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MEDIA ALERT

FREE STATE PROVINCE ANNOUNCES MATRIC CLASS OF 2013 RESULTS

The Premier of the Free State, Mr. Ace Magashule and MEC for Education, Mr. Tate Makgoe will on Tuesday, 07 January 2014 officially announce the Provincial 2013 results during a Media Briefing Session to be held at the Hotel School, Central University of Technology (CUT). Thereafter, the main function will be held at the Boet Troskie Hall, starting at 09:55 a.m.

During the event, top performing 100 learners in the Free State will be honoured in what is termed the “**Well Done Function**”.

This occasion will be graced by parents, teachers, the Honourable Premier Magashule, Members of the Executive Council, the private sector representatives and many other significant stakeholders in Education. In 2012, the Free State Department of Education obtained 81.1% and Premier Magashule challenged the Department to increase target for 2013 to a resounding 85% pass rate. The MEC Education, Mr. Tate Makgoe undertook this daunting challenge and themed the work of the Department “Raising the bar and leaving no child behind”. This event is a momentous occasion where the Department will be accounting to the Free State community and the country on how well the province has done in meeting its set target.

27 457 candidates wrote the National Senior Certificate (NCS) examination from the 28 October until 29 November 2013 and the Provincial Government is proud to announce that it went smoothly without disruptions.

Date: Tuesday, 07 Tuesday 2013

Venue: Central University of Technology Free State (Hotel School)

Time: 07h30 a.m.

Journalists are kindly asked to collect their accreditation at the Hotel School CUT as from 07:00 a.m. to 07:30 a.m.

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