



**Commission for Gender Equality**  
A society free from gender oppression and inequality

**Media Statement**

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**To:** Members of the Media

The Commission for Gender Equality (CGE) will launch its own television talk show called Gender Space to break down gender issues of national concern, which the Commission is addressing. Gender Space will premiere on Dumisa TV, DSTV channel 340 on 05 October at 18:00. The TV programme will run in a series of twelve episodes, aired every Thursday until 21 December. This is done by tackling different topics throughout the series, which are based on the CGE's programmes from a Legal, Public Education and Information (PEI) and Research point of view. Episodes will be aired as per this schedule:

- 05 Oct - Domestic workers and COIDA.
- 12 Oct - CGE's Legal Investigative Mandate.
- 19 Oct - Teenage Pregnancy and SRHR.
- 26 Oct - Monitoring of SAPS and Courts.
- 02 Nov - The Marriage Bill.
- 09 Nov - Challenges of Widowhood.
- 16 Nov - Women's Economic Empowerment.
- 23 Nov - Challenges Faced by Women with Disabilities.
- 30 Nov - The Role of Men and Boys In GBVF Fight.
- 07 Dec - Protecting Women and Girls in Human Trafficking.
- 14 Dec - Factors Behind Gender-Based Violence.
- 21 Dec - Challenges Faced By the LGBTQIA Community.

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