MEDIA LAUNCH OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT MONTH, OCTOBER 2013

The month of October is celebrated annually as Social Development Month. During this month the Department of Social Development will reach out to many less privileged and vulnerable people including but not limited to; children, orphans, older persons and persons with disabilities. In October 2013 the Department, will embark on a month long activities aimed at bringing services closer to our communities.

Social Development Month therefore presents an opportunity for the Department to assess itself, improve in areas that need improvement, intensify and extensively market its services and programmes.

The MEC for Health and Social Development Ms. Candith Mashego - Dlamini will be launching this month to inform members of the media and community at large about the planned activities that the Department of Social Development will embark on during October 2013.

As part of launching the October month the MEC will officially open the Gert Sibande District Social Development offices and have a formal event on Social Crime Prevention.

All media house are invited to attend the media launch, opening of Gert Sibande District Social Development offices and awareness campaign on Social Crime Prevention occasion scheduled to take place as follows.

Date: 30 September 2013, Monday

Time: 09:00 am

Venue: Gert Sibande District Municipality Office, Ermelo

End.

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NB: Transport will be provided by the Department of Social Development. Please confirm by no later than 27 September 2013

