

## MEDIA ALERT

## TO: ALL MEDIADATE: 12 January 2012ATTENTION: NEWS EDITORS/REPORTERS AND PR WIRE

## ACTING MEC MCHUNU COMMENDS SWIFT REACTION BY POLICE IN APPREHENDING PRIEST KILLERS

Acting MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr. Senzo Mchunu, has commended the swift reaction by the police for successfully apprehending the suspects for the murder of 35 year-old Roman Catholic priest Father Senzo Mbokazi.

Unknown men, who stabbed him to death at his home in Melmoth, murdered Mbokazi late last year.

Yesterday (11 January 2012) investigations led police to KwaNongoma where they found the suspects, one of whom was wearing Mbokazi's shoes and clothes.

The suspects are expected to appear at the Melmoth Magistrate court tomorrow (13 January 2012).

MEC commended the thorough investigations done by the police that led to the successful arrest of the suspects.

"I would like to commend the police for the thorough investigation that led to the arrest of the suspects. This shows that our police are capable and competent. This is a clear indication that criminals have no place in our society. We are encouraging other communities to follow suit and unite to work with the police and report criminals," said Mchunu.

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