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KZN DOT SATISFIED WITH FIRST RECRUITMENT PHASE OF 200 ROAD TRAFFIC INSPECTORATE TRAINES

As part of government's efforts to create jobs for the youth, the Kwazulu-Natal Department of Transport is satisfied with the first phase of the recruitment of 200 Road Traffic Trainees.

Yesterday, the Department conducted assessments on more than 7000 prospective applicants who came from all corners of the province.

At the Olive Convention Centre in Durban, more than 3500 applicants were processed whilst another 3500 participated in this selection process at KwaCaluza Community Hall in Pietermaritzburg.

The mass job creation campaign is part of the commitments and interventions by the Provincial Government in reducing levels of unemployment and driving skills development.

This will also improve the capacity of the law enforcement agencies and ensure visibility on the road.

The acting MEC for Transport, Mr Sboniso Duma conducted oversight visits in some of the centres and voiced out his satisfaction on the credibility of the recruitment process.

"The unprecedented interest by young people proves the correctness of our bold plans to invest in massive job creation. We're also encouraged by the fact that the Department ran a very clear selection process. Equally, the Department has learnt lessons from the painful past experiences when it comes to recruitments of this nature. The 200 cohort of new RTI trainees will assist in building the capacity of the Department to fight lawlessness on the road" said Duma.

Those who equally compete for the next phase will be duly informed.

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