers	Male	29	0	0	0	0
Elementary occupations	Female	59	0	49	5	54
	Male	203	0	37	2	39
Sub Total	Female	189	0	103	5	108
	Male	383	0	79	2	81
Total		572	0	182	7	189

5.13 Injury on duty

The following tables provide basic information on injury on duty.

TABLE 13.1 – Injury on duty, 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010

Nature of injury on duty	Number	% of total
Required basic medical attention only	7	1.22%
Temporary Total Disablement	0	0
Permanent Disablement	0	0
Fatal	0	0
Total	7	1.22%

5.14 Utilisation of consultants

Table 14.1 – Report on consultant appointments using appropriated funds

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Project Title	Total number of consultants that worked on the project	Duration: Work days	Contract value in Rand
Development of a District Integrated Waste Management Plan	6	12 months	R1 094 374.52
Preparation of a business case for the merger of public entities	6	2 Months	R984 960.00
Compilation of a Provincial Vegetation and Land Cover Map	7	12 Months	R2 313 672.00
Total number of projects	Total individual consultants	Total duration: Work days	Total contract value in Rand
3	19	36 Months	R4 393 006.52

Table 14.2 – Analysis of consultant appointments using appropriated funds, in terms of Historically Disadvantaged Individuals (HDIs)

Project Title	Percentage owner- ship by HDI groups	Percentage manage- ment by HDI groups	Number of Consultants from HDI groups that work on the project
Development of a District Integrated Waste Management Plan	100%	100%	6
Preparation of a business case for the merger of public entities	26%	26%	3
Compilation of a Provincial Vegetation and Land Cover Map	0%	0%	4

Table 14.3 – Report on consultant appointments using Donor funds

Project Title	Total Number of consultants that worked on the project	Duration: Work days	Donor and Contract value in Rand
Development of a District Integrated Waste Management Plan (3	21	12 months	Development Bank of South Africa (DBSA)
Districts)			R1 042 290.60
TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS	TOTAL INDIVIDUAL CONSUL- TANTS	TOTAL DURATION: WORK DAYS	TOTAL CONTRACT VALUE IN RAND
One	21		R1 042 290.60

Table 14.4 – Analysis of consultant appointments using Donor funds, in terms of Historically Disadvantaged Individuals (HDIs)

Project Title	Percentage owner- ship by HDI groups	Percentage management by HDI groups	Number of Consultants from HDI groups that work on the project
Development of a District Integrated Waste Management Plan (3 Districts)	100%	100%	14