



MINISTRY OF DEFENCE AND MILITARY VETERANS

Republic of South Africa

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE PASSING ON OF THE CHIEF OF JOINT OPERATIONS LIEUTENANT GENERAL DUMA DUMISANI MDUTYANA

It is with great shock and dismay that the Minister of Defence and Military Veterans Ms NN Mapisa-Nqakula announces the passing of the Chief of Joint Operations (C JOPS) Lieutenant General Duma Dumisani Mdutyana who passed on this morning after a short illness.

Lt Gen Mdutyana fell ill whilst on duty abroad and was hospitalised upon return.

The Minister of Defence and Military Veterans, the Chief of the South African National Defence Force General Shoke convey their heartfelt condolences to the family, relatives, friends, colleagues and comrades of the late Lt Gen Mdutyana.

Issued by : Ministry of Defence and Military Veterans

Enquiries : Mr Sipiwe Dlamini

Head of Communication

083 645 4294