Motor vehicle registration and licensing service to be launched today – 120 brand new houses have also been built and will be handed over in rural areas of Big Five Hlabisa Local Municipality: Duma is crisscrossing KZN and ensuring that rural areas are not left behind. This is part of infrastructure revolution - #NenzaniLaEzweni

Media Invite and statement by the MEC for Transport and Human Settlements, Siboniso Duma

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Inkosi Mhlabunzima Maphumulo House: Our acceleration of the infrastructure revolution forms part of our determination to bring our services closer to the people of KwaZulu-Natal, especially in deep rural areas.

As empowered by the National Road Traffic Act 93 of 1996 (NRTA), we appointed Big 5 Hlabisa Local Municipality as an agent of the Department to render the motor vehicle registration and licensing services for communities.

Today we will officially launch their new offices to be used as Driving License and Testing Centre.

The facility will also operate driving licence testing centre Grade B and E functions.

The vehicle population of Hluhluwe is approximately 29 420.

This means that local communities will no longer have to travel 160 kilometres, a return trip, to Mtubatuba and/or Mbazwana to accesses the motor vehicle registration and licensing services.

Critically, the Mbuyazi family from Ward 03 will receive keys to their brand-new house. This is one of the 120 houses we have built for the needy community members.

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