

Media Statement
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MEC BOSHIELO SADDENED BY DEATH OF EDUCATORS

The Limpopo Education MEC Polly Boshielo has expressed her sadness following the death of two educators in a car accident yesterday morning. The educators, from Leboeng Primary School in Sekhukhune East, Drankensberg Circuit, met their untimely death on their way to work from their respective places.

Preliminary information is that two vehicles were involved in a collision due to dense fog which contributed to poor visibility. Four educators were travelling together in one vehicle, two of which lost their lives after this accident.

MEC Polly Boshielo said: "We would like to convey our deepest condolences to the families of our educators and the entire school community during this difficult time of grief. We value our educators so much that it is difficult to find words that can take away the pain. May they find comfort in knowing that we share their pain. It is a great loss to the sector"

The Department has accordingly dispatched the psycho social team to commence with the trauma counselling of learners, educators, support staff and the bereaved families.

May their souls rest in peace!

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