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CGE LIMPOPO PROVINCIAL OFFICE HOSTS ACCOUNTABILITY STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT ON EFFECTIVENESS OF THUTHUZELA CARE CENTRES

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Tomorrow, as part of its legislative mandate, the Commission for Gender Equality's (CGE) Limpopo Provincial Office will meet stakeholders to review the effectiveness of Thuthuzela Care Centres (TCCs) in the province. This accountability stakeholder engagement is one of the ways through which the CGE monitors government policies and service delivery programmes in the eradication of Gender -Based Violence and femicide (GBVF).

The CGE has exercised the aforementioned mandate through monitoring the TCCs in order to determine their effectiveness in assisting victims and survivors of GBVF, henceforth holding the role players accountable.

The objectives are as follows:

- Amplification of Pillar 3 of the National Strategic Plan on GBVF - Protection, safety and justice by ensuring that the criminal justice system provides victim centric services;
- Amplification of Pillar 4 - Response, care, support and healing-TCCs play a critical role in providing care and support to victims of GBVF;
- Engage stakeholders on the findings from the TCC monitoring process;
- Determine the challenges that departments may be facing in implementing the TCC model;
- Improvement of integrated services and coordination at TCCs;
- Solicit inputs from stakeholders on how to improve GBVF response in the Province of Limpopo;
- To solicit undertakings from departments on improvement of the services at TCCs.



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The Session will be conducted as follows:

Date: 26 June 2024

Venue: The Protea Hotel, The Ranch

Time: 09h00 – 15h00

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