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Message of condolences to bus accident victims

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Limpopo Premier Chupu Mathabatha has noted with concern and regret the passing on of about 10 people in yet another bus accident early this morning near Polokwane.

This comes after 11 people en-route from Zambia to Johannesburg passed on in a bus accident again, near Polokwane earlier this week, making the total number of bus accident victims to nearly 21 in one week.

The Premier, on behalf of his executive and the people of Limpopo sends his heartfelt condolences to the victims and their next of kin.

He however commended the emergency services, police and traffic officials for assisting the victims and the survivors in this tragic incidences.

The Premier is again calling on drivers, taxi and bus operators to assist in preserving the lives of their passengers on the road. He calls on safety checks and fit for the road drivers and vehicles.

“ As we approach festive seasons, we will tighten up law enforcement and be merciless against transgressors”, he said.

May the souls of the deceased rest in peace.

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