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### **Media Advisory**

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### **MEC FRAZER MARKS 50-DAYS COUNTDOWN TO THE 2023 NSC EXAMINATIONS**

The MEC for Education in KwaZulu-Natal, Ms Mbali Frazer is going to be the Keynote Speaker during the programme marking 50-Days Countdown to the 2023 National Senior Certificate Examinations.

The 50-Days Countdown programme is aimed at sensitising both learners and members of the public about the number of days left before the start of NSC Examinations and to urge members of the public, especially parents and caregivers, to support the Matric Class of 2023 during this critical period in their lives as learners in the basic education sector.

“During this crucial time in our learners’ lives, we ask them to work extra hard to ensure that they make themselves, their parents and the entire Province of KwaZulu-Natal proud, come the time of the release of results.

“We also urge parents and caregivers to support our learners by ensuring that they give them more time to concentrate on their studies as well as create an enabling environment for our learners to be well prepared for the exams,” said MEC Mbali Frazer.

Before the 50-Days Countdown event, MEC Frazer will preside over the introduction of a contractor that will build the state-of-the-art Sidingulwazi Primary School, in Mbulwane area, under uThukela District. The details of both events are as follows:

#### **Introduction of Contractor**

**Date: 12 September 2023**  
**Venue: Mbulwane Area H**  
**Time: 09H00**

#### **Matric 50-Days Countdown Event**

**Date 12 September 2023**  
**Venue: Steadville Secondary School in Ladysmith**  
**Time: 11H00**

Members of the media are invited to cover both events.

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