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Premier Dr Ramathuba places Limpopo on national agenda

The Premier of Limpopo, Dr Phophi Ramathuba, has responded to President Matamela Ramaphosa's Opening of Parliament Address on 18 July 2024, expressing her support for the path charted by the President for the growth of the country.

In her response in the National Assembly on 19 July 2024, Dr Ramathuba highlighted the achievements of the Limpopo government since 1994, including significant progress in providing essential services such as electricity, water, sanitation, and roads to residents.

"We are committed to accelerating industrialisation to fight unemployment by focusing on water and road infrastructure development, youth empowerment, and economic transformation through mining beneficiation, agro-processing, and renewable energy initiatives," said Premier Dr Ramathuba.

Dr Ramathuba also highlighted the province's efforts to boost tourism and create employment opportunities by harnessing the potential of tourism and niche markets.

Youth development is a key priority for the province, with Dr Ramathuba emphasising the importance of re-skilling young people to meet the demands of an industrialised economy. The province has adopted a provincial human capital strategy and has developed partnerships with institutions of higher learning and various SETAs to support skills development programs.

In conclusion, Dr Ramathuba expressed her commitment to good governance, transparency, and accountability, and reiterated the province's determination to overcome challenges and achieve a prosperous and sustainable future for Limpopo.

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