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LIMPOPO TO CELEBRATE INTERNATIONAL MOTHER TONGUE

Limpopo government joins the global community in promoting linguistic multilingualism and cultural diversity by celebrating International Mother Tongue Day. **The celebration will be given a special significance this year, with the addition of the Annual Provincial Literary Awards as well as the launch of the Provincial Language Policy.**

As languages are the most powerful instruments of preserving and developing our tangible and intangible heritage, the Department of Sport, Arts and Culture ensures that the celebrations and the awards ceremony rotates in all the provincial districts for the purpose of multilingualism awareness and reminding communities about the importance of languages.

The celebration is scheduled to take place as follows:

Venue: Giyani Community Hall, Giyani Municipality, Mopani District

Date : 11 March 2011

Time : 11:00

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