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MCHUNU RALLYS BEHIND DRIVING SCHOOLS AS THEY TAKE A STEP TOWARDS FIGHTING ROAD CARNAGES

KZN MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr. Willies Mchunu, will address the first conference of the newly formed South African Driving School Operators Association in the Durban Botanical Gardens tomorrow (21 June 2013).

After numerous consultations with different stakeholders regarding the irregularities that are apparent in the driving school industry there was a need to formalize so as to create a uniform approach for all operators.

This initiative was also prompted by the resolutions taken at the Road Safety Summit which was held in 2011. The Summit resolved that there was a fundamental need to regulate and standardize the transportation industry, in particular the learner driving industry.

Tomorrow Mchunu will touch on the importance of driving schools working towards curbing road fatalities by producing good drivers.

Details of the conference are:

Date: 21 June 2013
Time: 09h00
Venue: Durban Botanical Gardens

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