



MINISTRY OF DEFENCE AND MILITARY VETERANS
Republic of South Africa

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PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE ON DEFENCE AND MILITARY VETERANS VISIT SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL DEFENCE FORCE MEMBERS IN THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

As part of oversight responsibility, the Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans is visiting the South African National Defence Force (SANDF) members deployed in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) as part of the United Nation Peacekeeping Mission.

The fifteen member delegation of the Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans is led by Honourable Mr Stanley M. Motimele.

The duration of the visit will be a week, starting today Sunday, departing from Air Force Base Waterkloof to Kinshasa. Whilst in Kinshasa the Portfolio Committee on Defence and Military Veterans will interact with the United Nation Mission and then proceed to Goma where our members are stationed.

The Portfolio Committee will be back in South Africa on the 29th March 2018.

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