

### **MEDIA ALERT**

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### **KWANABUCO SADDENED BY RECENT SPADE OF ACCIDENTS IN THE KZN PROVINCE**

The KwaZulu Natal Bus Council (**KWANABUCO**) through its chairperson Mr. Alfred Zondi has expressed their shock and sadness caused by accidents that claimed more than thirty lives in four separate accidents in the province of KwaZulu-Natal in one day.

Mr. Zondi highlighted the plight of people being ignorant to obeying the rules of the road as a serious challenge. In expressing his sadness Mr. Zondi indicated that people should change their attitudes on the roads and be more tolerable towards each other. He further acknowledged the efforts put together by the Department of Transport to ensure that roads are safe at all times but highlighted that it could only work if it's a joint effort from all members of the public.

**"I wish to express my heartfelt condolences to the families and friends of those who lost their lives in the horrific accidents that took place on Monday (03/03/08). As KWANABUCO we have lost valuable customers, the nation has lost its people by mere incidences that could have been avoided. From a public transport point of view, KWANABUCO would also like to encourage all public transport operators to be cautious on the road and always ensure that their vehicles are roadworthy as they ferry people who put bread on their table, said Zondi".**

**ENDS.**

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