



Alan Winde

De Lille wants to speed up state land release

Newly appointed public works and infrastructure minister Patricia de Lille says one of her main priorities will be to expedite the release of state-owned land for housing. The state has a property portfolio of more than 93,000 buildings and more than 1.9-million hectares of land under the custodianship of the public works department. Western Cape premier Alan Winde said he was looking forward to discussions with De Lille on transferring the large tracts of land for housing. /Page 3