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DEPARTMENT TO INTERVENE ON SETSOKOTSANE CALL CENTRE QUIRIES

Mahikeng - The Department of Local Government and Human Settlements in Bokone Province responded to the service delivery enquiries on Tuesday morning as part of Bua le Puso programme initiated by Office of the Premier. Many issues were raised by community members ranging from water crises and housing development.

Mr. Johannes McDougall complained about his RDP house been given to someone who is not the rightful beneficiary, " The Naledi Municipality has given someone RDP belonging to me, as such, I don't have any place to stay, I'm currently staying at different places belonging to my friends and relatives because I don't have a permanent residence. I am Struggling".

Ms. Kgomotso Methe from Dihatshwane village near Mahikeng pleaded with Department of Local Government and Human Settlements for its intervention on installation of electricity in their area. "Our area has been without electricity for many years which becomes recipe for criminal activities during the night. We request department to engage municipality on our behalf" said Methe.

The Department received seven calls from different areas in the province in a space one and half hours for which majority was on the building of the RDP houses. MEC for the Department Galaletsang Gaolaolwe vows that decisive intervention will be made on issues raised by communities. "We commit to reach out to all communities before the end of this week to receive detailed information for an informed intervention. The Fifth Administration as led by Premier Supra Obakeng Ramoetsi Mahumapelo, remains the Government of the people by the people, which put people at the centre of their development" Charged the MEC.

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