

MEDIA STATEMENT

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Request a Slot Campaign reaches 20 000 milestone

The Gauteng Department of Roads and Transport is pleased to announce that the Request a Slot Campaign has reached the 20 000 milestone since its launch four weeks ago.

"We are grateful for the cooperation we are receiving from the people of Gauteng. We are happy to announce in just four weeks, more than 20 thousand people have renewed their driver's licenses, " said MEC for Public Transport and Roads Infrastructure, Jacob Mamabolo.

The Department together with the Road Traffic Management Corporation have been engaged in an aggressive drive to deal with the backlog induced by the COVID-19 Lockdown period.

"The feedback that we are receiving from the public on the Request a Slot Campaign has been positive and we therefore urge members of the public not to wait until the eleventh hour and renew their driver's licenses now," said Mamabolo.

Through the Request A Slot Campaign members of the public can book an appointment without any hassle or delays.

By visiting online.natis.gov.za, the Request A Slot mobile application (available only on Android), or by emailing the words 'Request A Slot' to requestaslot@gauteng.gov.za or requestaslot@rtmc.co.za, motorists can book their appointments and renew the validity of their driver's licence cards.

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