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Dear Colleague,

**DECLARATION OF SPECIAL PROVINCIAL OFFICIAL FUNERAL: DR KGOTSO
PIETER DAVID MAPHALLA**

Kindly be informed that the President has approved the request that the funeral of Dr Kgotso Pieter David Maphalla to be declared as Special Provincial Official Funeral Category 2.

This is done on condition that the funeral shall comply with Regulation 11B, Sub-regulation 8, of the COVID-19 Lockdown Regulations issued by the Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs (COGTA), Government Notice No. R398 of 25 March 2020.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Phindile Baleni'.

**PHINDILE BALENI (MS)
DIRECTOR-GENERAL AND SECRETARY OF THE CABINET
DATE: 07/04/2021**



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TO: DIRECTOR-GENERAL: FREE STATE PROVINCE

HALF-MASTING OF THE NATIONAL FLAG

The President of the Republic of South Africa instructed that the National Flag fly at half-mast in the Free State Province on the day of Dr Kgotso Pieter David Maphalla's funeral service.

When the National Flag is half-masted, it should first be hoisted to the top of the flagstaff and then slowly lowered one third of the length of the flagpost from the top of the flagstaff. Before the flag is lowered at sunset, or at the appointed time, it should first be hoisted to the top of the flagstaff. Regulations require that no other flags (eg SAPS, SANDF, corporate flags etc) should be displayed when the National Flag is flown at half-mast.

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