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Department:
Defence
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

MEDIA ALERT

DATE: Tuesday, 19 February 2013

EMBARGO: None

SUBJECT: -WARNING: EXCESSIVE NOISE BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL DEFENCE FORCE (SANDF) ARMED FORCES DAY EVENT

On Friday 22 February 2013, the SANDF will be celebrating Armed Forces Day in honour of men and women in uniform who have taken it upon themselves to serve the nation.

In preparation to the abovementioned event, local residents around Atteridgeville are warned about rehearsals and excessive noise levels by the SANDF aircraft. Rehearsals by members of the SANDF will happen as follows:

- Wednesday, 20 February 2013: between 10h00 and 12h00, 1-2 gun shots by the G1 88mm guns.
- Thursday, 21 February 2013: between 10h00 and 12h00, 21 Round Gun Salute by the G1 88mm guns.
- Friday, 22 February 2013: 21 Round Gun Salute by the G1 88mm guns.

In addition, there will be flypast which forms part of the rehearsals by the South African Air Force. The SANDF regrets the inconvenience caused as a result of the rehearsals.

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