

MEDIA ALERT

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ATTENTION : NEWS EDITORS/REPORTERS AND PR WIRE

FOUR SUSPECTS SHOT DEAD IN GREYTOWN

Four suspects were gunned down by police in Kranskop today. They were on the run and opened fire on the police after robbing a Chinese engineering shop in Greytown. An undisclosed amount of money and three firearms were recovered at the scene of the shooting. A case of armed robbery has been opened as well as an inquest.

'We commend the police on their swift response in dealing with criminals. This should serve as a stern warning to all those contemplating breaking the law. Our police officers have been deployed throughout the province to deal with all criminal elements. The safety of our people will not be compromised,' said Acting MEC for Transport and Community Safety and Liaison KZN, Dr. Sibongiseni Dhlomo.

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