

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
QUESTION FOR WRITTEN REPLY
DUE DATE: TUESDAY, 19 MAY 2026

“2719. Ms L M Ngobeni (ActionSA) to ask the Minister of Small Business Development:

- (1) Whether she and/or her deputy has received and/or facilitated any gifts, donations or use in kind any vehicles; if not, what is the position in each case; if so, what are the relevant details in each case;**
- (2) whether the specified vehicles were intended for (a) her personal use, (b) official departmental use and/or (c) any other purpose; if not, what is the position in each case; if so, what steps were followed to regularise the vehicles including getting them duly (i) recorded in the official register of assets and (ii) declared and added into the Register of Members' Interests;**
- (3) whether she has found that facilitating gifts, donations or use in kind for any vehicles, undermines Parliament's Code of Ethical Conduct and Disclosure of Members' Interests; if not, what is the position in this regard; if so, what are the relevant details?” NW2801E**

REPLY:

In my capacity as the Minister for Small Business Development, I utilised the Dongfeng White Electric Car provided by Dongfeng Motor Corporation for official use from October 2025 – November 2025. This was as part of the StartUp 20 Summit Campaign that took place in November 2025. The financial value of using the car during the period is estimated at R41 000.