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**SUBJECT: THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL DEFENCE FORCE ANNOUNCES
THE PASSING ON OF MAJOR GENERAL (RET) MPHETOLA
RAMAHLO**

The Department of Defence (DOD) and the South African National Defence Force (SANDF) learnt with sadness the passing on of Major General (Maj Gen) (Retired) Mphetola Ramahlo on Saturday, 04 April 2015.

Maj Gen Ramahlo retired from the SANDF on 31 August 2006 as Chief Director Army Force Preparation.

Maj Gen Ramahlo will be buried on Saturday, 11 April 2015 at Plot 59 and 60, Toitskraal near the ga-Matlala (Ramoshebo) village, Great Sekhukhune District, Marble Hall in Limpopo at 06:00. Maj Gen will be accorded a semi-military funeral.

The Minister of Defence and Military Veterans, Honourable Nosiviwe Mapisa-Nqakula and Chief of the SANDF, General Solly Shoke, convey their heartfelt condolences to the family relatives and friends of Maj Gen Ramahlo.

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