

## transport

Department: Transport **Province of KwaZulu-Natal** 

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## MEC MOURNS THE LOSS OF SEVEN VICTIMS KILLED IN A MINIBUS TAXI CRASH WITH FAMILIES

MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Bheki Ntuli will be part of the memorial service tomorrow of the seven victims of a horrific crash on the R102 in Umhlali outside Stanger on 03 January 2020.

It is believed that the driver of a minibus taxi lost control of the vehicle and rolled down an embankment. Seven people died at the scene and 15 injured survivors were taken to various hospitals to receive medical care.

Ntuli is expected to be accompanied by local leadership and interfaith religious leaders.

The Department of Transport together with the Road Accident Fund will also assist the bereaved families with the necessary burial arrangements and the Department of Social Development has been providing psychological assistance.

The details of the memorial service are as follows:

## VENUE: Melville Sports Field, KwaDukuza DATE: Thursday, 09 January 2020 TIME: 10h00

Members of the media are invited to attend.

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