

PRESS RELEASE

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SUBJECT : “CONGOLESE PRESIDENT VISITS NORTH WEST”

The North-West became proud once more when Honourable Premier Ednah Molewa of the province received a high powered delegation led by Congolese President Joseph Kabila on Friday 15th of June at the Pilanesburg Airport. The visit was business-related considering the fact that Congo-Kinshasa and the North West Province have common economic relations as well as other traits in terms of mineral resources. The two leaders discussed issues related to strengthening economic ties between the Congo and the North West Province.

Accompanying Premier Ednah Molewa was the National Minister of Mineral and Energy Ms Thoko Didiza, MECs Darkey Africa and Maureen Modiselle of the Departments of Economic Development and Tourism and Finance respectively. Present were the Executive Mayor of Rustenburg Mr Raymond Matshepe and the Head of Department of the Premier Mr Kay Gavender.

Before Mr Kabila and his entourage met King Molotlegi of the Royal Bafokeng, they had a business launch at the Sun City.

Please, obtain more details from the office of the Premier on 0828882384