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#### MINISTER THOKO DIDIZA TO LEAD THE COMMEMORATION OF NELSON MANDELA DAY IN QUNU VILLAGE, EASTERN CAPE

The Minister of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development, Ms Thoko Didiza (MP), will lead activities that mark the commemoration of the Nelson Mandela International Day, at Qunu Village, in Mthatha on 18 July 2022.

The month of July marks Nelson Mandela Month globally, annually the month is abuzz with activities, programmes and acts of giving, and making change to people's lives, and therefore, the fulfilment of Nelson Mandela's values.

In 2009, the United Nations General Assembly declared 18 July as International Nelson Mandela Day, in recognition of the former South African President's contribution to the culture of peace and freedom. The day was also declared as an appreciation of Mandela's values and his dedication to the service of humanity.

Under the theme: "**Do what you can, with what you have, where you are**", the minister will lead the commemoration of 67 minutes with the NARYSEC Youth, wherein the youth will be giving back by serving in their communities, by fixing and erecting a fence at Madiba Farm and installing a new roof for the cattle shed in Qunu.

Furthermore, the minister will hand over much-needed food supplies and learning material to destitute households, to bring much-needed relief to the community.

Members of the media are invited to cover the event as follows.

**Date** : 18 July 2022

**Venue** : Qunu Great Place

**Time** : 10:00

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Kwezindawo Zasemakhaya Ndzawulo ya Vurimi, Antswiso wa Misava na Nhluvukiso wa Matikoxikaya Litiko Letekulima, Tingucuko Kutemhlaba  
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