



PROVINCE OF KWAZULU-NATAL
ISIFUNDAZWE SAKWAZULU-NATALI

DATE: 05 September 2013

**MASS FUNERAL FOR TEN BUS ACCIDENT VICTIMS TO BE
HELD AT UMZUMBE**

THE Provincial Government of KwaZulu-Natal led by Acting Premier, Senzo Mchunu together with the Zulu Royal Family will hold a mass funeral for ten people who died returning from the Annual Reed Dance (uMkhosi Womhlanga) last Sunday.

The mass funeral will take place in Umzumbe, under the Ugu District Municipality on Saturday, 07 September 2013.

The ten people died when the bus driver lost control and overturned on the R66 near eShowe. Preliminary investigations have found that the bus had been speeding and that it had faulty brakes.

The ten who died includes eight young girls and two elderly women who were guardians of the girls who had participated at this year's reed dance.

The funeral will be addressed by the Acting Premier Senzo Mchunu, Deputy Minister of Transport, Ms Sindy Chikunga, MEC's and representatives from the Zulu-Royal Family.

Various political role players are expected to attend to mourn with the bereaved families.

Details are as follows:

Date : 07 September 2013
Time : 10h00 am
Venue : Sangweni Sports Ground (KwaHlongwa area at Mzumbe)

Here are the Names of the deceased:

- Nondumiso Gumede
- Noxolo Mnguni
- Nolwandle Duma
- Messie Msani
- Nokwanda Khawula
- Hlengiwe Duma
- Buyisile Mbutho
- Phindile Ntshinga
- Gugu Mtheshane
- Nomusa Myende

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