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MEC Thandi Moraka intervenes in the Makhadzi-King Monada rift.

Limpopo MEC for Sport, Arts and Culture, Ms. Thandi Moraka intervened in the Makhadzi / Monada 'rift' which has been making rounds on social media platforms, since the beginning of this week. MEC Thandi Moraka as the political leader of the department responsible for artist development, social cohesion and nation building took it upon herself to intervene in what was perceived by many as a rift.

Upon her intervention, MEC Moraka learnt that there was no rift between the two popular Limpopo artists, all was just a strategy to promote the song. According to the two artists the video clips and exchange of words on social media was nothing but a publicity stunt.

"As the Limpopo department of Sport, Arts and Culture, mandated to promote social cohesion and nation building; and moral regeneration, we got very worried hence we had to make a swift mover to arrange an urgent meeting with our popular artists virtually to try to establish the crux of the matter. We are glad to report that the two artists are not fighting, there is no rift between Monada and Makhadzi and they are still going to collaborate in future to move the Limpopo music industry forward." said MEC Moraka.

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