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SUBJECT: MEC MHAULE MEETS WITH RELIGIOUS LEADERS

The MEC for Education, Mrs Reginah Mhaule in collaboration with the Moral Regeneration Movement will meet with provincial religious leaders on **Thursday**, **24 January 2013 at 16H30 at Ingwenyama Lodge in Mbombela Municipality**.

At this meeting, the MEC will present to the religious leaders the outcome of the 2012 Annual National Assessments Results, the 2012 Grade 12 results as well as the 2013 improvement plan.

It is expected that following this meeting a clear programme of action on how the religious community will be involved in supporting schools and improving the delivery of education in the province.

This event takes place under the theme, "Towards the Delivery of Quality Education for All" and all pastors from the province are invited.

"We value the role that religious leaders can play in ensuring that learners and educators are motivated throughout the year. Religious leaders may also offer counselling and spiritual strength to the school community. It is therefore based on this opinion that this meeting has been prioritised," said MEC Reginah Mhaule.

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