

## MEDIA STATEMENT

15<sup>th</sup> February 2017

## RE: Inter-Ministerial Team meeting on Vuwani

The Inter-Ministerial task team responsible for stabilisation Programme in Vuwani met on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2017 at Makhado Municipality. The meeting was attended by amongst others, the Senior Traditional Leaders from Vuwani, the representative of the VhaVenda Kingdom, the Pro Makhado Task Team, the Inter-Ministerial Task Team lead by MEC Makoma Makhurupetja and the Pastors Forum. The following decisions were taken:

## **Submission to the Municipal Demarcation Board:**

 That the stakeholders in Vuwani will sign off their submissions to the Municipal Demarcation Board, today 15<sup>th</sup> February 2017. Then we will wait for response from the Board.

## The suspension of services by Lim345:

- That the Provincial Government can't be a signatory to the disruptions of Services in Lim 345, and
  as a results offices keys have been handed to the Municipality (Lim345) whom after security
  assessment will take a decision on either keeping the offices closed or opening them for service
  delivery.
- The meeting also resolved on the implementation of Section 78 which deals with a feasibility study
  to determine whether Lim345 Municipality have the capacity and the capabilities to render services
  in the Vuwani area. This was informed by the rejection of the new Municipality (Lim 345) by
  stakeholders in Vuwani.

We call upon the people of Vuwani to remain calm and supportive of the process.

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