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GOVERNMENT CLOSES FIDEL CASTRO BUILDING AGAIN AFTER ANOTHER CASE OF COVID-19 SURFACES

09 JULY 2020

The Fidel Castro government building in Bloemfontein, will be closed from 09 July, 2020 at 7PM, due to another case of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) which has surfaced. An employee of the Office of the Premier, who works on the ninth floor of the building, has tested positive for the COVID-19.

The decontamination and deep cleaning of the building will run from tomorrow, 10 July 2020, and continue throughout the weekend. The building will be reopened on Monday, 13 July 2020, once the necessary contact tracing and screening processes have also been done.

The Fidel Castro building accommodates employees of the Office of the Premier, Public Works and Infrastructure, Education and Provincial Treasury. The Free State Provincial Government wishes to apologize to the community in general, for any inconvenience the closure of the government building may cause.

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