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MEDIA ADVISORY

Minister Sisulu to visit East London and Clarkebury

05 September 2019

The Minister of Human Settlements, Water and Sanitation, Ms. Lindiwe Sisulu, accompanied by the Deputy Ministers Pamela Tshwete and David Mahlobo, will host a stakeholder interactive session involving the Water Service Authorities and Municipalities of the Eastern Cape in East London, on the 06 September 2019. The Session will be focusing holistically on the challenges besetting water and sanitation delivery in the province.

Later Minister will be hosted by the Eastern Cape Business fraternity at a gala dinner.

On Saturday 07th September, Minister Sisulu will visit Clarkebury Mission, in eNgcobo to look into providing urgent solutions to the water challenges affecting the area. Minister will get a briefing on the long-term solution to the problem from the Water Service Authorities such as Municipalities, Department of Water and Sanitation and Amatola Water Board on Saturday, 07 September 2019.

The Minister will also pay a courtesy visit to King Buyelekhaya Dalindyebo at his homestead in Bubambane Great Place in Mthatha on Saturday before addressing the community of Clarkebury.

In her visit to Clarkebury, the Minister will be accompanied by her Deputy Ministers together with Chris Hani District Executive Mayor, Mayor of Ngcobo Local Municipality, Amatola Water Board CEO and DWS Officials led by Regional Head, Ms. Portia Makhanya.

The ultimate aim of this visit is to discuss at length critically issues with stakeholders as well as communities in paving ways of bringing water solution to the communities of Clarkebury.

The media is invited to attend as follows:

Date 1: 06 September 2019

Venue: Hemingways Southern Sun Hotel, East London



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Time: 13h00 – 17h00: Minister and Stakeholders (Water Service Authorities and Municipalities) Interactive Session

Time: 19h00 – 21h00: Gala Dinner hosted by Eastern Cape Business

Venue: Hemingways Southern Sun Hotel, East London

Date 2: 07 September 2019

Venue: Clarkerbury High School Hall, eNgcobo

Time: 10h00 – 15h00

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