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TO: ALL MEDIA

ATTENTION: NEWS EDITORS

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DEPARTMENT TO OBSERVE WORLD HOMELESS DAY IN KEMPTON PARK

ON TUESDAY – The Gauteng Department of Social Development in partnership with Ekurhuleni Metropolitan Municipality and Ekurhuleni Homeless Forum will commemorate World Homeless Day at Kempton Park Civic Centre.

This commemoration takes place during Social Development Month which is observed annually in October to mark government's commitment to care for the most vulnerable in society.

The event will bring together provincial and local government departments, civil society, including non-profit organisations and private sector in order to promote the collaboration of different stakeholders in delivering effective and efficient services to the homeless.

Furthermore, previously homeless beneficiaries will share experiences and their testimonies.

Media is invited, details of the event are as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, 10 October 2023

TIME: 10h00

VENUE: Kempton Park Civic Centre, Zuurfontein, Kempton Park

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