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COGTA MOURNS THE DEATH OF KGOSHI CHILOANE OF THE MOLETELE TRADITIONAL COUNCIL

The Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs (COGTA) in Mpumalanga mourns the death of Kgoshi Chiloane of the Moletele Traditional Council in Buffelshoek, Bushbuckridge. Ikosi Chiloane passed away on Saturday, 1 December 2018.

MEC for COGTA, Mr Speed Mashilo and the Mpumalanga Provincial House of Traditional Leaders (MPHTL) have expressed condolences to the Moletele Traditional Council and the Chiloane royal family for the loss. "The death of Kgoshi Chiloane is a great loss not only to the royal family and the Mapulana clan but to the entire Institution of Traditional Leadership. He served his community with distinction. We will miss his leadership role and his commitment to work with us as government in our quest to improve the lives of his community in his area of jurisdiction," MEC Mashilo said.

Kgoshi Chiloane was one of the 60 traditional leaders in Mpumalanga. His inauguration as Kgoshi took place in 1996 in Buffelshoek. A memorial service will be held in his honour today (5 December 2018) in Buffelshoek.

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