



3 DECEMBER 2014

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS OF THE SPEAKER HONOURABLE SISI MABE

Bloemfontein

In line with the Funeral Planning Committee in consultation with the family of the deceased, the Communication and Media Committee of the Funeral Planning Committee, hereby provides an update and confirmation of details of the funeral:

3 December 2014

Memorial Sitting of the Free State Legislature

- The Sitting of the Free State Legislature will take place today, **Wednesday, 3 December 2014** at the **Fourth Raadsaal**, , at **12H00**
- Leaders of Political Parties and Chief Whip of the Majority Party, Hon. Neels Van Rooyen will make statements on the passing of the Speaker under Statements by Members.
- The Media is allocated within the Chamber at the Fourth Raadsaal

4 December 2014

- The Provincial Memorial Service will take place in **Bloemfontein, Boet Troskie Hall at Central University of Technology, 4 December 2014**, from **10H00**
- **Parking will be allocated within the University according to categories**
- **For VIP Accreditation please contact: Ciska @ 082 8500 318 or Thabang @ 072 057 1403**

5 December 2014

- That the District Memorial Services is continuing as planned in **Sasolburg, Multipurpose Centre**, from 10H00 in the morning.
- The Venue in Sasolburg can only accommodate 1000 people

- Memorial Service expected to take place in Phiritona Community Hall, in Heilbron, 5 December 2014, from 14H00, **is no longer taking place. Public from Heilbron, wishing to attend will now be assisted to attend the Memorial Service in Sasolburg.**

6 December 2014

- That the Burial will take place at the Speakers' hometown in **Heilbron, Phiritona Sports Complex(Confirmed), 6 December 2014**, from 8H00 until 12H00
- It is estimated that 15 000 people will attend the funeral
- Parking will be allocated nearby the venue of the funeral

Furthermore,

- Mounted escort where necessary will be provided at all activities
- Control of the public will be ensured at all times
- The traffic control as required in cooperation with traffic authorities
- The National Intelligence will be involved where required
- The Department of Police, Roads and Transport, the Department of Public Works, Health and Infrastructure, the Office of the Premier, the Free State Legislature and the relevant municipalities will be involved accordingly
- The Free State Legislature Choir and Police Brass Band will also perform at funeral

Movement of the Remains

- The remains of the deceased will be moved from Vereeniging, escorted by the SAPS
- Remains will go via the residence of the deceased in Sasolburg before it proceed to Heilbron, Phiritona and the family residence

Messages from the Public

- Condolences books are already placed at the Offices of the Free State Legislature in Bloemfontein, Southern Life Plaza, Charlotte Maxeke Street, from Tuesday, **2 December 2014**
- At the Free State Legislature at Fourth Raadsaal (Main Building)
- Ngwathe Municipal Offices in Heilbron from 3 December 2014
- Metsimaholo Municipal Offices in Sasolburg from 3 December 2014
- As well as Provincial and District Memorial Services

Lowering of the Flag

- In terms of the Policy, the National Flag will fly at half-mast at every station in the province a day before the burial until the evening of the day of the funeral, this will include the burial site.


Transport

- Details regarding transport arrangements for members of the public who will like to attend the funeral will be communicated on Thursday, 04 December 2014.

Preliminary List of expected people include

- National Parliament
- Premier(s)
- National Ministers
- Members of Executive Council
- MPL(s)
- Speakers and MECs from other provinces
- ANC National, Provincial and Regional Leaders
- Director General(s)
- Traditional Leaders
- Religious Leaders
- Mayors, Speakers and Municipal Managers
- Senior Government Officials
- Business
- Public

For all enquiries, please contact:

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| <p>Life Mokone Chief Spokesperson Free State Provincial Legislature 082 529 3224 lifemokone@gmail.com</p> | <p>Issued by the Free State Legislature Communication Services. TEL: 051 407 1266/1100 FAX: 051 430 0278 NORTH WING/2ND FLOOR/SOUTHERN LIFE PLAZA/ CHARLOTTE MAXEKE STREET/ BFN/9323</p> |  <p>The logo of the Free State Legislature, featuring a stylized golden building with a central dome and columns, set against a white background. Below the building, the words "FREE STATE LEGISLATURE" are written in a blue, sans-serif font.</p> |
|---|--|---|