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ATTENTION: Editors, News Editors & PR Wires

MEC MCHUNU TO HONOUR TRAFFIC OFFICERS FOR SERVICE EXCELLENCE

The KZN Department of Transport will hold the first inaugural Road Traffic Inspectorate (RTI) awards on Tuesday, 31 March 2015.

The awards, which are an initiative of MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison Willies Mchunu, aim to celebrate and promote service excellence among our traffic officers.

Through these awards the department wants to improve road safety and to motivate our men and women in uniform to improve their performance in road traffic management.

The awards will also seek to regenerate high moralistic standards and values among our traffic officers and motivate them to reignite their passion and love of serving our people.

MEC Mchunu will give a keynote address. Among key categories to be recognised is the traffic officer of the year, best RTI station and region, and bravery award for the most courageous officer.

MEC Mchunu will also use these awards to launch the Easter road safety campaign ahead of the Easter long weekend that will see high traffic volumes on our roads.

Details for the RTI awards

Date: 31 March 2015

Time: 11h00

Venue: Durban Exhibition Centre

Ends.

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