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**For attention Editors and Journalists**

**MULTI-MILLION LIBRARIES YET TO BE DELIVERED TO SEPHAKU (VLAKFONTEIN) COMMUNITY**

The Department of Sport, Arts and Culture, MEC, Mme Nandi Ndalane will lead the official opening ceremony of Vlakfontein library in Sephaku village, Elias Motsoaledi Municipality in the Sekhukhune District. This follows the successful opening of Shongoane, Shiluvane, Mutale, Fetakgomo libraries, respectively. The libraries are also provided with ICT infrastructure to enable communities to access free internet.

**The official opening ceremony will be held as follows:**

**DATE** : 09 March 2015 (Monday)  
**VENUE** : Vlakfontein Library, Elias Motsoaledi Municipality  
Sekhukhune District  
**Time** : 12h00

Government views libraries as the most important tool which assists in civilising and developing communities, keeping youth out of the streets, reduce the level of illiteracy as it installs the culture of reading and learning at the same time. Library further serves as a reservoir of knowledge, it helps in preserving the heritage and history of communities. Public libraries offer an ever changing range of cultural resources for the community, and they have become a type of social and cultural institutions.

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