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SUBJECT: A COMMUNITY MEMBER SUSTAINS SERIOUS INJURIES DURING AN EXPLOSION OF AN UNEXPLODED ORDINANCE

A community member residing around the vicinity of the Madimbo Military Training Base in Limpopo, has been seriously injured following an explosion of an unexploded training ordinance whilst in his possession illegally. Circumstances surrounding this unfortunate incident are being investigated

It is illegal for any unauthorised person (s) to enter into a military establishment without permission and this will lead to the arrest and prosecution of the perpetrator(s) regardless of the reasons for such unauthorised entry. This access restriction applies to all military establishments across the country.

All community members in the country are advised and reminded to comply with all the warning signs around military establishments and facilities as the SANDF will not be held liable for any injuries, fatalities or sufferings to an individual or group as a result of an unauthorised entry into any military establishment or facility.

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