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MEC MATHYE HAILS THE SUCCESSFUL LAW ENFORCEMENT OPERATION

Limpopo MEC for Transport and Community Safety, Manana Susani Violet Mathye, has commended the successful operation conducted in Baphalaborwa Municipality, Mopani District. Following complaints from parents and children about illegal scholar transport activities, a high-level team was assembled to address the issue.

The team, comprising municipal traffic officers, point duty officers, provincial inspectors, and provincial office representatives, set up law enforcement roadblocks in strategic locations. As a result, 536 cars were stopped and searched, yielding 52 summons, and four buses and seven minibus taxis were impounded due to lack of required documents and roadworthiness. Seven discontinuance notices were issued due to the severity of the transgressions.

MEC Mathye praised the parents and learners who reported the issue directly to her office. She assured Limpopo residents that traffic officers will strictly enforce regulations against drivers transporting scholars and passengers without proper documentation. Further law enforcement roadblocks are planned.

"As I stated during the October Transport Month launch in Mookgopong, our traffic officers will leave no stone unturned until all culprits are brought to book."

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