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### MEDIA ADVISORY

TO: ALL MEDIA  
DATE: Thursday, 10 March 2016  
ATTENTION: Editors, News Editors & PR Wires

### **MEC MCHUNU TO HOST A PLANNED ROAD SAFETY STRATEGY PUBLIC CONSULTATION SESSION TO CURB ROAD DEATHS**

The KwaZulu-Natal MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr. Willies Mchunu, together with The Road Traffic Management Corporation (RTMC), will host the Road Safety Strategy provincial consultation session tomorrow, Friday, 11 March 2016, which seeks to finalise South Africa's response to the road carnage.

The series of stakeholder meetings which has kicked off countrywide will collate inputs from all stakeholders towards tightening the new South Africa's Road Safety Strategy 2016-20 and beyond. These sessions will also mobilise stakeholders to improve the country's road safety record ahead of the Easter weekend where the country usually experiences a higher number of road crashes and fatalities.

Stakeholders include MECs, mayors, the Labour movement, the Premier's Office, Departments of Transport, Health, Education, transport portfolio organisations, the private sector, SAPS, the traffic police, Non-Governmental Organisations, and the Interfaith, amongst others.

The details of the event are as follows:

**DATE:** Friday, 11 March 2016  
**VENUE:** The Royal Show Grounds (Pietermaritzburg)  
**TIME:** 09H00

All members of the media are invited to this event.

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