

TO : NEWS EDITORS

FROM : MPUMALANGA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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**SUBJECT : SUSPENSION OF EDUCATORS AT VEZULWAZI
SECONDARY SCHOOL**

The Mpumalanga Department of Education has suspended the acting principal and **14** educators of Vezulwazi Secondary School following allegations of irregular management of the 2010 Internal Examinations (Grade 10 and 11).

The Department discovered that there were serious irregularities in the management and conduct of the internal examinations after it had instituted a preliminary investigation following complaints by both parents and learners.

The preliminary investigation confirmed the allegations and the involvement of these educators as such. The District Office suspended and issued charges to the Acting Principal as well as the 14 educators.

They will all appear before the disciplinary hearings in due course.

In the meantime, the District Office has already sent a capable team of Curriculum Implementers to render teaching and learning programmes.

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