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### **CLARITY ON ARTICLE PUBLISHED BY NEWS 24 WEBSITE ON THE MATTER OF MILITARY RELATIONS WITH SAUDI ARABIA**

The Department of Defence (DOD) confirms that the Secretary for Defence (Sec Def), Dr Sam Gulube, was part of the Presidential delegation to Saudi Arabia. South Africa and Saudi Arabia have very good military relations.

**ENDS.**

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